## **BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER**

#### 🔆 July 2024 🕶

#### **Upcoming Events!**

Wear red, white and blue on **July 3<sup>rd</sup>** for Independence Day!

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Our summer water days this month will be on July  $12^{th}$  and  $25^{th}!$ 

The ice cream truck will be visiting on July  $10^{th}$  and  $23^{rd}$ !

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#### Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Reagan, Marlena, and Mia a happy 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday, James, Averee, Samuel, and Gracelyn a happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, Aiden, Sawyer, Natalie and Evelyn who turn 5, Rose who turns 7, and Delaney who turns 8 this month!

#### Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Teagan from our Townline Road location! Miss Teagan is one of our wonderful teacher aides who works with our toddlers. She helps make sure that the room runs smoothly and that all the kiddos are happy and having fun. We are so thankful that we can depend on Miss Teagan to make sure that the toddlers have everything they need and that the room is clean and a fun place for them to learn and play!

She always makes sure that the room is decorated nicely and always comes up with super cute crafts for the kids to make! We can tell by the way she interacts with the toddlers that she truly cares about each of them. She is very

kind, patient, loving, and caring. All of the children adore Miss Teagan and all of the other teachers enjoy working with her. We are very grateful for all that Miss Teagan does for the toddler room! Thank you for all that you do, Miss Teagan! Congratulations!! 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 wnderful Star Students this month are ...

**INFANTS: Owen** 

TODDLERS: Amelia

PRE-K 3: Jamison, Wiley & Nora!

#### Notes from the Directors...

Thank you to everyone who made our Pre-k graduation one to never forget! We had a blast celebrating our graduates!

With the weather being nice, we like to go outside every day that its possible. Please make sure your child wears or brings appropriate shoes for the playground!

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

#### Infant Room News!

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## Our theme this month is:

Underwater Adventure!

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It's officially summer and the babies are loving every minute of it! This month the babies really take a deep dive into all animals that live in water! The babies will be starting off the month of July learning a little bit about fish. They will read books incolving fish including the story "Rainbow Fish". They will be doing a fish craft where they bingo dab the circles on the fish to make a colorful piece of art! The next week they will learn a little bit about frogs! They will sing "5 Little Speckled Frogs" and even take a walk outside in the buggie to see if they can spot any frogs for themselves! Next, the babies will get in touch with their musical side and play with their own musical instruments. They will sing and dance and listen to plenty of great music! They also will be making a fish craft out of their handprints! To finish off the month the babies will read the story "Baby Shark" and listen to the

song as well as trying to sing it themselves. Our teachers will also teach them the hand motions for each verse! July is such a fun month for us here at Bunny Bunch and we are loooking forward to spending it with our babies!

# 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!

Wear red, white, and blue on July 3rd for Independence Day!

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Congratulations to our Infant Star of the Month,

Owen!

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## Infant Star Of The Month!

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We are thrilled to spotlight **Owen** as our star student at Bunny Bunch in the infant room! In just a short time, Owen has shown remarkable growth and development! Owen has achieved exciting milestones during his time with us. He has mastered sitting up, crawling with confidence, and pulling himself up all important steps towards his independence! His curiosity knows no bounds; he adores spending time in the jumper and loves the freedom to crawl around and discover every corner of our room. He is always happy with a radiant smile that brightens our day and warms our hearts. His gentle nature and affectionate personality makes him a beloved friend to all. Owen thrives in the company of his peers, cherishing every moment spent with friends and caregivers alike. We love witnessing Owen's growth! His presence lights up our classroom, bringing laughter, curiosity, and a contagious sense of wonder. Owen, you are a cherished member of our daycare family, and we look forward to celebrating many more milestones with you! Congratulations, we love you!!!

#### Toddler Room News!

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#### Our theme this month is:

Splish, Splash, Water Fun!



This month is full of all things water and all things fun! The summer is about being outside and learning about the fun things you can do outdoors! That being said, the toddlers love to get outside each day they can in the summer and explore what the outdoors have to offer! We love to play on the playground, take walks, and even play with chalk! Along with being outside the toddlers will learn about the outdoors! The first week is "Ocean Fun" where the kids will learn about ocean animals by making an octopus handprint, whale coloring, seahorse, shark, and jellyfish activities! After this week they will focus on fish specifically. The week will consist of making a fish bowl, a paperplate fish, a handprint fish, and a goldfish painting! Next, the toddlers take it to the beach! They will make their own beach scene, make a handprint crab, sea shell painting, create their own beach balls, and sand

dollars! To close out the month the toddlers will have "Water Week"! During this week the kids will get the change to play in a water table, use ice cubes to paint with, make butterflies out of coffee filters and water and even use our water color paints to make a beautiful piece of artwork! This month is going to be so much fun!

# 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,

Amelia!

## Toddler Star Of The Month!



Amelia is a shining star in our toddler room here at Bunny Bunch! Since her early days with us, she has blossomed into a confident and caring little girl with a personality that lights up the room. From the moment Amelia arrived at Bunny Bunch as a baby, her big heart and welcoming nature have made her loved by all. She effortlessly befriends everyone around her Whether it's during playtime or circle time, Amelia's enthusiasm is infectious, and she always brings a smile to everyone's face. Amelia loves baby dolls, she will nurture them with the same tenderness and care that she shows her friends. Circle time is one of her favorite parts of the day, especially when it involves singing songs with her friends. Amelia is a very smart girl! She knows all of shapes, colors, letters, and numbers. She impresses us all in demonstrating how high she can count with confidence and accuracy. Amelia has grown a lot both intellectually and emotionally. We are incredibly proud of her achievements and the bright future that lies ahead for this smart, caring, and delightful young girl. Keep shining, Amelia! We love you!!!

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#### Our theme this month is:

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We love summer here in Pre-K 3! This month is full of fun and summer activities! Our first week in Pre-K this month is full fun! The kids will be painting with ice cubes, making bubble foam, and even painting with squirt guns! Next they will learn all about zoo animals and animals you can find in the safari! They will make a monkey mask so they can dress up and act like little monkeys! They will also make other animals like zebras and lions out of arts and craft materials! The next week these kiddos are going camping! Well, pretending to camp and learning about what supplies you need and things you see when you go camping! They will make a campfire craft, make lightning bugs, and learn the ingredients of s'mores! Lastly, the kids will join the fantasy world of pirates and mermaids! They will make their very own pirate ship, a personalized pirate or mermaid, and even a little parrot to keep on their shoulder! This month is going to be so fun and we just know the children are going to love every moment of it!

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

Jamison, Wiley, & Nora!

Happy Birthday 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday Reagan, Marlena, and Mia! Happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday to James, Averee, Samuel, and Gracelyn!

## Pre-K3 Stars Of The Month



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We are excited to announce Jamison as our Star of the Month for July in our 3 year old room! Jamison has been lighting up our days with his infectious laughter, love for dinosaurs, trucks, and books, and his love of dancing! Jamison is a smart boy who is always curious of the world around him. He likes to explore and see what new and exciting things are out there! Jamison has many interests! He absolutely loves dinosaurs and animals! He could play with them all day! He also really likes to play with our toy trucks all around the room. He will drive them on the tables, floors, and shelves! Jamison also likes to stay active! He really enjoys soccer shots and dance time in our classroom and he loves going outside on our playgrounds! We are so proud of Jamison's achievements and the joy he brings to our daycare family. Congratulations Jamison, we love you!!!

Pre-k 3 is excited to announce Wiley as this month's Pre-K 3 star student! Wiley has blossomed during his time with us, showcasing not only his academic progress but also his kind-hearted nature and playful spirit. Initially shy, Wiley has made incredible strides in expressing himself and engaging with his peers. He now eagerly participates in circle time activities, showing enthusiasm for learning and growing. One of his current accomplishments includes practicing writing his own name! Wiley also knows his shapes and colors! Wiley is so sweet! He is very affection with his teachers, whom he adores helping whenever he can. He also is a good friend who always makes sure to share with others. Outdoors, Wiley thrives on the freedom to run and play! He loves our playground! Within our classroom, his favorite activities include imaginative play in the kitchen center and playing with dinosaurs. We are so proud of Wiley's progress and look forward to celebrating many more achievements with him! Congratulations Wiley, we love you!!!





Pre-k 3 is excited to announce Nora as star student in the 3 year old room for July! Nora has been with us since she was an infant and we have loved getting to watch her grow! Nora's recent milestones are very exciting! She has achieved being fully potty trained! Additionally, Nora can spell her name and is enthusiastically working on writing it! Nora is a joy to be around. Her delightful sense of humor brightens our days as she loves to make her teachers and friends laugh with her playful antics. She is known for her caring nature, always quick to comfort and check on her friends if they are upset Nora's favorite activities within our class reflect her nurturing personality. She finds joy in playing with baby dolls and little people, immersing herself in imaginative play and fostering creativity. Nora's journey with us has been filled with milestones and heartwarming moments. Congratulations Nora, we love you!!!

#### Summer Camp News!

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#### July plans and themes!



We have officially kicked off the start of our Summer Camp here at Bunny Bunch! This summer camp in July features a diverse range of activities across four exciting weekly themes. The first week kicks off with "Patriotic Week," where kids will engage in creative projects like crafting their own fireworks and imagining themselves as presidents through the "If I were president" project. Following that, "Space, Magic & Mystery" takes center stage in week two, offering educational sessions on planets alongside the excitement of a special guest magician who will entertain with balloon art and magic tricks. Week three brings the beach to the camp with a visit from a guest from the Niagara Aquarium, a hands-on sink or float experiment to explore buoyancy, and a refreshing water day filled with outdoor water games. Finally, "Young Chefs Week" wraps up the month, featuring a visit from an ice cream truck for a sweet treat and a make-your-own pizza lunch where children can showcase their culinary creativity. Each themed week promises a blend of learning, creativity, and fun, ensuring an engaging and memorable summer camp experience for all participants.

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