## Green group news March 2014

## New friends.

Khai

Miles

Goodbyes.

Wow, green group has had some busy, busy months, filled with fun learning. Take a look at our exciting journey.



Here Patrick, Bond, Tilde and Henry are learning about growing plants. They made mummy and daddy grass heads.



Christmas is a special time in our class. We decorated the Christmas tree, danced, sang, and had a visit from Santa ! We had an amazing party, thank you to all parents for bringing in yummy treats!



Nicolas made a dancing snowman on top of each other.

Lulu is making a Santa frame by by stamping circles putting all the parts together. Good hand- Christmas goose. eye coordination Lulu! Very sticky!

Ryan is spreading shaving foam with glue onto the

Evelyn is very focused lacing the small beads onto the pipe cleaners to make a bracelet.

Nicolas



Tet

James is feeding the horse with hay. He was very brave going so close to the horse. As this year is the Year of the Horse, we went pony riding! All the children were very brave to sit on the pony. They were very proud of themselves.

Sarah petted the horse before going on her pony ride. She was very excited.

> David and Olivia groomed the horse. They were very gentle and weren't afraid.

<image>

For Tet we were very creative with our hands and made dragons, lucky money envelopes, and Chinese writing. We tasted a real Banh Tet and made our own home cooked Banh Tet. Khai is spreading the bean paste onto the sticky rice. It was yummy!!

We have been doing so much in the last months and it's difficult to fit it all in, among other things we have been on an outing to Street 10, had a dress up day, completed obstacle courses and learnt about our senses. We have been busy learning, exploring and sensing through play and fun.

As I leave SmartKids to become a parent myself, I would like to say a big thank you to all the Green group parents and children. You have all made my time at Smartkids a very special time, which I will treasure in my heart forever.

It is soon time for my farewell and a big welcome to Ms. Cathy who will be the new teacher for the Green group. I am confident the children will enjoy learning new things with her.