Bunny Bunch Daycare Newsletter July 2014

Important News

- Congratulations to all our graduates this year! Graduation Day was wonderful and enjoyed by all! We will miss our graduates and wish them continued success as they enter Kindergarten!
- A big THANK YOU to all our wonderful families who helped out during the summer picnic. We are so grateful to have such kind and generous families. The picnic was a big success and the kids had a blast!
- With the nice weather, we know that sandals and flip flops will be on your child's feet. However, for the playground we ask that you leave a pair of sneakers in your child's cubby! Thank you.
- Reminder: Tuition is always due the Friday before the week of attendance.
- Movin and Groovin will be held July 2nd.
- Gymnastics will be held every Thursday.
- Reminder: the Daycare will be closed on Friday, July 4th is observance of Independence Day.



Happy Birthday!!!

Happy 2nd Birthday to Xavier! Charlotte, Amelia C., and Logan N. are all turning 3. Riley and Penni are turning 4! Anya is turning 5! Happy Birthday to all of them!!

<u>Star Students</u>

Each month we have a "Star Student." The lead teachers will make the choice. Certificates and prizes will be awarded at the beginning of the month. The teachers will base their decision on growth, development, relating to others, eating and napping habits and other **STAR**

qualities!

Our wonderful Star Students this month are...

INFANT: Jovianne

<u>TODDLER:</u> Bella

PRE K 3: Connor

PRE K 4: Brody

<u>Star Teacher</u>

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Bethany from our Townline location. Miss Bethany has been with us for over a year now and is a valuable asset to our team. She has recently taken over kitchen duties and is doing a wonderful job! She always comes in early and puts 100% into her job. Miss Bethany is a hardworking and reliable employee who is always willing to lend an extra hand and help out her fellow coworkers. She is a fun loving teacher who is loved by all the children. Miss Bethany can always be seen with a smile on her face! We are happy to have Miss Bethany as part of the Bunny Bunch Team. Congratulations Miss Bethany! We love

This month the theme in the Infant room is *Underwater Adventure*! The babies will be busy exploring fish and animals under the sea. They will be listening to stories such as <u>Under the Sea</u>, <u>Rainbow Fish</u>, and <u>Red Fish</u>, <u>Blue Fish</u>. Some of the fun exciting activities planned include making cheerio starfish, playing with green Jell-O on a frog picture, and playing with grape jelly on a jellyfish picture. The babies will also get to have some water play time and dancing with instruments. As a reminder, we will be going outside on the grass or for walks around the daycare if the weather is nice. If you want your child to wear a hat along with sunscreen please let us know so we can do so! Thank you.



Who is our Infant Star of the Month you ask? Why it's Jovianne! Jovi has been with us a few months, but my how she has grown! Jovi is a blond haired grey eyed cutie pie. She is a very friendly child. She is always waving and saying "Hi" to everyone as they come in the center. She loves to talk and tell stories. She has so many things she wants to say! We know it won't be long before Jovi starts walking. She's so close! When it comes to playtime, Jovi loves the fact that it's summer because that means walks in the stroller and bubble time! She enjoys catching the bubbles before they pop! That always makes her laugh! Keep up the good work Jovianne! We love you!!!

This month we will be celebrating the warm weather with this month's theme of Splish, Splash Water Fun. Fourth of July Fun is the first week's theme. The children will be making a patriotic windsock among other red, white and blue crafts. During Ocean Fun children will make underwater creatures such as seahorses, sharks and jellyfish! The toddler room will be swimming along during Tropical Fish week. There will be sandcastles, fishbowls and many, many colorful fish. We will have a lot of fun during Beach Days where children will be busy painting seashells, along with making beach balls and sand crabs. We will end the month with Fun with Water. The toddlers will be doing so many fun crafts with water such as painting with watercolors, and ice cubs as well as some cool water table fun!



Our Star Spangled Star of the Month in Toddlers is Bella! Bella is a brown eyed cutie pie with the curliest brown hair! Bella always comes in with a smile on her face, ready to start the day. She loves to gives hugs and kisses to her teachers! Bella is also very smart. She shows her skills during circle time. She knows all her ABC's!! When it comes to potty training, Bella is becoming a pro! Bella also knows how to have fun. She can often be found dancing around the classroom, or singing her favorite song "All the Sleeping Bunnies!" When she's not dancing, she's coloring. This budding artist could sit at the table all day and create masterpieces. This fashionable sweetie has the cutest clothes and shoes as well! We love seeing all your new outfits Bella! Keep up the good work! We love you!!!



This month's theme is Amazing Animals. Our weekly themes are Rainforest Animals, Under the Sea, Pets, Zoo Animals, and Olympics. The children will be making puppets and masks for some of the many animals we will be discussing. They will also be making some special snacks such as an ocean snack and some puppy chow.

We have water days and a bike day planned in July. We will send a note home and keep you posted as to which days they are. For water days we ask that you bring in swimwear (or extra clothes) along with a towel for that day. Usually the children play in the sprinkler or the water table. For bike day, we ask that your child has a helmet and any other safety pads that you wish them to wear. Please ensure all items are labeled! We are looking forward to a lot of fun days in Pre K!

Graduation Day!







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July is fun in the sun and so is our Pre K 3 Star, Connor! This blond haired hazel eyed charmer has the most kissable of cheeks! Connor, along with learning how to write his name, knows all his colors and shapes! He participates often during circle time! When it comes to picking a job, he often chooses to be our "Flag Holder" which is a huge responsibility! He does such a good job of it too! This little athlete absolutely adores outdoor time. Running, jumping, going down the slide, you name it, Connor loves it! This polite little boy ALWAYS uses his manners! When it comes to playtime, if you see a superhero flying around, just know that it's "Super Connor" who is coming to save the day! Keep up the good work Connor! We love you!!!



Pre K 4 is proud to announce that Brody is their Star of the Month! Brody is a light brown haired brown eyed smiley boy! Brody is always in a good mood! He comes to school with the biggest smile on his face. He is always ready and willing to give hugs too! He is a very social child. He loves to tell his friends and teachers stories about his favorite toys, TV shows or movies. He especially loves anything to do with Jack Skellington from "The Nightmare Before Christmas," and transformers. His stories and antics usually have his friends and teachers laughing! Brody is very smart. He can spell and sign his name; he participates during circle time and does all his work with no complaint! We know he will do so well in Kindergarten! Keep up the good work Brody! We love you!!!





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