

Year 4 Learning Letter

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May has arrived, and here's another Action for Nature

“**No Mow May** is here! Long grass, peppered with flowers, is one of the rarest habitats in our well-tended gardens, yet it is incredibly beneficial for wildlife. Patches of long grass encourage different plant species to grow, help insects to thrive and create feeding opportunities for birds and small mammals.

So simply let nature move in! Set aside some lawn, leaving it to grow, and wait to see what arrives. The less pristine the lawn, the more promising it is for wildlife. You can raise the cutters on your mower to make some paths and leave the rest of the mowing until July or August after plants have flowered. It is also a great way of avoiding tools such as lawnmowers that are powered by fossil fuels!

More information

here; <https://www.surreywildlifetrust.org/actions/how-grow-wild-patch-or-mini-meadow>”

- No Mow MAY - sign up and free resources <https://www.plantlife.org.uk/campaigns/nomowmay/>



Tri- Golf sessions begin on Monday 15th and 22nd May and 5th June. The children should come to school dressed in PE kit for these 3 dates.



Nower Wood

Last week Year 4 had a fantastic trip to Nower Wood to continue their brilliant work with the Surrey Wildlife Trust.



WHAT A FANTASTIC DAY!

What are we up to for the next few weeks?

- Beginning our SUMMER POETRY unit in English.
- Maths sees a focus on money.
- Learning about Electricity in Science
- Continuing our wonderful Alps journey in Geography.

WHOLE SCHOOL ART WEAVING PROJECT



If the children have any wool, ribbons or suitable materials to bring in that would be fantastic. In addition, if you have a needle that would also be helpful. We will be starting next week and running over 3-4 weeks.