# Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K Newsletter November 2016

#### **Important Bunny Bunch News!**

- October was a fun and busy month here at Bunny Bunch! The visit from the local firefighter was a huge success! The children had a blast learning about fire safety and preparing for Halloween!
- A big thank you to all the families who brought in treats and had participated in our Halloween Party! The children had a fantastic day and looked adorable in their costumes!
- Have your child join us in showing our local teams support on our Bills and Sabres days this month on November 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>!
- We will be having our annual Thanksgiving Luncheon on Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>! We hope to see everyone there!
- The daycare will be CLOSED November 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> for Thanksgiving! We hope you enjoy the long holiday weekend with your families!
- With the cold weather coming, we ask that you change out your child's summer clothes with winter clothes! Thank you!
- Bunny Bunch offers three special programs; Jindo, Movin' & Groovin' and Gymnastics. If you haven't done so and would like to sign your child up, please see Ashley in the office. This month the classes are available as follows:
  - Jindo: every Tuesday
  - Movin' & Groovin: 11/7 & 11/21
  - Gymnastics: every Thursday
- Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K and Jindo Martial Arts would like to invite all Jindo participants to attend their Graduation Ceremony on Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 12:30–1:30pm at 3173 Eggert Road 14150! If interested, please RSVP at 870–2971. Thank you!
- Pajama day will be on Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>!
- Scholastic book orders will be due on Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>!

#### Star Teacher of the Month!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Ms. Colleen from our Boulevard location! Ms. Colleen has been with Bunny Bunch for almost a year now and has proven herself to be a valuable asset to our Bunny Bunch team! Ms. Colleen is our Pre-K 3 aide and is doing a fantastic job! hardworking, dedicated and reliable employee who sets a great example for others. Ms. Colleen comes to work each day with a positive attitude and is ready for whatever may be handed to her. She has an easygoing and kind hearted personality that everyone loves. Ms. Colleen is a caring and patient teacher who is always looking out for each child and making sure their needs are met. She is very creative and is always willing to give ideas and help with daily activities and planning. Ms. Colleen's work ethic sure does not go unnoticed. We are very lucky and thankful to have Ms. Colleen as part of the Bunny Bunch family! Congratulations Ms. Colleen, we love you!!!

#### Star Students!

Each month we have a "Star Student" of the month. The lead teachers will make the choice. Certificates and prizes will be awarded to the children at the beginning of the month. The teacher will base their decision on growth and development, relating to others, eating and napping habits, and other STAR QUALITIES!

Our wonderful Star Students this month are...

Infants: Jack

Toddlers: Aryav & Michael Pre-K3: Lincoln & Emma K.

Pre-K 4: Kyleigh

Happy Birthday!

Bunny Bunch would like to wish Lottie a special 4<sup>th</sup> birthday!

# Infant Room News!

This month's theme for our infant room is "Fun in Fall." Mrs. Pam and her infants will be busy doing a lot of entertaining activities that will stimulate their different senses. The babies will have fun learning and participating in the different activities that will help them learn the weekly themes such as the senses and fall time! The baby room will be making a handprint acorn, they will do leaf rubbing and paint with jello! To prepare for our luncheon the infants will be making Thanksgiving placemat, Indian hats and do feather painting!

We would like to invite all the infants and their parents, grandparents, or any other guests they would like to bring to our annual Thanksgiving Luncheon on Thursday, November 17th!



Look who it is, it's Jack! He is our Infant Star of the Month for November! This happy and handsome little boy is such a joy to have in our Infant room. Jack is becoming such a big boy and has been reaching many milestones! He is able to roll over from his back to his stomach and is able to hold his head up very well! Jack is also starting to babble and has even said the word "da-da!" Jack is an easygoing and baby who is always smiling and rarely cries! He enjoys swinging in the swing, tummy time and being talked to! This sweet little boy loves to cuddle with his teachers and is certainly loved by them all! We look forward to watching Jack grow and to see what accomplishments he achieves next! Congratulations Jack, we love you!!!

### Toddler Room News!

"Harvest" is the theme for the toddler room! Our weekly themes will include, 'Farm Animals', 'Fun with Books', 'Turkey Time' and 'Harvest Time' along with celebrating Thanksgiving! Miss. Amanda will start off the month by introducing different types of farm animals! They will be making sheep puppets and finger-painting cows! Miss. Amanda and her toddler friends will be having fun with different books! They will be reading the wonderful books of Dr. Seuss and Clifford! The children will make glitter fish and Clifford hats to go along with the books! To prepare for our Thanksgiving feast the toddlers will be making turkey feathers out of pasta, paper bag turkeys and having fun getting messy by painting acorns!

We would like to invite all the toddlers and their parents, grandparents, or any other guests they would like to bring to our annual Thanksgiving Luncheon on Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the month Michael! Michael is a happy and caring little boy who always has a smile on his face! Michael has been with Bunny Bunch for a few months now and is doing a fantastic job at adjusting to daily routine and participating during daily activities. Michael is a smart young boy who is able to recite all of his shapes, colors, numbers and letters! He does a great job at participating during circle time and doing his daily crafts. He is starting to use the potty more and more and before you know it, he'll be potty trained! Michael is a kind and loving boy who is always comforting his friends when they are sad by giving them a small rub on the back. This handsome young man loves playing with his friends and having a good time. He loves to play with the big dump trucks, blocks and enjoys story time. We continue to look forward in watching Michael grow! Congratulations Michael, we love you!!

# Toddler Room News Continued!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the Month, Aryav! Aryav is doing a wonderful job in the Toddler Room! He is a very smart little boy who impresses us each day with what he knows! Arayv is able to speak clearly and recite his ABCs, 123s, colors and shapes! Aryav loves to learn and enjoys participating during daily activities, such as Circle Time. Aryav always has a smile on his face and can easily make others laugh and smile as well. This energetic little boy is always having fun with his teachers and friends! He enjoys singing and dancing, playing outside and reading stories. Aryav is a very lovable and caring young man who is always giving those around him hugs! We are very proud of Aryav and how he has blossomed and adjusted to Bunny Bunch since starting only a few months ago! Soon he will be transitioning into the Pre-K 3 room and we believe he is ready to do so!

Congratulations Aryav, we love you!!!

#### Pre-K 3 Room News

After having so much fun painting pumpkins and celebrating Halloween with lots of fun crafts, it is now time for "Fall Harvest". Our weekly themes will include, 'Down on the Farm', 'Turkey Time', 'Pilgrims and Native Americans' and 'Thanksgiving Celebrations'!

During the month of November the Pre-K 3 classroom will be learning the concept under/behind, forward/backwards and same/different. They will also be making farm animal crafts. Miss AnnMaries class will be getting ready for Thanskgiving by doing different activites with turkeys, and learning about the Pilgrims and Indians! The children will be making handprint turkeys and a paperbag turkey. The children will be introudced to pumkin pie and making a snack from it. This is going to be a Terrific month for Pre K 3!

We would like to invite our Pre-K 3 class and their parents, grandparents, or any guests they would like to bring to our annual Thanksgiving Feast on Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. You can enjoy lunch with other parents and children to celebrate the holiday! This is a wonderful time to meet all of your child's friends and teachers. Also, if your child does not attend daycare on Thursdays, you are still more than welcome to attend for lunch!

Hip, hip hooray for our Pre-K 3 Star of the Month, Emma K.! Emma is our Star of the



Month for always being on her best behavior and overall performance! Emma is a very sweet and caring young lady who sets a great example for others. She does a fantastic job following everyday instruction, being respectful to others and using helping hands! Emma has wonderful manners by using "please" and "thank you" and is always willing to help her teachers and friends. We are very impressed on how Emma has grown! This smart little girl is doing a great job at recognizing her letters and numbers, finding the letters to her name and is in the process of potty training! This beautiful young lady has a lot of fun while she is at Bunny Bunch and loves playing with her friends. Emma enjoys playing with babies, doing crafts and playing with puzzles. We are so proud of Emma and cannot wait to see what she does next! Congratulations Emma, we love you!!!

### Pre-K 3 Room News Continued!



We would like to give a big round of applause for our next Pre-K 3 Star of the Month, Lincoln! Lincoln is being recognized for his respect towards others, his eagerness to learn and ability follow directions. This young gentleman is always respectful to his teachers and fellow peers. He is always using kind words and playing well with others. Lincoln never complains and is always happy with whatever he is doing. Lincoln loves spending his time at Bunny Bunch playing dress-up; he especially loves wearing his fireman outfit! He also enjoys playing with cars and coloring. Lincoln has been with us for a few months and has been doing a great job adjusting to daily routine and following directions. He has also improved academically and has made everyone proud of what he can do! Lincoln has improved with potty training, can trace his own name and is able to identify letters and numbers. We look forward to watching Lincoln grow and take on new accomplishments.

Congratulations Lincoln, we love you!!!

### Pre-K 4 Room News

This month's Pre K 4 theme is "Harvest." Our weekly themes will include, 'Harvest', 'Down on the Farm' along with 'Giving Thanks' and 'Celebrating Thanksgiving'! The students are so excited to be celebrating Thanksgiving along with learning how to give thanks to everyone around them. The Pre-k 4 class has been working hard on their writing, letters, numbers, and manners! This month the students will be making a "We Are Thankful" book, acorn art, hand turkey, tree and leaf art and a thankful turkey. For 'Down on the farm' week Mrs. Amy and the children will be learning about cows, horses, pigs, making a barn and a muddy pig craft. For Thanksgiving the students will be making center pieces for thanksgiving, placemats, turkey track craft, fabulous feather art, a pilgrim hat and a feather headband. They will have their first evaluations this month so look for a sign-up sheet for a conference with Mrs. Amy!

We would like to invite our Pre-K 4 class and their parents, grandparents, or any guests they would like to bring to our annual Thanksgiving Feast on Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. You can enjoy lunch with other parents and children to celebrate the holiday! This is a wonderful time to meet all of your child's friends and teachers. Also, if your child does not attend daycare on Thursdays, you are still more than welcome to attend for lunch!

We would love to congratulate **Kyleigh** on being our Pre-K 4 Star of the Month for November! Kyleigh is our Star of the Month for her improvements academically! She is a very smart girl who always strives to do her best! She is doing a fantastic job at learning how to spell and sign her name all

by herself! Each day, Kyleigh is practicing her address and phone number and before you know it she'll have it memorized! Not only does she impress us by how smart she is, but by the way she treats others. Kyleigh is a kind and loving young lady who is always caring towards others. Kyleigh is always the friend who is concerned about others feelings and is always there to comfort them with nice words. Kyleigh is a beautiful girl who is always smiling and having an enjoyable time while here at Bunny Bunch. You can always find her singing and dancing when the music is playing and she loves using her artistic skills by making arts and crafts! Kyleigh has been with Bunny Bunch for a little over three years now and we have absolutely enjoyed watching her grow! Congratulations Kyleigh, we love you!!!



# Pumpkin Fun!

