Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K Newsletter

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Important News

- A big THANK YOU to all our wonderful families who participated in the St. Jude Trike a Thon. We have such generous families. Thank you for supporting such a good cause, all the children had so much fun riding their bikes.
- We will be having our End of the year Picnic on Friday, June 28th! Invitations will be sent out soon so please be on the lookout for them!
- 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: Taition is a ways due the Friday before the week of attendance.
- Movin' and Groovin' will be held on Wednesday, June 12th and 26th. Gymnastics will be held every Thursday.
- Graduation will be Wednesday, June 19th at 6pm. It will be held at the Niagara Wheatfield Auditorium. Graduates are expected to arrive at 5pm for a practice run! The children are so excited to show off all that they have learned and practiced! We can't wait!!!
- We will be conducting a "Shelter-in-Place" drill on June 17th.

(Apcoming Birthdays!

We would like to wish a Happy 1st Birthday to Tanner and Chloe! A Happy 2st Birthday to Natalie! A Happy 3st Birthday to Jack and Chloe! A Happy 4st Birthday to Reagan, Thomas and Aurora! And A Happy 5st Birthday to Brooklyn and Mason! We would also like to wish a Happy Birthday to our teachers Miss Michele, Miss Emily and Miss Samantha! We hope you all have a fantastic day!!!

Star Teacher!!!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month Miss Amanda from our Ward Road location! Miss Amanda has been with Bunny Bunch Daycare for almosta year now and has really proven herself to be a dedicated and hardworking employee! She is always on time and can be counted on to show up and give it her all. Miss Amanda mainly works in our Infant and Toddler Rooms but does a fantastic job in any room. She always ensures that the children's needs are met and that all the children are happy and having fun. Miss Amanda is truly loved and adored by all of the children, employees and parents. She holds a great line of communication with both the parents and the staff which is key here at Bunny Bunch. Miss Amanda is always smilling and is just a joy to be around. Her easy going and caring personality makes her enjoyable to work with. We are so honored and lucky to

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Congratulations Miss Amanda! We love you!!!

Star Students

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: Riley

TODDLER: Paxton

PRE K. 3: Parker & Rose

<u>PRE K 4: Layla</u>

Infant News

This month the theme in the Infant room is "Butterflies and Bumble Bees." The babies will be busy exploring the world of insects and bugs. They will be reading stories such as "The Very Hungry Caterpillar", "Bettsy Ross", "My Dad and Me" and "Caterpillar to Butterfly." Some of the fun exciting activities planned include making footprint butterflies, honeycomb beehives, tissue paper pineapples, and fly swatter painting. The babies will also get to have some outdoor play time going for a walk in the buggy, play follow the leader, pretend to fly like a butterfly and buzz around the room like a bumblebee! Oobleck play is also on the agenda for this month. When it's time to sing, we'll be adding a few new songs to our circle time. Those are "Five Busy Honey Bees", "The Caterpillar Song" and Baby Bumblebee!" These little ones will also be busy making something extra special for their loving fathers for Father's Day!! It is sure to be a busy and fun month!



The sun is shining and the Infant Room is proud to announce Riley as the Star of the Month! This adorable little girl is opening up more and more in our Infant Room! Riley is becoming such a little chatter box with her sweet and soft little voice. She is always telling stories to her teachers and loves to show off her growing imagination. Riley has a very kind and loving personality and it shows in how well she plays and interacts with her friends. She started with us just a few months ago and has quickly adjusted and made friends very well. Riley has the best facial expressions when playing and talking with her teachers. She does a great job keeping her teachers smiling and laughing all throughout the day. Riley also loves to snuggle and give hugs to all of her teachers and friends. We are honored to be able to take care of Riley and watch her learn and grow and we can't wait to see what she learns next!

Congratulations Riley! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Toddler News

The theme this month in the Toddler room is "Outdoor Friends." We have a lot of fun and exciting things planned for these little ones this month. All throughout the month we will be busy learning about outdoor "Reptiles", "Bugs" and "Birds"! Our Toddler friends will be busy during the first week learning all about "Reptiles". They will be sure to have a fun time making frog hats, coloring alligators and crocodiles as well as learning about toads and turtles! We then jump into learning all about "BUGS"!!! Ants, flies, spiders and bees will be on our minds during this week! We will also be busy making something special and from our hearts for our fathers for Father's Day! The week of "Birds" will have our toddler friends learning about all the different birds such as blue jays, cardinals, parrots and many more. During this week we will also be tie-dyeing t-shirts for our annual end of the year picnic! We finish out the month getting ready for July with "4th of July Fun." Our patriotic little toddlers will be creating American flags, learning about the stars and stripes and preparing for the fireworks! What a great way to welcome summer with a month full of outdoor fun!



Who shines brighter than the sun in the Toddler room? Why it's **Paxton** our Toddler Room Star of the Month! This handsome little stud is learn and growing fast right before our eyes. Paxton is talking more and more and is starting to take part in all classroom activities. He knows colors, shapes, letter and numbers and does a great job showing it off during Circle Time. Paxton really enjoys playing with instruments and dinosaurs while at school. He does a great job sharing and playing nicely with his friends. Paxton is a loveable little guy who greets his teachers with a "Hi!" and a great big smile every day he is at school. He is very caring for all his friends and does a wonderful job letting everyone join in on his play. Paxton has been with us since he was 1 year old and is growing into such a loving and sweet little boy!

Congratulations Paxton! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Pre-K 3 News

"Jump into Summer" is the theme for the month in our Pre-K 3 room for June. The children will start the month off with learning and exploring all about the outdoors with "Frogs" and "Birds", "Bugs" and "Patriotic Week". During the week of "Frogs" these little ones will be learning all about the life cycle of a frog. With many frog and tadpole crafts they will be sure to be looking out of frogs on the next rainy day. During the week of "Birds" the children will be creating a "Birds Build Nests" booklet, and will also practice counting, matching and coloring skills. The week of "Bugs" will have these children learning about the parts of insects, painting a bug in a jar and creating a ladybug booklet. During these weeks we will also be working on making something very special for our Fathers as well as making our own tie-dye shirts to wear at our annual picnic. With summer finally here and the Fourth of July right around the corner and better way to celebrate with a "Patriotic week". The children create fantastic fireworks, practice matching flags, as well as practicing shape recognition and rhyming skills! We are looking forward to a month full of fun and busy summer days!



Pre-K 3 is excited to announce **Parker** as one of their Star of the Month for June! This happy and fun loving little boy is growing up fast right before our eyes! Parker always has a bright smile on his face that just lightens the room up every day. He is always laughing and giggling and loves to play jokes on his teachers all throughout the day. Parker can spell his name, knows his colors, shapes and colors and is starting to talk more and more! He enjoys craft time when he can paint and really enjoys playing with play dough. Parker is a very sweet and caring boy who gives his teachers hugs often and can always be counted on to make you smile. While at school, he enjoys playing in the kitchen center, building with different kinds of blocks or racing the cars around on the car rug. We are all very proud of Parkers progress this year and can't wait to see what he learns next! Congratulations Parker! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Pre-K4 News

June is here and a new month of excitement is about to unfold! The Pre-K 4 students have been practicing and preparing very hard for their graduation. We will miss all of our preschool friends that are moving on to Kindergarten. We send them off with great encouragement and a lot of love knowing that each and every one of them will do great in their new education adventure!

Good Luck Bunny Bunch Class of 2019!

"Moving On and Digging Summer" is the theme for the Pre-K 4 room this month!

The children will continue working towards graduation and preparing for Kindergarten the first two weeks with "Moving Forward" and "Kindergarten Here We Come". During these weeks we will continue practicing for our graduation ceremony as well as practicing and reviewing all of our basic skills such as phone number, addresses, letters, numbers, sign language etc. We then continue onto "Summer Fun" and "Fun at the Beach" as we start our summer planning. They will be sure to enjoy the weeks full of summer activities such as playing with chalk and blowing colored bubbles outside. We then get the feel of the beach with beach ball day, sand castle day and sunglasses day! During this month the children will be busy crafting and creating something very special for their dads as well as tie-dying t-shirts to wear at our Annual End of the Year Family Picnic! This month is full of fun and many different learning experiences that the children

will be sure to love!



Pre-K4 News Cont.



Pre-K 4 is ready to soar with Layla as their Star of the Month! Layla has done a fantastic job joining in on our Pre-K 4 program! This sweet and loving little girl has quickly made new friendships and has taken well to her new classroom. Layla takes part in all classroom activities and does a wonderful job participating throughout the day. She is very smart and is confident in her knowledge; it shows in her classwork. Layla has a great imagination and can come up with new and fun things for her friends to play during free play. She is always very welcoming to friends wanting to join in and makes a great friendship role model within the classroom. Layla's fun and silly personality is a joy to have in the classroom and we are very happy to have her here at Bunny Bunch. You can always count on her to crack a joke or join in on any fun when she is here at school! Layla has a very bright future ahead of her. Congratulations Layla! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Mother's Day Tea!

