



🎄 December 2020 🎄

Notes from the Directors...

We hope all of our families had an enjoyable Thanksgiving with loved ones!

December is here! A month filled with excitement, laughter and cheer! There will be a lot of fun things planned for the children do! Please keep a look-out for reminders of upcoming events!

Please remember, tuition is always due by the Friday before attendance!

If you may have any questions, please call the office at (716) 731-5948!

Upcoming Events!

The holidays are near and the children will be able to do special shopping days for their loved ones from Monday, November 30th - Friday, December 4th.

Have your children wear green on Friday, December 4th to celebrate Grinch Day!

It's Ugly Sweater Day on Friday, December 11th!

The children may wear their holiday pajamas on Friday, December 18th as they embark on a day filled with many Polar Express activities!

Each class will have a Christmas party on Wednesday, December 23rd!

UPK will be on winter recess from Thursday, December 24th through Friday, January 1st.

The facility will be closed on Thursday, December 24th and Friday, December 25th! Merry Christmas!

The facility will be closing on Thursday, December 31st at 5pm and will be closed on Friday, January 1st.

Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Philip a happy 1st birthday, Alex a happy 4th birthday and a happy 5th birthday to Rose, Emercyn, Ryleigh, Paul, Liam, Melina, Tim, Jack, Jasleen and Owen! We would also like to wish Miss. Taylor, Miss. Carmen, Miss. Sarah and Miss. Claire a happy birthday as well! We hope you all have a wonderful day!

Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Tiana from our Ward Rd location. Miss Tiana has been with Bunny Bunch for almost a year now and has truly done an incredible job caring for and watching over all of the kiddos as they grow and learn! Miss Tiana typically works in our Toddler Room but does an amazing job in any room she is working in. Her kind, gentle and patient personality is what makes all of the children, employees and parents comfortable. Miss Tiana is so playful with the children and they all absolutely adore her! Miss Tiana does an amazing job making sure the needs of every single child are met and she gives her all each and every day. She is extremely reliable and is willing to go above and beyond with any task she is given. Miss Tiana is a very hard worker and we cannot thank her enough for all that she does for the children and the center as a whole. Congratulations Miss Tiana! We love you!!

Star Students!

Each month we have a "Star Student" of the month. The lead teacher will make the choice. Certificates and prizes will be available to the children at the beginning of each month. The teacher will base their decision on growth and development, relating to others, and other STAR qualities! 😊

Our wonderful Star Students this month are...

INFANTS: Philip

TODDLERS: Rosalie

PRE-K 3: Alex and Reagan

UPK: Owen, Rose, Jack, Gianna, Vinnie, Liam, Roger, Harley, Grant, Savannah, Logan, Jasleen and Salvatore

Infant Room News!

December



Our theme this month is:

A Snowy Christmas!



Happy Holidays from the Infant Room! As we welcome the month of December, we get ready for a fun month of celebrations! "A Snowy Christmas" is this month's theme. The babies will be busy throughout the month preparing for the holidays. We will be reading Christmas stories, learning new songs, and dancing to Christmas music. Along with those fun activities, the babies will be doing many cute crafts, including Christmas reindeers and candy canes! They will also be making Mommy's and Daddy's Christmas gifts. We hope that everyone has a fun and safe holiday!

Important Notes and Reminders:

We will be sending home any swaddles or sleepsacks at the end of each week to be washed. Thank you!

Don't forget to label all bottles, sippy cups, pacifiers, and any other items your child brings in with their **first & last name**. Thanks!

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Christmas party will be on Wednesday, December 23rd! Have your child wear red or green!

Happy Birthday to Philip who
turns 1 this month!



Congratulations to
our Infant Star of
the Month,

Philip Richards!

Infant Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our Infant Star of the Month, **Philip**! This always smiling, adorable, and easy going little boy brings so much joy to our Infant room each and everyday! Philip is constantly in a good mood and always full of smiles. He started with us in the summertime and has quickly adapted to the room and was quickly adored by all of his teachers. This little handsome guy has also made many new friends that all love him! Philip loves to watch and play with all of his friends! He does a great job at sharing and playing nicely. Philip is an easy-going boy who is well behaved. We are so proud of Philip and how much he has grown here. Since starting, Philip is now able to sit up, crawl and pull himself up. We are having so much fun watching him grow and do new things! Congratulations Philip, we love you!!!

Toddler
Room
News!

December



Our theme this month is:



Holiday Fun!



Our weather gets colder and the snow starts to fall, December will bring happy holidays for all!

This month will be full of "Holiday Fun!" The toddlers will kick off the month with

"Celebrations" where they will be talking about Hanukkah and Kwanza and making fun crafts to go along. The next two weeks will bring

"Christmas" to our Toddler Room! The kiddos are sure to have lots of fun as they prepare for the upcoming holiday by making candy cane

crafts, Rudolph ornaments, and even decorating Christmas cookies. The last week of the month will have the children preparing for the New

Year! They will be making silver bells, party hats, and talking about the upcoming year!

December is definitely going to be a fun-filled month as the children get ready for the holidays!

IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

We are asking that each child bring in a blanket for themselves for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!

Don't forget to label all sippy cups and any other items your child brings in. Thanks!

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Congratulations to
our Toddler Star of
the Month,

Rosalie Bigouette!

Toddler Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the Month, **Rosalie**! This little sweetheart is doing such an amazing job and we are very proud of her! Rosalie is such a happy, loving, and funny little girl who is never anything but wonderful. She absolutely loves coming to school and couldn't be any happier to be here. This little sunshine is constantly in a good mood, full of smiles and can be found laughing contagiously. She sure knows how to make the classroom a happy place. Rosalie is such a sweet friend who loves to give hugs and is always willing to share and play nicely with all of her friends. She is always excited to see her friends walk through the gate of the classroom and is ready to play! Rosalie enjoys playing with baby dolls, blowing bubbles and listening to stories. We are so proud of the friend Rosalie is and how smart she is too!

Rosalie loves to jump right up during Circle Time to sing songs, likes to participate in activities and does a great job with direction! We are having so much fun watching this beautiful girl blossom and cannot wait to see what she does next! Congratulations Rosalie, we love you!!

Pre-k 3 Room
News!

December



Our theme this month is:



Lets Celebrate! 

The stockings will be hung in our windows for Santa Clause soon to be here! Happy faces, busy hands-painting, wrapping presents, and coloring are just a few of the sights and sounds of December in our Pre-K 3 room! Our monthly theme, "Countdown the Days to Christmas" will bring a new month of learning. We will begin to experience cold, snowy days and anticipate the arrival of winter, we will also be learning about "Holidays Around the World." The children will be doing a lot of fun crafts and activities to learn about Hannakah and Kwanza traditions. The week of "Holiday Art" and "Here Comes Christmas" will be filled with stories, songs, and holiday crafts. During the last week, "Winter and a New Year," activities will center about the arrival of a new season and the New Year! We know that this pre-k class will have a wonderful month preparing for the holiday season!

Happy Birthday to Alex who
turns 4 this month!



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If your child naps, we are asking that they bring in a blanket for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!

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Congratulations to
our Pre-k 3 Star
of the Month,

Alex Burke and
Reagan Bevacqua!



Pre-K 3 Stars Of The Month

Congratulations to our oh so sweet, caring, smart, polite, and all around fantastic Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month, **Reagan**! Reagan is doing a great job learning new things, following directions and being polite. She continues to set a good example and be a role model for her peers! This happy and kind little girl brings so much joy to our classroom! She is always full of smiles and excitement, using her manners and having so much fun playing with all of her friends. Reagan gets along with absolutely everyone and is such a great friend. She is always so sweet and continuously wanting to make her friends happy. Reagan is very artistic and loves to be crafty! She especially loves to show her

mom and other her beautiful art work! Reagan has taken on a positive role throughout the classroom by always saying "please" and "thank you," following directions and being focused on learning. This smart girl is able to recognize her letters, spell her name without prompting and cut with scissors. We couldn't be more proud of the little girl she is and is becoming! Congratulations Reagan, we love you!!!

Congratulations to our second Pre-k 3 Star of the Month, **Alex**! Alex is a very kind, polite, and hardworking young man that we are proud of! He has been doing such an amazing job at Circle Time and spelling his name without any help! Alex always takes the time to do his very best job at all his work. Alex is always on his best behavior and does a great job at setting a good example for others. We are so proud of the smart and well-mannered boy that he is! This easy-going young man always goes with the flow of things and is always following directions. He does a fantastic job playing with others, showing kindness and helping others. We are so proud of the sweet boy that he is!

Alex plays well with others and is liked by all of his friends. He is always full of smiles and laughing with all of his friends! While here at Bunny Bunch Alex enjoys building with blocks, playing with Legos and in our kitchen center. We have been so lucky to watch Alex grow the past few years and we continue to look forward to see what he continues to achieve!

Congratulations Alex, we love you!!!



UPK
News!

December



Our theme this month is:

Lets Celebrate!



Tis the season... especially in the UPK Rooms! In November we spent a lot of time remembering what we are thankful for as well as learning about Thanksgiving. The class is now ready for December as they get ready to start celebrating Christmas and the winter season. Our monthly theme is "Let's Celebrate!" The first week, "Holidays Around the World," will have the children learning about Hannukah and Kwanza with many fun games and crafts. The next three weeks, "Santa's Workshop," "Christmas is Near," and "Merry Christmas" will be a busy time for the children as they get ready for Santa. We will be decorating the room, making reindeer headbands, talking about what we would do if we were elves, and many, many more fun crafts and activities! The children will also be continuing working on their letters, vocabulary, and other learning skills with fun holiday activities. We end this fun month with "Countdown to New Year's" which will have the children making a New Year's Resolution class book and fun party hats. December is definitely going to be a fun month in our UPK rooms!

Happy Birthday to Rose, Emercyn, Ryleigh, Paul, Liam, Melina, Tim, Jack, Jasleen and Owen who turn 4!



IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS

Unfortunately, due to the circumstances this year we ask that you do not bring any home items/toys besides your child's backpack, folder, and water bottle.

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Congratulations to our UPK Stars of the Month,

Owen Johnson, Rose Leon, Jack Antonelli, Gianna Davignon, Vinnie Belair, Liam Daoust, Roger Truneo, Harley Tong, Grant McGilveary, Savannah Barry, Logan Nicosia, Jasleen Bhuller and Salvatore Giacometti



Owen



Rose



Jack



Gianna



Vincent



Liam



Roger



Harley




Savannah



Grant



Logan



Owen will be 5 years old at the end of the month! He can print his name and knows how to spell his first and last name. He is a very smart boy who knows his letters, shapes, numbers, as well as his birthday and address! Owen loves to play with his peers. He plays well with his friends and is cooperative in centers where he shares and trades. He is friendly, caring and kind and in return he is well liked by his classmates. His favorite things to do include playing with waffle blocks and magnets. He likes to buy food from the grocery store, especially apples and oranges. Owen is a terrific active participant and listener during circle time as well as always approaching tasks and activities with a positive attitude. Congratulations Owen, we love you!!

Rose is a delightful and sweet girl who will be turning 5 years old very soon! Rose gets along well with other children. She works, plays, and shares cooperatively. She is an active participant at circle time and she listens attentively. Rose partakes in classroom conversations, singing and movement activities. She is so smart who already knows her letters, numbers, and shapes. Rose is very athletic. She can gallop, skip, and hop on one foot. Her favorite things to do at school are playing in the grocery store, play dough, cutting with scissors, reading books, coloring and making crafts. Rose shows pride in herself and her classwork. We are so proud of you Rose! Congratulations Rose, We love you!!!

Jack always has such a positive attitude in the classroom! Each day he comes in ready to learn and greets everyone with a warm smile on his face. He has fantastic manners and is very respectful by always using his please and thank you's as well as listening and letting his peers finish before chiming in! He is always ready to try his hardest as soon as he comes into the class! His tracing skills have improved exceptionally, and his cutting skills are out of this world! Jack loves listening to books and playing with his incredible imagination when we play with farm animals! Jack is sure to make his teachers and friends laugh and smile due to his great mood! Congratulations Jack, we love you!!!

Gianna is a hard worker who is doing an excellent job in Pre-K! She has been learning and displaying our school habits daily. She has become such a role model for her peers. Gianna is a kind, sweet, friend and is always willing to help her teachers and classmates. She always offers a helping hand to her friends when cleaning up! She takes her time on her schoolwork and does her very best! She has become an expert at using scissors, coloring and gluing! She has a great imagination and loves to play in our creative play grocery store! Gianna sets a prime example in our classroom and we love to see her each day! Congratulations Gianna, we love you!!!

Vinnie has been having a great year in UPK! He has made some wonderful friends in our class! Vinnie loves to build towers and racetracks with his friends during center time. He uses kind words when he talks with his friends and always makes everyone feel happy when he plays with them. Reading has become very important very important to Vinnie, he enjoys reading "Dr. Suess ABC" with his class and in the library. When we share stories during circle time, Vinnie has too many good ideas to talk about after we have read a story together. Vinnie is a rock star when it comes to writing all of his letters and numbers as well! Not only is Vinnie a great friend to have in our class, he is also a fantastic helper! Vinnie loves to help our "lonely chairs" find their way back to their tables. We are so proud of you Vinnie! Congratulations Vinnie, we love you!!!

Liam has opened up so much since the beginning of our school year! He talks so much more with his friends and teachers, it is so nice to learn more and more about him! Liam has been spotted helping others to organize games and activities on the playground and during center time. He is such a good leader! When Liam is not building towers in the block center, he is making his friends laugh! Liam has a great sense of humor and makes us all smile. Our friend Liam is very smart as well, he can write his name and loves working on science experiments with our class. We have so many more fun things to learn and play. We are so lucky to have Liam as our friend and helper along the way!


Congratulations Liam, we love you!!!

Roger has been chosen as a December Star of the Month in Miss Allison's classroom because of the exceptional example he sets for the class. Roger is a role model for other classmates. He listens to his teachers and follows all the rules of the classroom! He is very polite and has amazing manners as well! He always uses "please" and "thank you" and waits patiently for his turn! Roger is very social and plays so well with all of his peers. Roger is very intelligent and excels in math. He is so good at counting objects and number recognition. Roger loves to play with blocks and magnets when it comes to center time! He is always willing to share with his friends which makes his peers want to be in groups with him! He also loves to participate in circle time when we do our months, days, and numbers! Congratulations Roger, we love you!!!

Harley has been chosen as a December Star of the Month in Miss Allison's class for a number of reasons! Harley always listens to his teachers and knows each rule of the classroom by heart! Harley is a social butterfly and loves to tell stories to his friends and teachers. He is a very intelligent little boy who is doing amazing at writing with a pencil, and using scissors and glue! Harley is also quite the athlete. He can run, skip, and even gallop with ease! His imagination goes to use in the block center where he builds houses, towers, and even towns! Harley loves to sing especially at the end of the day when we are getting ready to say our goodbyes on the rug! Harley sets a great example to his peers when it comes to turning on his listening ears and paying attention to stories or during circle time. Way to go Harley! Congratulations Harley, we love you!!!

Savannah has been chosen as Star of the Month for December because of her sweet and caring attitude! Savannah is always making good choices and always following the rules. She has shown more and more of her bubbly personality each day! Miss Renee can always count on Savannah to lend a helping hand to her teachers and friends. She has learned so much since the beginning of the year but she is most proud of being able to spell her very long name all on her own! She is such a hard worker and never gives up! Savannah especially likes doing crafts and playing in our dramatic play area, both of which show how creative this little girl is! Congratulations Savannah, we love you!!!

Grant was chosen as Star Student for the month of December because of his positive attitude and his "I can" work ethic! Grant is a sweet little boy who has made so many friends in our classroom. He is always willing to participate in class discussions and is always so excited to try new things! Grant's confidence is growing so much and his silly personality shines through more and more each day. He is also such a great helper in the classroom. He loves getting his daily job and helping his friends and teacher in any way that he can. We love how Grant is so kind to everyone! Grant loves to build with blocks in our block center and complete crafts that he can take home to show his mom and dad! We are so proud of you Grant! Congratulations Grant, we love you!!!



Logan is being recognized as Star of the Month this month for his consistent enthusiasm and positive attitude! He always approaches each activity with optimism and determination. Logan is a hard worker and always puts forth his best effort. He loves to help his teacher and friends in the classroom by completing his daily job, cleaning up and helping whenever it is needed! He is a diligent worker who had made great progress with his writing, coloring and cutting skills. Logan loves to make up jokes, laugh and have fun with his friends. He has a vivid, engaging imagination that is seen any time he plays with the cars, on the playground or in the grocery store center! We are so proud of you Logan! Congratulations Logan, we love you!!!

Jasleen is a part of our virtual program at Bunny Bunch, however she is a familiar face to us as she used to attend our Ward Road location! Jasleen has always been a star student but we are recognizing her this month because of her polite, friendly and hardworking attitude towards school! She joins in calls every day with a vibrant smile and completes beautiful work! She is always eager to complete her work and does so in a delicate and precise way, so they always turn out wonderfully! Jasleen is always kind and friendly as well as patient with her friends when we are on zoom calls. Congratulations Jasleen, we love you!!!

Salvatore is being recognized this month for being polite, funny, and eager to learn! Sal is always ready to participate and has grown her independence more and more throughout the year! He loves social time on zoom calls because he gets to talk to all of his friends! Sal loves hockey and shows off his super cool equipment during calls! He also has siblings he loves to bring on for everyone to meet! Sal is such a funny little boy who has funny remarks that keeps us all smiling. He loves to learn and is never hesitant to ask if he has a question about anything! Sal is so kind and caring. He always greets the class as well as the teacher asking about their day. We are so proud of you Salvatore! Congratulations Salvatore, we love you!!!

Thanksgiving Feast and Pajama Day!



