

Brambles Weekly News

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Reminders

Please make sure your child has spare clothes in their green bag and warm clothing when they come to school. It's very cold and a thin waterproof isn't warm enough as we do play outside every day in all weathers.

Please do read the noticeboard outside Brambles for daily information, weekly snacks and planning.

Carpet Time

Stories: On the Moon by Anna Milbourne & Benji Davies
Roaring Rockets by Tony Mitton & Ant Parker

Song: Solar System in Motion by Meish Goldfish

Rhyme: Eight Planets

Upcoming Events

PTA Meeting

Friday 13th January at 2pm

Applications to Primary School Deadline
15th January 2017

This Week's Learning

We have been learning all about space this week. We have been learning the names of the eight planets through our rhyme, and about how the earth turns around, the moon goes round the earth and earth goes round the sun through our song. We have also been creating our own rockets from shapes, paintings, sticking shapes and outside with the large parts. We pretended we were astronauts in the role play where we blasted off in our Brambles rocket and explored the moon. We also got to try real astronaut space food at each snack time! You can buy some from the link below if you would like to try it at home:

http://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/product/B00005C2M5?psc=1&redirect=true&ref_ox_sc_act_title_2&smid=A32U2D0743WRPO

Something Special

A storytelling basket is a fun way to interact with your child's favourite story. This example uses Goodnight Moon, a classic book from Margaret Wise Brown. The text is simple and rhythmic. When reading the book, point to the items mentioned. *"And a red balloon ...", there's the red balloon.* To extend, ask your child to find each item. For those who are ready, see if they can re-tell the story themselves using the book and items from the basket. *Don't forget to email in photos of your child with their favourite story and their storytelling basket – we'd love to see and display them!*

