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NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

April has been as busy and exciting as planned, with both parents and students having lots of activities to attend!

We started the month with our first themed “stay and play” event - this time focussing specifically on STEM activities (Science / Technology / Engineering / Mathematics) Parents had an opportunity to learn about the importance of coding and how we incorporate technology into our lessons, with even our pre-nursery students being exposed to these concepts with the use of remote-controlled items, reactive cubes etc.

Students had a busy few days celebrating cold food day with the making of floating rice balls as well as various Easter-themed activities such as egg hunting, egg painting and egg experiments.

Earth Day was celebrated with an exhibition of our artwork formed from the recycled materials which were kindly donated by parents. The children were amazed to see their creations in the Somerset lobby for everyone to see and loved visiting the exhibition once again when it was transferred to our own lobby.

Cooperation between schools is always important and our Prep classes enjoyed celebrating Earth Day with KIK @ The Manor at KIK @ Gamuda Gardens, learning about the outdoor environment in this new location as well as working cooperatively to complete group art and craft projects.

With the end of the school academic year fast approaching, we look forward to a busy programme in May from school photographs and excursions to celebrating international day and Children’s Day.

Stephanie C. Mills
Head of Kindergarten

Upcoming Important Dates:

School Photographs - 18th May

International Day “Stay and Play” - Tuesday 23th May

Children’s Day - Thursday 1st June



News around the Classrooms

K2 APPRECIATING NATURE



After learning about what nature is, K2 went on a nature walk on the fourth floor of Hanoi Towers. The students drew pictures of examples of nature around us and collected natural objects including leaves, sticks, flowers, and stones which we used back in the classroom to make pictures.

To appreciate nature further, the students also had a lovely picnic outside near the fourth-floor garden while Ms Meghan read stories about nature.



The K2 students experimented to make their own paint using flower petals - experimenting with different amounts of water to see how this changed the intensity of the "paint".

In a modern society in which we have access to lots of technology, it is important for children to still spend time in and appreciate nature which is good for both the mind and body.



ROLE PLAY IN THE K1 CLASSROOM

This month we have been looking at the jobs and occupations of people who help us. This is a great opportunity for the children to engage in role-play in the classroom.



It's a fun method for children to learn about many professions and everyday circumstances by using themed props and equipment.



It also creates situations that practice social skills and development.

The children had fun playing at being traffic police officers and stopping the errant drivers in our class! Later we all had to bring our babies to the hospital to get medicine and treatment from our class doctors. The children gained a lot of confidence in using new vocabulary in front of their peers.



COLD DAY COOKING IN PUPPY



Cold Food Day is always a lot of fun! After going through the recipe and the different steps needed to make delicious cakes, the Puppy class

students carefully washed their hands and made sure that the cooking area was clean.

With lots of different coloured dough to choose from, each class member named the colour they would like and then worked with their own ball of dough.



After flattening it out, the students carefully put a sugar cube in the middle to make a delicious sweet treat. Next, they worked hard to roll the sticky rice dough into a little ball.

The balls were then boiled in water by the teacher with students enthusiastically sprinkling sesame seeds on the top before taking place in the most exciting part of the process – the eating!



NURSERY EASTER EGG HUNTING

This month we focused on egg activities in relation to Easter. At the American Club, the students had an



opportunity to be involved in an egg hunt – looking around to find as many small chocolate eggs as they could!



With such a large space to explore, the students needed a lot of perseverance to find all of the hidden eggs and worked well in

small groups to look methodically to ensure that all of the eggs were found.

Once collected, the eggs were all put into a large basket and divided out later on in the day for a scrumptious treat!

Students also experimented with egg art – working at painting eggs in different ways as well as learning about the patterns they make when rolled.



OUR BUSY MONTH

This month both parents and children have been very busy with a series of events – from our themed STEM stay and play day, celebrating cold food day through to the Earth Day Exhibition.

