

## **Growing**

We would like to begin by thanking all parents who presented us with footage and photographs of their children enjoying the potatoes they had grown at nursery. We are delighted that the children get the opportunity to taste what they have grown.

The children are extremely excited about the development of the orchard as the fruit is beginning to appear on the trees, and we look forward to sharing the fruit with you in due course.

Staff will be looking into foods which can be grown over the winter months, however if you know of any please let us know as all information will be greatly appreciated.

## **Training**

This month staff will have the opportunity to participate in a training afternoon with North Lanarkshire Council which will support them in the development of both their planning and the nursery. Staff will access this training in smaller groups to ensure there is no disruption to the children.

## **Fees**

If you wish to pay your child's fees on a weekly basis please ensure this is done so on the first day your child attends that week, however if you choose to pay monthly please ensure they are paid at the beginning of the month.

Thanks

## **Garden Developments**

You may have noticed some changes have been made to the Digging Area; this was due to the success of the Sand Pit. The sand pit was designed to challenge the children as they established how to get both in and out of this area, however the children have adapted to this fantastically well, therefore we felt it would be beneficial to carry this challenge on within the Digging Area.