



Bushey Ganim - Lower Gan Newsletter

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Friday 28th October 2011

Dear Parents,

Our first full week back has proven to be a calm, positive and productive one. The children have settled remarkably well after the long break and I believe we have turned a corner!

This week we concentrated on colours, one each day. Our toys and resources reflected the respective colour of the day as did our art work which is on our display board. Much discussion was had about favourite colour, bedroom colour, colour of the clothes we are wearing etc.

We also touched on Diwali and the children talked about the colourful fireworks they had heard and seen. Next week will be making and eating toast & Tomer. Please let us know if your child cannot have this.

This week and in the coming weeks we are welcoming new children to the Gan.

As part of her degree research, Mrs Peters visited our local Children's Centre, which is located at the rear of Bushey Mead School. It is called 'The Redding's Children's Centre' and more information can be found on their website www.hertsmerechildren.co.uk/childrenscentres/bushey.php.

They provide wonderful play sessions, support for parents, including counselling services, a toy library and have a speech and language therapist onsite twice a term. We encourage those parents not resident in Bushey to look up their local Children's Centre.

Notice Board

Shabbat

Tuesday 8th November, an opportunity to find out more about Shabbat in the downstairs hall after drop off with Mrs Spector



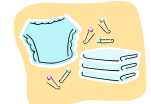
Lunch Club



**We are looking forward to our first Lunch Club on Monday 7th November. Initially Mrs Tash and Ms Boder-Cohn will run it. Please ensure a prompt 1.30pm collection.
If you decide you would now like your child to attend Monday or Wednesday please let me know.**

Important Reminders

- Please ensure your child has on a **CLEAN** nappy in the morning with spare in their bag.
- Please ensure you close the gate for your child's safety.
- Please do not use the playground as a cut through whilst children are play in outside.
- Please re read our Nappy Changing Policy regarding our 'no unnecessary change' policy.
- Remember to sign the green link book and bring it in every day.
- Please make sure your child has warm outdoor wear and that **ALL** coats, hats and glove are **CLEARLY** named.
- Please make sure all boys have a **CLEARLY NAMED** kippah in the Basket.
- All boys who are dry should be wearing tzitzit to Gan.



Wishing you all Shabbat Shalom שבת שלום

Ms D Boder-Cohn





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Dear Parents,

We have enjoyed our first full week back, and have all settled in well.



We have been learning about 'creation'. We have been focusing on the 6 days of creation, using our special booklets, which we will shortly be bringing home. We are in the process of making a colourful, informative wall display.

On Tuesday we made dark and light sandwiches, this tied in with learning about the creation of day/night.

Next week we will be looking at the '7th day-Shabbat' and on Thursday we will be baking challot. Please download our creation song, from our website, we are all singing it.

On Tuesday 8th November, after drop off we will be having an opportunity for parents to find out more about Shabbat, in the downstairs hall.



Please return the PICS (Parent Involvement Contribution Sheet) which was sent out at the end of last term, this will go into your child's learning journey, as well as being a good link between Gan and home.

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Mazel Tov to Seth Freeman and family, on the birth of a baby sister

Please send in Shoe boxes for next week

Red class-please return your slip by Monday 31st October

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As the weather is getting colder, please send in warm outdoor wear, coat, hat, gloves etc. Please label all items.

Please remember to send in your Childs link book, and inform us of any changes.

Shabbat Shalom,
Mrs D Spector

