

# Southridge First School Nursery Newsletter 12<sup>th</sup> June 2015



This week the children have been gearing up for their sponsored fun run on Friday, we have been practising a number of sporty skills in the Nursery garden, the trickiest one was jumping over the hurdles with both of our feet together just like a kangaroo!

This week the children have been learning about the phoneme /w/. It's a short bouncy sound at the start of the words; worm, wave, window, wow and wet.



The children have enjoyed forming this letter: we go down the wriggly worm and up the wriggly worm and down the wriggly worm and up the wriggly the worm. They have been painting it on the ground and fences with water and watching as it disappears with the heat of the sun!

This week in Numeracy we have been looking at money – our role play area has become a farmers market and the children have loved the opportunity to handle real money, we have started off with the one pence piece, counting out the amount of pennies required to buy an item of fruit or veg. Why not let your child have a look at some coins at home; look for any numbers or writing and talk about the different sizes and colours of the coins.

The children are amazed at how quickly the potatoes are growing, they are even taller than some of our Nursery children!

This children did brilliantly with The Three Billy Goats Gruff story, so this week they have started to learn the story of Jack and the Beanstalk, we have been adding actions to the words to help us remember it.

## Diary Dates:

•Nursery trip to Jesmond Dene: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June  
Nursery and Wraparound Sports day Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July am – 10:30/ pm- 2:00

Any adult/ parent/grandparent who is available to help on our trip on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June please let a member of staff know.

We hope you have a great weekend,  
The Nursery Team