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Dear Parents,

This week thanks must go to Mr Moran for arranging a Fire Engine to visit. The children have enjoyed learning about 'Percy the Park Keeper' and if you are able to, please read some of the 'Percy' stories at home. Thank you.

Next week we will be finding out about 'Plants'. I hope that the living willow plants will have arrived and the children can help to plant them into the nursery garden. Activities during the week include watching seeds grow, reading stories related to plant life cycle, ordering by size, and making a height chart. The sound of the week is 'x'. Please send items as usual for the interest table. Thank you.

Next week also includes '**World Book Day**'. So if your child attends on Thursday please come to nursery dressed as a book or fairy tale character. Thank you.

**A Spring walk** will take place next Friday 5 March – please see the list displayed on the whiteboard. Many thanks to adults who have volunteered to accompany this walk.

### **Games Morning – Tuesday 9 March - 8 – 10 a.m.**

The purpose of this fun event is to raise money to begin the development of the sleep room into a sensory room. The first part of this plan involves building a cupboard to store bedding, and then on to equipment such as a bubble tube, projector and lights on the ceiling and touch tiles on the wall. If you have any ideas for the development of this room or can help in any way with this project please let me know. Thank you very much.

There is a poster on the whiteboard in the reception area telling you all about the games we will be playing. Please play a few games as you bring your child to nursery – family and friends are very welcome. Most games will cost 20p – please come with lots of change!!

### **Booking forms**

Booking forms for attendance in the Summer Term are on the reception Desk, please complete as soon as possible.

Bookings for the Easter Holiday Care are also being taken, if you would like to make a booking please do so before 19 March. Thank you.

### **Accidents at home**

As part of protecting children the Nursery is required to keep a record of any accidents that happen at home which result in any child coming into school with a bump, graze, bruise or mark of any kind. Please help us by informing us of any accidents that happen at home that result in a visible injury. You will be asked to complete a 'Home Incident Record Sheet', which will be kept on file in the Nursery.

Have a very relaxing weekend.

Lois Johnson