



# Cardenden Nursery

## Newsletter 4 (May / June 2025)

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### Headteacher's Update ...

I can hardly believe we are so far into Term 4 already. It has been so lovely to have seen the sunshine – our little ones have been enjoying the outdoors during this time. You will have seen that part of our garden is fenced off at the moment. This is due to rocks appearing through the soil. We are hoping to have this fixed as soon as possible but until then we are taking precaution to make sure there are no accidents on the uneven ground.

You should've received information about our Fun Day which is planned for the last day of term. You can find out more here ... (and at the end of this newsletter)

[Fun Day | Cardenden Primary School](https://www.cardendenprimaryschool.co.uk)

We hope you are able to come along and celebrate with your child(ren) for some or all of the day!

### Transition

Transition plans are under way for our pre-schoolers to start visiting P1 and for our Discoverers to move up to the Explorers. If your child is not joining us for P1 we do ask that you make links with your child's P1 school. This is an important part in getting you and your child ready for school. We know there will be many mixed emotions about this next step, but we are here to help and support. Please ask if you have any questions.

#### KEY DATES – Nursery to P1 Transition:

**Meet the Teacher / Classroom and School Tour – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> May 6pm**

**School Lunch – Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 11.30am (Parents can attend with their child – more info to follow)**

**Sports Day – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June (Time TBC)**

**Moving Up Afternoon – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June (Time TBC)**

In addition to this, your child will be taking part in weekly activities where they have the chance visit their new class, take part in vertical group activities with current P1 pupils and have a chance to play in the playground and practise lining up.



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### Voluntary Contributions



If you would like to contribute you can do so using these details (Cardenden Nursery)

Sort code - 83-16-44

Account Number -  
00240661

### Changes to Nursery Setting

On Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June we have an Inservice Day and nursery will be closed to pupils. On this day, staff will be working together to look at our Core Provision – the learning experiences and activities we have on offer. We will be working hard to make some changes to the room with the Creators and Explorers coming together to offer free-flow within the setting. We know this change might be difficult for some pupils so will be posting on Seesaw during the day, so you can share the new and exciting changes with your child. We will also be offering Stay and Play sessions that week so you can come in and learn with your child, as they explore their new environment. If you have any questions, please speak to Mrs McMillan.



### Sun Awareness

[Sun Awareness at Cardenden](#)

### SIMOA

Do you know how we use SIMOA to keep us safe?

[SIMOA | Cardenden Primary School](#)



### Nursery Sports Friday 13<sup>th</sup>

### Graduation

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June

2pm



### Your Views Matter ...

Thank you to everyone who completed our survey early this year. Results showed that:

- Parents and Carers think staff should continue to be known as Mrs, Miss and Mr ...
- Parents and Carers do not think the room names should be changed. These will remain as they are.
- Parents and Carers think money should be spent on garden equipment. Staff are currently working on a wish list.

Remember to share your views on our Vision Statement [here!](#)



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# CARDENDEN NURSERY FUN DAY

**Mini Zoo - 10am - 11am**

We will start our day with an interactive, hands on show with plenty of exciting animal encounters in our school hall.

**Traditional Games and Stalls - 11am - 12pm**

Have a go at hook a duck, lucky dip, beat the goalie etc. or get your face painted and other exciting things!

**Beano the Clown - 11am - 12pm**

Meet Beano the Clown as he walks around showing him magic, juggling and balloon modelling skills.

**Lunch Break - 12pm - 1.30pm**

Pupils who are with us for lunch can stay as normal, or parents can take children away and come back for the afternoon session.

**Magic Ian - 1.45pm - 2.30pm**

We will end our day with an entertaining magic show in our school hall.

## THURSDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JULY

We invite all our nursery children to join us for our end of term fun day. This will run from 10am - 12pm and from 1.30pm - 2.30pm. You child can attend both sessions but must attend with an adult if this is out with their normal session. We can't wait to start the summer holidays with a fun filled day!