

Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K Newsletter

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Important Bunny Bunch News!

Bunny Bunch still wants to reassure our families that we continue to take additional steps to keep our classrooms as safe as possible for our children and teachers. The well-being of our Bunny Bunch family still and will always remain our number one priority. As always, we thank you for your support and for trusting your children to our care.

Reminder: Tuition is always due the Friday before attendance!

The daycare will be closed on **September 7th** in observance for Labor Day. We hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday!

Water days scheduled for August are as follows:

Tuesday, August 11th

Friday, August 21st

Please bring in your child's bathing suit, along with a towel with his/her name on them.

A bike day is scheduled for Wednesday, **August 26th**. Please bring in your child's bike along with their labeled helmet!

New York State now requires daycare centers to practice "Shelter in Place Drills" in case of scenarios such as weather related situations. The center will be conducting a shelter in place drill on **August 12th**.

Happy Birthday!

This month we would like to wish Parker, Vivian and Phoebe a very happy 2nd birthday, Joey and Harley a very 3rd birthday, Nicholas a very happy 4th birthday, Joshua a very happy 5th birthday and a very happy 7th birthday to Hunter. We would also like to wish Miss. Renee a very happy birthday this month! We wish that you all have a wonderful day!

Star Teacher of the Month!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss.

Taylor from our Boulevard location! Miss. Taylor has been with Bunny Bunch for a year now and has proven herself to be a valuable asset to our Bunny Bunch team! Miss. Taylor has recently been promoted to be our Lead Toddler teacher and we couldn't be happier with the decision and her overall work ethic and love for the children. Her dedication and hard work for her job definitely does not go unnoticed. Miss. Taylor comes to work each day with a positive attitude, ready to take on what the day has to offer. We are so thankful for a teacher who has great communication skills, excellent work ethic and a kind heart who ultimately wants the best for the company. Miss. Taylor can be counted on to be a reliable and helpful employee. She is always willing to help in any circumstance and when needed. She is an interactive teacher who is always making sure the children are staying engaged and having fun. Her patience and calming voice is a quality that is loved by each and every child. It certainly gives them a sense of acceptance to the classroom and also cared for. We are more than confident that Miss. Taylor will do a fantastic job leading the class. Congratulations Miss. Taylor, 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: Kaleb

Toddlers: Daniel

Pre-K 3: Meadow

Pre-K 4: Fiona



Infant Room News!

"Fun at the Zoo" is August's theme in the infant room! Miss Pam and the babies will be starting the month off by using animal cookie cutters to play with play dough. The infants will also be sponge painting grey elephants. The following week the infants will be painting stripes on a zebra and taking a "nature" walk outdoors. The next week they will be using their sensory skills to paint chocolate pudding bears and making handprint giraffes. To end our month the infants will be exploring their sense of touch by playing with cool whip. They will also listen and imitate animal noises! It is sure to be a zoo-errific month in the Infant Room!



Congratulations to our Infant Star of the Month, **Kaleb**! Kaleb is an adorable and growing little boy who is a joy to have in the Infant Room! He has been with Bunny Bunch for a little while now and he has quickly adapted to the daily routine and is enjoying every minute of it! Kaleb has and continues to impress us each day with his accomplishments. He is always on the move and can be found bringing a lot of excitement throughout the room! Kaleb can now crawl and pull himself up! He is definitely a busy boy! He loves to play on the floor as he explores all of the toys and loves to bounce in the bouncer! Kaleb is a sweet boy with the most handsome smile and blue eyes. He definitely knows how to charm his teachers into snuggling, which they all love to do! We look forward to watching Kaleb grow and watch what he accomplishes next! Congratulation Kaleb, we love you!!!



Toddler Room News!

The theme this month in the Toddler Room is "Lazy Days of Summer!" The toddler will start the month off by learning all about "Sports." Baseball, football, hockey, soccer, basketball, you name it and the toddlers will be learning about it during this fun week! They will be doing many fun crafts and will also be getting a lot of exercise while they learn all about these fun sports. The following week will have the kiddos learning about "Zoo Animals." They will be making fun crafts as they learn about the different animals they can see at the zoo, such as paper plate monkeys and finger painting zebras. The next week, which will be a fun one for these cuties, will have them learning all about "Clowns & The Circus." They will be making clown hats, popcorn craft, and circus tents, as well as doing fun activities as they learn about what can be seen at the circus! Then the children will then switch gears and learn about "Pets." They will make many fun animals' crafts and read fun stories about different types of pets, as well as talk about their own pets. We will end this fun month learning about "Gardens." The children will be putting their artistic skills to use while they make fruit and vegetable collages, fruit stamps, and carrots paintings. The toddlers will continue to work on their colors, shapes, and letters throughout the month, as well continue with Circle Time! Altogether, it looks like another busy and fun for the toddlers!

The Toddlers will be having a Water Day on August 11th and 21st! Please bring in and label your child's swim suit, towel and water shoes or sandals on these days. Thank you!

The Toddler Room is happy to announce that **Daniel** is our Star of the Month for August! Daniel is a sweet and loveable little boy who is such a joy to have in our Toddler Room. Since starting at Bunny Bunch as an Infant, he has completely opened-up and has come out of his shell. His constant happy mood and kind personality are what makes all of his teacher and friends love being around him. He loves to learn new things, especially during Circle Time! He does a great job at participating and loves when it is time to sing songs! Daniel is a kind and easy going kid who gets along with all of his friends. He does a great job sharing and playing nicely! He loves when it is time to play outside, when his teacher reads a story and playtime in the kitchen center. Daniel is a kind boy who is always following the rules and on his best behavior. He does very well at sharing toys and using his manners! He does a great job at clean-up time too! We are very proud of Daniel in the young boy that he is becoming! Way to go Daniel, we love you!!!





Pre-K 3 Room News!

What is August..? Hot weather, fun at the beach, and cool treats! For all of us at Bunny Bunch, it also means soaking up the fun and the sun! So far the children have enjoyed our summer curriculum, especially the water day activities, outdoor play, and theme related snacks!

Our monthly theme is "Fun in the Sun!" The children will start the month off learning about "Olympics." They will be learning all about the Olympic Games, making ribbons and flags, and will also be playing fun games outside! The next week will focus on "Summer Art." These little artists will be painting with bubbles, drawing with chalk, making self-portraits, and creating many more fun and creative crafts! The following week will have the children "At the Beach." The children will be making fun beach crafts such as sea shells and sand castles. The last week of August will be a fun one for the children as they enjoy their last week of summer. "Lazy Summer" will have the children making more fun summer crafts, getting some more outdoor playtime, and talking about the fun they had throughout the summer. August is going to be a fun summer month for these kiddos!

The Pre-k 3 class will be having a Water Day on August 11th and 21st! Please bring in and label your child's swim suit, towel and water shoes or sandals on these days. Thank you!

We will also be having a Bike Day on August 26th! Please bring your child's bike along with his/her helmet with their names labeled on both. Children may not ride if they do not have a helmet. Thank you!



We would like to give big congratulations to **Meadow** on being Star of the Month in August! Meadow is our Star of the Month for his outstanding behavior and accomplishments! Meadow has really blossomed and loves coming to school to be with all of her teacher and friends.

She does a wonderful job at participating each day! This smart girl absolutely loves to learn and can always be found bringing excitement and laughs throughout the classroom. She is able to recognize her letters and numbers, is working on potty training and does a great job at following directions. Not only is Meadow a very smart girl, but she is always leading by example! She does a fantastic job using her manners, following directions and playing nicely with friends. You can always find Meadow giggling and using her imagination! We absolutely love watching Meadow open-up and grow through learning and play. Meadow is truly a sweetheart who cares a lot about her teachers and friends! Meadow loves playing with all of his friends, especially outside, with little people or in kitchen. We are confident that Meadow is going to do great in Pre-k 3!

Congratulations Meadow, we love you!!!



Pre-K 4 & Day Camp News!

The month of July was a lot of fun for the children at Bunny Bunch! The children were scientists, chefs, and even pirates! They had so much fun doing science experiments, making their own lunches, and making fun pirate crafts and snacks! The month of August is sure to bring more fun to Bunny Bunch! We are going to start the month with our weekly theme of "Dr. Seuss." The children are going to be doing lots of reading, rhyming, and many fun crafts to go along as they learn all about Dr. Seuss! The following week, "Disney Week," will be one that all the children will enjoy! They will be doing crafts and learning activities that focus on well-known Disney movies! They will be making superhero handprints, minion bowling, doing a Disney color by number, and will even be voting on which Disney movie to watch at the end of the week! Our next week in August will give the children going "Camping." The children will turn into little campers as they go on a nature hunt, make smores and bird feeders, create a "campfire" and do many more fun outdoor and camping activities and crafts! The children will sure be having fun during "Circus Week" which is to follow. These little clowns will be painting cotton candy, making elephant masks, doing circus math, and talking about what they would do if they joined the circus! We are going to end this month, and this fun summer, with "Bunny Bunch Olympics!"

The children will be learning all about Olympics while making fun crafts and playing fun games outside.

Throughout the month the children will be having lots of fun as they do lots of learning!

The Summer Camp kids will be having a Water Day on August 11th and 21st! Please bring in and label your child's swim suit, towel and water shoes or sandals on these days. Thank you!

We will also be having a Bike Day on August 26th! Please bring your child's bike along with his/her helmet with their names labeled on both. Children may not ride if they do not have a helmet. Thank you!

We would love to congratulate **Fiona** on being our Pre-K 4 Star of the Month for August! Fiona is our Star of the Month for her ability to set a positive example every day and her willingness to help others! She is a very smart girl who always strives to do her best! She is doing a fantastic job in class and is able to recite her letters and their sounds, numbers and sight words. Each day, Fiona is eager to learn and will continue to impress us with all that she knows! Not only does she impress us by how smart she is, but by the way she treats others. Fiona is a kind and loving young lady who is always caring towards others. Fiona is always the friend who is concerned about others feelings and is always there to comfort them with nice words. She is a beautiful girl with a matching personality who is always smiling and enjoying her time here at Bunny Bunch. Fiona has blossomed and is socially engaging with her friends and teachers. You can always find her in the grocery center, reading books and building with blocks. We are more than confident that Fiona will do great next year in Kindergarten.

Congratulations Fiona, we love you!!!





Water Day!

