

# Bunny Bunch Daycare and Pre-K Newsletter

## January 2017

### Important Bunny Bunch News!

December has been another fun and exciting month for the children here at Bunny Bunch! Our visit from Santa and Mrs. Clause was a huge success! The children had a great time playing games, making crafts and eating yummy holiday treats at their parties! All the children also enjoyed putting forth effort into completing their holiday gifts! We hope you all had a warm and happy felt holiday!

**We will be closed Monday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> for New Years! We wish you all a fun and safe holiday!**

January 20<sup>th</sup> is opposite day! Wear socks on your hands, shirts on backwards ect. The children are welcomed to dress silly, and will be talking about opposites on this day. We will also be having "Breakfast" for Lunch!"

**January 6<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> are Sabres Days! Have your child(ren) wear their Sabres gear and support Bufflo!**

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: 01/04 & 01/18

Gymnastics: every Thursday

### Happy Birthday!

Bunny Bunch would like to wish a very happy 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday to William! We would also like to wish a happy birthday to Gianna and AJ who are both turning 3! Lastly, a very special happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday to Nicholas.

### Star Teacher of the Month!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss. Whitney! Miss. Whitney is our Pre-K 3 lead teacher at our Townline Rd. locations and is an important part of our Bunny Bunch team! Miss. Whitney's fun-loving and positive attitude is what makes everyone love being around her. All of the children absolutely adore Miss. Whitney! She is very kind, caring, and patient and always puts 110% into everything she does. She always makes sure that all of the kiddos are happy and having fun learning. Her classroom is decorated so nicely and is very clean and organized; she makes it a great place for the children to be! Not only is she loved by all of the children, but she does a great job communicating with parents and making them feel welcomed! When it comes to helping around the center, Miss. Whitney is always willing to lend an extra hand. She is a very dependable and hardworking employee and we are very grateful for all that she does for us! Congratulations Miss. Whitney!! We love you!!!

### Star Students of the Month!

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:** Gabriel

**Toddlers:** Kennedy & Addisyn

**Pre-K3:** Martin & Brady

**Pre-K 4:** Nicholas

# Infant Room News!

Happy Holidays from the Infant Room! This month's theme is "A Winter Wonderland!" The infants will bring in the New Year with Mrs. Pam by singing snowmen songs and making wintery crafts. These little artists will be making fingerprint snowmen, colorful mittens and marshmallow snowmen! They will be listening to new stories and working on their shapes and colors during circle time. They will also be enjoying the winter season by having the snow brought inside for them to play with! It will sure be a chill, but yet fun month to play and learn!



Congratulations to our Infant Star of the Month, [Gabriel](#)! Gabriel is a handsome and sweet little boy who is a joy to have in the Infant Room! Since starting at Bunny Bunch not too long ago, he has quickly adapted to the daily routine and is enjoying every minute of it! Gabriel has and continues to impress us each day with his accomplishments. He is able to roll over on his own and is working on sitting up very soon! This happy little boy loves to smile while being talked to. Gabriel also loves to spend his time swinging in the swing, snuggling with his teachers and bouncing in the bouncer! He sure is a good bouncer! He is a growing little boy who has a great appetite and loves to eat! We look forward to watching Gabriel grow and reach many more milestones! Congratulations Gabriel, we love you!!!



# Toddler Room News!

As we begin the New Year, we have a new month filled with "Winter Fun!" The toddlers will definitely be busy in the month of January! To begin the month, they will be learning about "Snowmen" in which they will be making a lot of cute crafts! They will be making their own "Frosty" as well as yummy marshmallow snowmen treats! During the next week, "Cold Weather Friends," the children will learn all about all our buddies from the colder lands such as, penguins, polar bears and birds to just name a few! As we start bringing January to an end, we will explore things out of this world with our "Outer Space Fun" week! The children will also be exploring their five senses! The kiddos will be making their own constellations, making portraits of themselves and many other activities as they discover and learn more about these topics! This month will for sure start the year off right!

Look who it is, it's our Toddler Star of the Month, **Kennedy**! Kennedy is a smart and loveable little girl who is doing a fantastic job here at Bunny Bunch! Kennedy is making great strides and is improving each day! This smart little girl has been talking a lot more and participating during circle time and daily activities! This little ray of sunshine is always happy and can be found with a big smile on her face! Kennedy is a kind little girl who is always taking care of others and making sure that they are alright. She is an outgoing and energetic little girl who loves having fun and can brighten anyone's day! She enjoys spending her time playing with baby dolls, singing and dancing and crafts and loves to have circle time! This beautiful little girl is always charming us with her cuteness keeping us entertained! We can't wait to see what she does to impress us with next! Congratulations Kennedy, we love you!!!



Congratulations to [Addisyn](#) on being our Toddler Star of the Month! Addisyn is a sweet and loving little girl who is an absolute joy to have in our toddler room! This little girl is such a good friend to everyone, she loves comforting her friends and helping her teachers. Addisyn is a happy and polite young lady who is always smiling and using her manners. You can always find her with a smile on her face and helping those around her! She certainly is a cutie and will definitely charm you with her smile! Addisyn is a very smart girl who knows all of her shapes, colors, ABCs and her 123s! We are very impressed on her over-all performance and abilities that she continues to show while in our care! She absolutely loves to learn and play with her friends. Addisyn loves to sing songs, play with baby dolls and reading stories. We continue to look forward to watching Addisyn grow and accomplish new things! Congratulations Addisyn, we love you!!!





# Pre-K 3 Room News!

We all here at Bunny Bunch hope that the holidays were enjoyable for all and filled with many new memories made with family and friends! As we look to start the New Year it is amazing to look back and see how much the children have learned thus far! Looking ahead, the year 2017 rings in the month of January and a flurry of new experiences and activities to go along with our monthly theme, "Snow." Ms. Collen and the children will be busy the first two weeks focusing on "Snowmen" and "Mitten Weather." The children will be making snowmen and other fun snow crafts! The next weekly theme, "Cold Weather Friends," will have us listening to stories, singing songs and learning about polar bears, penguins and birds. Our fourth weeks will be "Starry, Starry, Night," and it will give the children the opportunity to learn about constellations, outer space and astronauts. We will end this month with learning about "Community Workers." The children will be learning about all the different workers that make up a community. The pre-k class is sure going to start of the New Year right!

Congratulations to our Pre-K 3 Star of the Month, **Brady**! Brady is a bright young man who absolutly impresses us each day! He does an outstanding job during circle time and following everyday instruction. Brady has shown big improvments with his speech and letter



recognition and sounds! He is able to count to 10 and recite all of his shapes and colors! This well mannered young man is always using his manners, saying "please" and "thank you." He is a kind hearted boy who always cares for others. Brady is always going the extra mile to lend a helping hand to his teachers and friends! Brady is a happy kid who loves coming to Bunny Bunch and playing with his friends! He loves to sing songs, read stories and play with cars. Brady always has a smile on his face and sure knows how to make those around him laugh! We have been watching Brady grow and accomplish new tasks since the Infant Room and look forward to what he does next! Congratulations Brady, we love you!!!



Congratulations to our Pre-K 3 Star of the Month, [Martin](#)! Martin has been doing a fantastic job and is making great strides since starting at Bunny Bunch! This smart boy has shown improvements with naming his shapes and colors. He has also done a fantastic job at potty training and has mastered it! Martin is a happy and handsome young man who goes on about his day with a smile on his face! His caring and thoughtful personality is what has all his friends and teachers know and like him for! Martin is always willing to share with his friends and lend a helping hand to his teachers. Martin is the perfect role model for his overall behavior and willingness to learn. This fun boy loves playing with all of his friends especially building with big blocks, coloring and in the car center! We are so proud of Martin and continue to look forward to what he accomplishes next! Congratulations Martin, we love you!!!



# Pre-K 4 Room News!

Mrs. Amy and her little helpers have had a blast preparing for Christmas! The children really enjoyed making their Christmas gifts for their families along with many other holiday crafts! We hope that everyone had a happy and healthy holiday!

Along with the new year brings new months for learning! That is why this month's theme is "A New Year for Learning!" In our first week, "The Wonderful World of Books," the children will be learning all about books as they read some new and familiar stories. They will be reading books such as, If You Give a Mouse a Cookie and Chicka Chicka Boom Boom and will be engaging in activities to go along with each book. The children will be having fun as they create their very own class book! Next, Mrs. Amy and her students will be having a blast as they jump in and have "Fun with Snow" during their next weekly theme! They will be creating a snowman, making a mitten craft and even be painting with ice! The following week is all about "Winter Animals!" They will be learning about penguins, polar bears and birds! We will also be working on opposites as we celebrate "Opposite Day" at the end of the week! We end this month by learning about "Planets and Outer Space!" During this week these little smarties will be learning about constellations, telescopes, and space ships! This pre-k class will be starting the new year off right!

**Nicholas** is the Star of the Month for his kindness towards others and over-all performance during class! Nicholas comes to school each day with a smile on his face ready to learn. He is a very happy and sweet young man who brings a lot of joy and kindness to our Pre-K 4 classroom! Nicholas' funny and caring personality fills the room with laughter and warmth. This well behaved and smart young man is always setting a good example for others. He does a fantastic job at following directions and completing tasks. Nicholas can always be found engaged, ready to participate in large and small group settings. This smart boy is now able to spell his first name and is almost able to recite his address! Nicholas really enjoys playing with big legos, listening to stories and singing. Nicholas is a bright young man who always gives 100% percent in all that he does! Congratulations Nicholas, we love you!!!





# Christmas Activities

