

Bunny Bunch Daycare Newsletter



September 2017

Important Bunny Bunch News!

September brings mixed emotions in the center.

As we say goodbye to our children leaving for school and wish them well, we also get to welcome bright, new faces who are eager to learn! We looked forward to an exciting and fun filled year!

The daycare will be closed on Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day.

Friday, September 15th is Teddy Bear Day! All of the children can bring in their favorite teddy bear and wear their pajamas on this day!

We will be having Buffalo Days on Friday, September 22nd and 29th. The children are encouraged to wear Bills gear to support their team!

Picture Day is going to be on October 5th and 6th. We will be sending out more information shortly.

Please keep an eye out for Scholastic Book Orders which will be in your child's cubby early this month. They are a great way to build your child's library. Orders are due by September 15th.

Just a reminder, tuition is always due the Friday before the week of attendance. Thank you!

As always, please make sure that you are labeling any bottles, sippy cups, and lunch bags with your child's first and last names. Thank you!

Happy Birthday!!

This month we would like to wish Veda a very happy 1st birthday, Ella & Liam a very happy 2nd Birthday, CJ & Cooper a very happy 3rd birthday, and Dominic & Cooper a very happy 4th birthday!! We hope everyone has a great day!!

Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the month, Miss Dominique! Miss Dominique is our Toddler Room aide at our Ward Road location. She has been a part of our Bunny Bunch team for quite some time now and has done a great job caring for and watching over these little ones as they learn and grow. Miss Dominique has a very soft, kind, and loving personality which makes her loved and adored by all the children. Although Miss Dominique can mostly be found in the Toddler Room, she is a very versatile employee and is able to step into any classroom and give it her all. When it comes to helping out around the center, Miss Dominique is always willing to lend a helping hand no matter what it entails. Her helpfulness inside and outside the classroom makes her very easy to work with and well-liked by all her fellow coworkers. Miss Dominique has become a very important asset to our Bunny Bunch family and all her hard work and dedication does not go unnoticed! Congratulations Miss Dominique!! We love you!!!

STAR STUDENTS!

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...

INFANT: Celia

TODDLER: Liam
&
Kate

PRE-K 3: Jackson

PRE-K 4: Cody
&
Isabella

Infant News!

The babies had a lot of fun this summer, but are ready for a new and fun year full of growing and learning! The theme this month is "The Wonderful World of Shapes and Colors!" We will keep the babies busy this month as they learn all about colors and shapes! These little cuties will have a lot of fun as they finger paint, make crafts, sing new songs, and read stories to learn about their shapes and colors. The babies will be finger painting apple and heart pictures, painting triangles with Jell-O, making an apple sun catcher, playing with pudding, and many, many more fun activities! We cannot wait to start the school year in the Infant Room!

Just a reminder, anytime your child gets new immunizations, please bring in a printout from the doctor to give to the office. Thank you!

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

Celia is a loveable and beautiful little girl who is such a joy to have in the infant room! This little sweetie brightens up the room each day with her big smile and adorable personality. She recently began crawling and is doing a great job, we are very proud of her! She is a very curious baby who loves to explore the room and play with new toys. She loves Circle Time and can always be found smiling big and clapping along. You can also always find Celia playing so nicely with all of her friends, she is very gentle and sweet. Celia is absolutely adored by everyone and we are excited to continue to watch this cutie learn and grow! Congratulations Celia!! We love you!!!

Toddler News!

We would like to welcome all of our new and returning toddlers! We hope everyone had a wonderful summer! We are looking forward to an exciting and fun filled year of learning!

The theme this month in the toddler room is "Back to School" as we prepare for the beginning of the school year with many fun crafts and activities. "School Time" is how the toddlers kick off the beginning of the month. Some of the crafts planned will have the children making a school bus, ruler, and backpack craft! Our next week, "New Friends," will have the children making friendship flowers, a friendship train, and even making yummy brownies! During the week called "All About Me," the kiddos will be decorating a birthday cake craft, making "all about me" balloons, and creating mirror images of themselves! The month will end with "Apples All Around." Some of the neat activities planned for this week include making apple prints, creating tissue paper apples, and tasting various apple flavored items! In addition to the crafts each week, the toddlers will be focusing on a different color, shape, letter, and number, which can be found on the monthly calendar. September is sure to be a fun month full of learning with new friends!

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Congratulations to our Toddler Stars of the Month,
Liam & Kate !!



Liam is a fun-loving and sweet little boy who we absolutely love having in the Toddler Room! This happy boy comes to school each day ready for a fun day full of learning and playing. He definitely brightens up the classroom with his super cute smile. Liam is doing a great job during Circle Time, he is always very interested and loves all of our stories and songs. When it comes to playtime, this cutie loves to have fun. He especially loves playing with cars on the car rug in the classroom and driving the toy cars on the playground outside. Liam is a great friend to others, always looking out for everyone. He also loves to make everyone laugh and smile with the silly and adorable things he says and does. We are sure looking forward to a happy and fun year in the Toddler Room with this handsome and adorable little boy!

Congratulations Liam!! We love you!!!



Kate is a sweet and beautiful little girl who recently began transitioning into our Toddler Room and is doing a great job! Kate is always on her very best behavior and does a wonderful job following directions and she loves to learn new things. She is having so much fun doing Circle Time and all of the craft and activities. This little cutie is also doing a great job making new friends, she gets along with absolutely everyone! Her fun-loving and sweet personality is what makes all of her teachers and friends love being around her. Kate definitely brightens up the room with her adorable smile that never goes away! Kate is a happy girl who loves having fun, she especially loves doing gymnastics, dancing to music, and reading stories. We are so proud of how well this bright and beautiful little girl is doing and are excited to continue to watch her learn and grow! Congratulations Kate!! We love you!!!

Pre-K 3 News!

We hope that everyone had a fun, safe, and memorable summer! It is hard to believe that Fall is just around the corner and that the new school year is unfolding. However, you can rest assured that your child is about to begin a new and exciting experience participating in our Pre-K 3 Program! Apples, shapes, colors, numbers, and especially children's happy faces are all a special part of a new month, a new school year, and a new adventure in learning!

Our monthly theme, "Stepping Into School," will keep the children engaged throughout the month of September. During this month, we will be having a lot of fun while doing a lot of learning! During the first week, "Beginning A New School Year," the children will be making their very own Brown Bear, Brown Bear book as we incorporate learning our colors and working on developing fine motor skills through fun crafts. "Hooray for Pre-K 3" is the following week's theme. The activities will focus on name recognition, shapes, and cutting. A week of "Good Manners & New Friends" will provide the opportunity for the children to see the importance of sharing and taking turns which will be encouraged throughout the school year. Finally, we have, "Me & My Family," where our goal will be to help the children become aware of how very special and unique they are! The children will be encouraged to bring in baby and family pictures, and a favorite picture of themselves to share with their friends! September is going to be a great start to the school year for our pre-k 3!

As always, please check the calendar for special events and activities. Fridays are our "Show and Tell" days and are usually related to our theme, color, number, or shape that the children may be working on. Please make sure to always label the item(s) to avoid confusion. Thank you!

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Congratulations to our Pre-K 3 Star of the Month, *Jackson !!*

Pre-K 3 News!



Jackson is our Star of the Month for doing a great job in our Pre-K 3 Room! He is a handsome and bright young man who we are very proud of! Jackson is doing very well with learning new things during class, he learns very quickly! He is learning to spell his first and last name, learning his address, and is doing great with tracing words. Jackson loves to do Circle Time and centers and is always excited to learn. When it comes to playtime, Jackson loves to have fun. You can always find this happy boy playing with all of his friends, building something awesome with the blocks, or playing with the cars. Jackson is a great friend to others, very kind and caring. He is also known for making others laugh, he loves to be silly! We loving having this sweet and fun-loving young man brightening up the classroom! We are excited to continue to watch him learn and grow!

Congratulations Jackson!! We love you!!!

Pre-K 4 News!

We would like to welcome all of our new and returning pre-k students! We hope that everyone had a wonderful summer! We are looking forward to a fun and exciting school year filled with lots of learning and new friends!

September's monthly theme is "Stepping into School" with the first week being "Welcome to School!" Activities this week will focus on getting into the routine of school rules and finding out what the children would like to learn about this year, as well as a fun first day of school craft! The following week, "Getting to Know Each Other," will have the children talking about how they are alike and different from each other. We will also be doing some fun crafts and activities as we get to know our new friends. Talking about "Family" is how we spend the third week in September. This week the children will share pictures of their families, work on making pictures of their homes, and work on learning their addresses. We end September with one of our favorite fall themes, "Apples!" During this week, the children will be busy doing all kinds of activities and crafts that focus on apples.

They will be learning about adjectives, working on their tracing skills, and will also be continuing to work on writing their last names. The children will be making applesauce as a special treat this week and they will also get to taste test different apples and apple treats. We are looking forward to all of the fun learning that will take place in our pre-k 4 room during September!

Starting this month, your child will have their own homework binder. New things for them to work on will be sent home every Monday. Please help your child to complete the work and return it either before or on Friday. Thank you!

At the beginning of each month you will receive a monthly calendar. Please keep these calendars handy to keep track of any special days and "Show & Tell" themes. "Show & Tell" is always on Fridays and is usually related to our weekly theme. Please make sure any items brought in are labeled to avoid misplacement and confusion. Thank you!

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Congratulations to our Pre-K 4 Stars of the Month,
Cody & Isabella !!



Cody is our Star of the Month for doing a great job transitioning into the Pre-K 4 Room! He worked very hard this summer and we are very impressed, he is more than ready for his new classroom! Cody is a handsome, bright, fun-loving and caring young man who is a great friend to others. He has a big heart and you can always count on Cody for a helping hand. This happy boy is always smiling and laughing and he loves to have fun. Cody also loves to learn! He said he cannot wait to learn many new things this year and he especially can't wait to do a lot of writing! Cody is doing a great job during Circle Time, he loves to participate. You can always find him with his hand raised real high, ready to contribute to classroom discussions and answer questions. He also does a great job during centers and follows directions very well. We are looking forward to a fun year with Cody and know that he will do a great job! Congratulations Cody!! We love you!!!



Isabella is our Star of the Month for working hard to get ready for the Pre-K 4 Room! Bella recently moved up and each day she shows us that she is more than ready for her new classroom! She is doing a great job following directions and she sets a great example for others. Bella absolutely loves to learn and always gets excited to do Circle Time and centers. She is very bright and learns new things very quickly! Isabella has been with us since she was an adorable and happy baby in the Infant Room and now she is a bright and beautiful young lady, who is still always so happy! This little sweetheart definitely brightens up the classroom with her big smile that never goes away and her fun-loving personality. She is a wonderful and caring friend to others and everyone just loves being around her. When asked what she is excited to learn about this year, Isabella said she can't wait to learn about opposites and rhyming! We are sure that she will do great this year! Congratulations Bella!! We love you!!!