

# BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER

October 2020

## Notes From The Director...

With a new school year well underway, October is sure a busy and exciting time here at Bunny Bunch! Each classroom will be having fun by learning and discussing the topics of fire safety and the change in season! Lastly, we will end the month by having fun celebrating Halloween!

We would like to let all our families know how much we appreciate all of your cooperation with our current policies. If you ever have any questions, feel free to call the office at 731-5948.

## Upcoming Events!

Help us cheer on our home team of the Buffalo Bills by dressing your child in their Bills gear every Friday in October.

Every child in the center will be painting a pumpkin to take home! We ask that you return your pumpkin money, along with the slip to your child's teacher by Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>!

Our Halloween party for all classrooms will be on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>. We encourage all children to bring in their costumes, labeled and in a bag.

## Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Liz from our Townline Road location! Miss Liz is an extremely dedicated, loving, and thoughtful teacher. She has been working in our Pre-K 3 Room lately and we are very grateful for all that she has been doing for the children and for the room. She is constantly making sure all of the children are happy, safe, and having fun! She is very considerate of each child and their needs and it is very evident how much she truly cares about each and every child. All of the children absolutely adore her and are always so excited to see her. Miss Liz makes learning fun for the Pre-K class and there are always lots of smiles and happy faces in the room! Miss Liz is also always willing to help out around the center and lend an extra hand whenever needed. All of her hard work, patience, and kindness do not go unnoticed. Thank you for all you do miss Liz!! Congratulations!! We love you!!!

## Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Kaleb a very happy 1<sup>st</sup> birthday, Addison, Charles, Eleanor, Nasir, Kelsi, Reagan and Brady a happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, Greyson a happy 6<sup>th</sup> birthday and Charlie a happy 8<sup>th</sup> birthday! We would also like to wish Miss. Madison a happy birthday as well! We hope you all have a wonderful day!



## 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:** Kennedy

**TODDLERS:** Owen

**PRE-K 3:** Isaac

**UPK:** Abigail K., Delaney, Angelo, Brady, Nathaniel L., Nathaniel C., Jack and Emma

## Infant Room News!

# October



### Our theme this month is:

*5 Senses!*

The infants will be busy doing a lot of entertaining activities that will stimulate their different senses.

The babies will have fun making Kool-Aid, play dough and painting with leaves. For Columbus Day the babies will be creating handprint Nina Pinta and

Santa Maria boats. The babies will play with different types of textures throughout the month of October. Miss Pam will be using her creative side and making handprint leaf trees. With one of our favorite holidays at the end of the month, the infants will get ready to celebrate Halloween by decorating pumpkins and making fun candy corn mobiles! We will be ending the month with making "Frakenfeet", handprint witches and painting pumpkins! October is sure to be a fun and exciting month for our infants!

### 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!

Buffalo Bills dress-down day will be every Friday in October!

\$3 pumppkin money is due to your child's teacher, in an envelope by Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>.

Happy Birthday to Kaleb who  
turns 1 this month!



Congratulations to  
our Infant Star of  
the Month,  
**Kennedy!**

# Infant Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our next Infant Star of the Month, **Kennedy**! Kennedy is growing up fast and impressing us more and more each day! This adorable little girl is always full of smiles and in the best of moods! She will melt your heart with her beautiful and happy smile! Kennedy is developing more and more throughout her time here at Bunny Bunch! She is a smart girl who can now sit-up on her own and is working on mastering crawling! She loves coming to daycare to play with all of her friends! Kennedy enjoys music time and singing songs, playing on the floor and cuddling! All the teachers absolutely love coming in the baby room to spend time with her. We are so happy to have Kennedy as part of our Infant room and look forward to watching her grow!

Congratulations Kennedy, we love you!!!





Our theme this month is:  
*Fun with 5 Senses!*

Fall Fun! This month the Toddler room will be filled with lots of "Fall Fun." The first half of the month will be an exciting time with "Fire Safety" and "Fall Fun." The toddlers will be getting ready for the firemen visit by creating firemen hats, marble painting flames, fire truck art and fire hydrant painting. They will make fun Fall crafts such as a tissue paper trees and leaf sun catchers. They will also use their creativity and make a Columbus boat for Columbus Day. The second half of the month will be spent preparing for the upcoming holiday. The toddlers will be decorating pumpkins, creating a scarecrow, making handprint bats and decorating treat bags for Halloween! We will be ending the month with our fun Halloween party on October 30<sup>th</sup>!

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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Bring in your child's Halloween costume, labeled and in a bag for their party on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>!

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Owen!

# Toddler Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our Toddler Star of the Month, **Owen**! Owen is a happy and energetic young man who is full of life and a pleasure to have here at Bunny Bunch! His contagious smile, laugh and excitement all bring a lot of happiness to the room! We have watched Owen grow for a while now and we certainly love watching his growth! This smart boy is doing a fantastic job at making improvements towards potty training and does a fantastic job at reciting his numbers and shapes at Circle Time! Owen absolutely loves to talk, play and be all about dinosaurs! Owen is an outgoing boy who loves playing with all of his friends and making sure they are happy and playing safely. He certainly is the sweetest boy! Owen likes to enjoy his day by singing and dancing; reading stories and putting together puzzles. His kindness towards others and willingness to help his teachers is something we adore! We certainly love having him and all the happiness he brings to the room!

Congratulations Owen, we love you!!!



## Our theme this month is:

Fall Fun!

We have counted, painted and tasted apples and now it's time for the children to enjoy what autumn has to offer such as pumpkin painting and the eventful holiday of Halloween! This month's theme is "Colorful Leaves." Our focus will be on seasonal changes that are bold with color and lend themselves to meaningful experiences and art activities. We will be starting our letter of the week Aa craft and book and sponge painting with the letter Aa. This month we will be discussing fire safety. We are excited to be having the firemen visiting us to go along with this theme. We will be making fire safety crafts painting pumpkins to get ready for our upcoming holiday celebration! We will continue to practice our numbers, letters, writing our names and other fundamental skills. In order to prepare for Halloween we will be making bats and witch crafts made from handprints. The children will also be making treat bags for our Halloween party on October 30<sup>th</sup>. This month is sure to be a spooktacular one!

## IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

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!

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



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Bring in your child's Halloween costume, labeled and in a bag for their party on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>!

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

Isaac!



# Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month!



Congratulations to our fun-loving, smart, handsome, and all around fantastic Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month, **Isaac**! Isaac is doing a great job learning new things and has adjusted well to the pre-k routine! This happy and funny young man brings so much joy to our classroom! He is always laughing and making others laugh, playing and having so much fun. Isaac gets along with absolutely everyone and is such a great friend. He is very caring and sweet, he has such a big heart! Isaac has really blossomed into a helpful role throughout the classroom and is always eager to help out. He always asks and looks for things to do, especially if it is helping with passing things out! Isaac has great manners and is always listening to directions! He goes along with the rules of the classroom and is always willing to share. He enjoys playing with cars, blocks and on the playground. We look forward to watching Isaac grow throughout the school year!

Congratulations Isaac, we love you!!!



## Our theme this month is:

Fall Fun!

This month Pre K 4 theme is "Fall Time Fun." Our weekly themes include "Colorful Leaves," "Fire Safety," "Pumpkin Fun," "Nocturnal Animals," and "Halloween Fun." We are excited to have the firefighters coming to visit as we discuss fire safety. The Preschoolers will be creating a colorful fall wreath full of leaves, marble leave painting and collecting and sorting different types of leaves. During fire safety week they will be making handprint fire fighters and a dot to dot fire truck picture and marble painting fire hose. To prepare for Halloween the children will be painting pumpkins, making handprint pumpkins, using their imagination to make a plate Jack O Lantern, puffy paint ghosts and making foot print ghosts. They will also be decorating their own treat bags! During the week of "Nocturnal Animals" we will be learning about animals of the night and their feeding preferences and habitats. They will be learning about fire flies and owls and making a daytime and night time chart. This month is sure to be a witchtastic month!

## 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.

Buffalo Bills dress-down day will be every Friday in October!

There will be no UPK classes on Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> for Indigenous People Day!

\$3 pumpkin money is due to your child's teacher, in an envelope by Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>.

Bring in your child's Halloween costume, labeled and in a bag for their party on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>!

UPK will be having a half day of school on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>.

Happy Birthday to Addison, Charles, Eleanor, Nasir, Kelsi, Reagan and Brady who all turn 4!



Congratulations to our  
UPK Stars of the Month,

Abigail, Delaney, Angelo, Brady,  
Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Jack and  
Emma!





Abigail



Delaney



Angelo



Brady



Nathaniel L.



Nathaniel C.



Jack



Emma

**Abigail** is being recognized for being a wonderful friend and being a hard worker. Abigail wants everyone to be happy in their feelings and choices. She is a very "caring is sharing" friend. Abigail is a hard worker who always does her best. She takes pride in her work and learning. She is a smart girl who is rapidly building her skills. She has excelled in the ability to communicate and has growing language skills. Abigail is a staunch supporter of the classroom rules and routines. She shows that she is concerned about being responsible and safe. Congratulations Abigail, we are so proud of you!!!

**Delaney** is being recognized for her confidence in learning and for her helping hands. Delaney is a very confident child who expresses her needs and wants well. She has excellent verbal skills. She uses her language skills to organize her friends at play. She has a terrific imagination. Delaney is so helpful in the classroom. She loves being a "helpful hand" to her peers and teachers. She is a true volunteer! Delaney is a willing worker. She will participate in any and all activities and loves to try new things. She is a confident girl who sees herself as a capable doer. Delaney is a caring person who shows empathy for her friends when they get hurt or are sad. Congratulations Delaney, we love you!!!

**Angelo** is being recognized for his ambition to learn and for his kindness towards others. Angelo takes great pride in his work and is always willing to try his best! He has adjusted perfectly to daily routines and continues to impress us with his efforts. Angelo is a well mannered young man who is always treating his peers and teachers with the upmost respect. He never falls short of saying "please" and "thank you." Angelo is always happy and can light up the whole room with his sweet smile. He carries his happiness throughout the classroom as he is always willing to share, lend a helping hand or even bringing excitement to each play group that he is in. We are so happy to have Angelo apart of our class! Congratulations Angelo, we love you!!!

**Brady** is being recognized for his ability to learn and follow classroom rules and for always using his helping hands with his friends. Brady is a classroom leader who sets a great example for others. He does a great job at sharing and he enjoys playing with all of his friends. He loves building with roads and driving the cars with batman on them and loves to sing to Miss. Amy's new songs. Brady always has a story to share, especially when it comes to talking about dinosaurs! This strong young man works hard each day to grow strong muscles as he does his coloring, cutting and playing with play-dough. Brady is a friendly boy who is always sweet to his friends and teachers. We really enjoy having Brady here in our program. Congratulations Brady, we love you!!!

**Nathaniel L.** is being recognized for his ability to open-up and for his helpful hands throughout the classroom. Nathaniel has blossomed in the last month since starting the UPK program. We couldn't be more proud of him in his ability to participate in small group activities and share his input at rug time. This smart young man does a great job during math time and continues to learn new things! Nathaniel is a sweet boy who is always helpful during clean-up times. He is a hard-working boy who likes to please his teachers and friends. Nathaniel plays nicely with everyone and has made many new friends! He loves to build with blocks and play on the playground. Nathaniel is such a joy to have in class and we can not wait to see what he accomplishes next! Congratulations Nathaniel, we love you!!!



**Nathaniel C.** is being recognized for have great listening skills and kindness. Nate is a sweet little boy who always listens to his teachers. He does a great job at following directions and goes along with daily routines without any problems. Nate is a smart boy who always participates in classroom activities and tries his very best at all that he does! He is working really hard on mastering his writing and continues to learn new things each day! Nate has a great sense of humor and is always making his teacher and friends laugh, especially during lunch time! This caring young man who likes to share with al of his friends during center time. At school, Nate loves to play with sea creatues while talking about his time visiting the aquarium. We love having Nate in our class!

Congratulations Nate, we love you!!!

**Jack** is being recognized for his leadership skills and his willingness to help. Jack is a great role model for the other students. We can always count on Jack to make good choices and to do the right thing! Jack is very smart and we love the way he makes connections throughout the day to things that he has done in the past. When he shares his ideas with the class, he brings such great enthusiasm which everyone enjoys. Jack is a very kind boy and is always willing to lend his teacher and friends a helping hand. Keep up the great work Jack and we are so proud of you!

Congratulations Jack, we love you!!!

**Emma** is being recognized for being a great role model to the class and following daily rules and routines. You can always count on Emma to do the right thing! She consistantly remembers to sing our hand washing song and has learned our schedule quickly. Emma always participates in all activities in the classroom enthusuastically and has such a positive attitude! She is a very sweet girl who has been a great cheerleader of her friends, always offering them encouragement when they are working on something challenging. Emma loves to help her friends and teacher whenever they need it. This smart girl can writ her first name independently and knows her birthday, address and phone number. Emma loves to play in centers and use her imagination! Congratulations Emma,

we love you!!!!