

Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K Newsletter

October 2019

Important News

- Teddy Bear Portraits will be here on Friday, October 4th for picture day.
- In preparation for Halloween, the children will be decorating pumpkins. We are asking parents please send in \$3 for the cost of the pumpkins by October 16th. Thank you!
- Our Halloween celebration and parade will be on Thursday, October 31st. More information will be provided as the time nears.
- Gymnastics will be held every Thursday.
- Book orders are due October 5th to ensure timely delivery of Halloween books!
- Please keep an eye out for the Halloween sign-up sheet outside your child's classroom.
- With the cooler weather we are asking that your child has a sweater or jacket for when we go outside. Thank you!
- **Reminder:** Tuition is due the Friday before the week of attendance. A daily late fee will be charged if no payment is made. Thank you!
- 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!!

We would like to wish a Happy 3rd Birthday to Benjamin and a Happy 6th Birthday to Aubrey!
We hope you all have a fantastic Birthday!

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: Axton

TODDLER: Penelope

PRE K 3: Chloe

PRE K 4: Savannah & Thomas

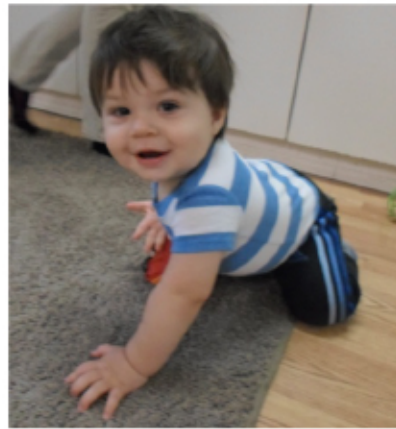


Star Teacher!!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Jenna, from our Townline Road location! Miss Jenna quickly became a valuable part of our Bunny Bunch team and was instantly loved by all of the children! She is welcomed each day by all of the children, who are always eagerly waiting to see her. She always greets them all with a big smile and is equally excited to see them! Her fun-loving personality and constant positive attitude is what makes all of the children employees, and parents adore Miss Jenna! Not only is she kind and patient with all of the children, she is always making sure they are happy and having fun. Miss Jenna works mainly with our pre-K children but is always willing to help out wherever needed! She is extremely reliable and hardworking and we appreciate all that she does for the children and the center! Thank you Miss Jenna! We love you!!!

Infant News

Fun with our Five Senses is the theme this month in the Infant room. The infants will be busy taking part in many different activities that will help stimulate their 5 senses. The babies will have fun learning about this topic and will be participating in various activities such as playing with different textures including pumpkin puree and rainbow pasta, looking at their different facial expressions in the mirror, and smelling different scents. Kool-Aid play dough will be made this month which will be sure to get these babies using all of their senses. With one of our favorite holidays at the end of the month, the infants will get ready to celebrate Halloween by decorating a pumpkin to take home and making cute Halloween crafts with Do-A-Dots, paint and cotton balls. Our Halloween party will be held on Wednesday, October 31st. More details will follow! It will be a busy and exciting month for our infants!



Our star Infant is anything but spooky this Halloween month. Congratulations to **Axton!** This big one year old is growing fast right before our eyes! Axton is a pro crawler and does an amazing job moving around the classroom. He loves his freedom to be able to explore about all on his own! Axton has been working very hard at learning how balance standing up with the help of his teachers and large objects. He loves to stand at the gate greeting keeping watch on the hallway and smiling at everyone as the walk into the center. Axton is such a little lovebug who loves to snuggle with his teachers and gives the greatest hugs! He is learning how to wave and can often be seen waving to his friends and teachers. While at school, Axton enjoys playing with the foam shapes, farm animals and the stack 'em cups. We are so honored to be able to watch him learn and grow and cannot wait to see what he learns next. Congratulations Axton! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Toddler News

This month, the Toddler room will be filled with lots of *Fall Fun*. We start the month off learning all about *Colorful Leaves*. These little ones will be busy exploring all the different kinds of leaves, creating tissue paper trees and making their own autumn necklace. Don't forget Friday, October 4th will be picture day! After that, we jump into *Fire Prevention Week*. With an exciting visit from St. Johnsburg Fire Hall these children will be able to learn all about Firemen firsthand. How exciting!! Then, we change gears and start to focus all about Halloween! *Pumpkins and Scarecrows* and *Halloween and Pumpkin Painting* will be sure to get these little ones into the Halloween spirit! Miss Tonia has many Halloween activities planned such as Do-A-Doting pumpkins, coloring bats, creating Halloween bags, and painting a pumpkin to take home. Our Halloween party will be held on Wednesday, October 31st. More information will follow! What a fun and exciting month!



Penelope is the star this month for the Toddler room! This happy go lucky little bundle of joy is doing a fantastic job in our Toddler Room! Penelope is doing a wonderful job taking part in Circle Time and is quickly learning all of the colors, shapes, numbers and letters! She is a very smart girl who isn't shy about showing off all of her knowledge! Penelope has been with us for over a year now and is quickly flourishing into such a kind and caring young little girl. She is always playing well with others and will help others when in need. Penelope enjoys playing with puzzles, instruments, dolls and babies. She also enjoys running around on the playground where she can show off her fast running skills and her high jumps. Penelope loves singing and dancing with all of her friends and can be counted on to join in on all classroom activities.

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

Pre-K 3 News

We have counted, painted and tasted apples, and now it's time for pumpkins as the season of autumn and the month of October has arrived. As we begin, this month's theme is *Colors of Fall*. This month we will be discussing fire prevention as well as focusing on Halloween! We are very excited to have the Firemen from St. Johnsburg Fire Hall come visit us to go along with this theme! We will get out and enjoy the fall weather by taking a nature walk and we will be hard at work preparing for Halloween. We will continue to practice our numbers, letters, writing our names and other important skills with many theme related activities. As we head into fall and Halloween approaches these little ones will be preparing for the season with many Halloween activities, painting pumpkins, making treat bags, creating hand print bats just to name a few. Be sure to be on the lookout for all the important dates coming up. This month will be busy and
FUN FUN FUN!



We have grinning Jack-O-Lanterns this month as well as this grinning Star of the Month, **Chloe!**

This sweet and loving little girl is doing a fantastic job in our Pre-K 3 program. She is quickly learning how to spell her name and working on potty training! Chloe loves playing with dolls, dress up and kitchen center. She pretends to play mommy and goes "pat, pat" with her babies and loves to change them on the changing table. Chloe's loveable personality is well known within the center because she is always there to give a hug or a great big smile whenever needed! She is always very bubbly and happy that she lightens up the room everyday she is here. Chloe has been with Bunny Bunch since she was just a few weeks old and is growing fast into such a bright young girl! We are so proud of her and can't wait to continue watching her learn and grow! Congratulations Chloe! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Pre-K 4 News

This month's Pre K 4 theme is *Fall Time Fun*. Our weekly themes include *Colorful Leaves*, *Fire Safety*, *Nocturnal Animals*, *Pumpkin Fun*, and we end with *Halloween*! We are excited about all the exciting dates we have coming up this month, including Picture Day on Friday, October 4th, a visit from the fire fighters from St. Johnsbury Fire hall to talk all about fire safety and a Halloween party on Thursday, October 31st.

The children will start the month out talking all about *Colorful Leaves*. They will be diving into the fall season while staying busy learning all about and crafting with leaves and brainstorm what it is that they love about fall. We then will jump right into to talking about *Fire Safety*. These children will be sure to enjoy playing 911 BINGO, making fire pictures, and learning all about fire safety. Our visit from the fire hall will be held this month, more information will follow. *Nocturnal Animals* will have the children learning the difference between day and night. They continue working on letter recognition and name tracing. Be on the lookout for autumn leaves, pumpkins, spiders, and ghosts as we prepare for our Halloween Party. *Pumpkin* and *Halloween* will have the children more than ready for the holiday. The children will be working hard and are already excited for the upcoming holiday!



Pre-K 4 News Cont.



We're not keeping this star under wraps. Who is it, you ask? It's **Savannah** who is already off to a great start in our Pre-K 4 room! Savannah is an excellent listener and observer which as a result makes her a very quick learner. We can always count on Savannah to set a good example during circle time because she does a great job paying attention and participating. Savannah is always very kind and loving towards her friends and does a wonderful job playing and interacting with everyone within the center. She has a great imagination which she lets run wild during play time and is always welcoming to others who want to join in. Savannah has a great big smile that will melt your heart whenever you see it and is such a well behaved young girl. She is always there to lend a helping hand whenever needed and enjoys being the teachers helper. Savannah has been with Bunny Bunch since she was an infant and is quickly growing up to be a smart and loving young girl! Congratulations Savannah! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

Pre-K 4 News Cont.



Our spooktacular Pre-K 4 Star of the Month goes to the none other **Thomas**! This handsome young boy is doing fantastic in our UPK program! Thomas has adjusted perfectly without any hesitation to his new classroom after summer vacation. In one short month he has made many new friends with strong bonds and has grasped the new rules and routine of the classroom in the blink of an eye. Thomas' willingness to join in on all classroom activities makes him a great role model for his fellow classmates to follow. He is quick the listen and follows his teachers directions very well. Thomas is very playful and enjoys playing with his friends. While at school he likes to play with the magnet tiles, letter boards and blocks. Thomas continues to make his teachers proud and we are all honored to be able to help start his educational journey!

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

Pajama Day Fun!



Let's go Buffalo!

