

# Last Week We...



8-11 March 2021

## Forest School



A lovely natural cup of tea!



Fairyland complete with handcrafted Fairy doors



Can you spot the birdbox we made?

Fairyland created by a very talented Libby



**Rolling Snack** — We changed our snack provision this week. Small groups came inside and sat at the tables. We cut our own pieces of banana! It was really enjoyable and we used this opportunity to talk about healthy eating.

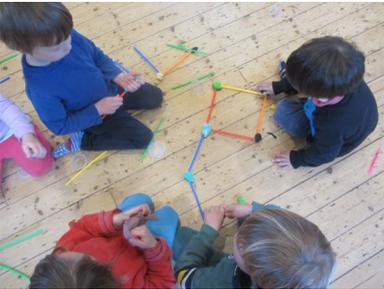
We will be working on our knife skills next week and spreading cream cheese on crackers.



**Tuesday Rising 4's:** Letters & Sounds: Rhyming treasure hunt and joining in with rhyming stories



**Thursday Rising 4's:** STEM activity creating dinosaurs out of straws. Concentration, imagination and fine motor skills used to create diplodocus, pterodactyl and T-Rex!



**A busy week inside and out!**



Threading & sequencing



Gardening in the sunshine



Playdough creations



Playing tree surgeons



Dinosaur Swamp back by popular demand!



Building animal houses



Deadheading flowers



Rolling, rolling, rolling



Social time at the playdough table



Teamwork to construct



Fixing the den



Dinosaur imaginary play

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY for Sunday. We enjoyed making the cards this week. We hope you have a special day.**



Over the last year we have painted Ladybird Cottage, extended the Mud Kitchen, installed log stepping stones/story area, built a den and a gravel pit. Our latest improvement is woodchip so we can continue to use the woodland area all year round free of nettles and to prevent soil erosion.

It makes the area so welcoming and our paths through the woods light up in the sunshine! What do you think?



We need to level out the ground down the Forest School end of the woods so we can build benches for the children to sit on. We would love some volunteers to help dig and level this out - socially distanced of course! Please email and let us know if you are able to help.



**THANK YOU:** Jemima (Rosie's mum), Tola (Leo's mum) & Anna (Stanley's mum) for shovelling the remainder of the woodchip for us on Monday. Also to Diarmaid (Ruaidhri's dad) for the shovelling and sweep up at the end.