# Bunny Bunch Daycare & Pre-K Newsletter August 2020

#### **Important News**

- We hope everyone has been enjoying the summer! We have enjoyed the playground, our walks, as well as water and bike days. We will continue to do these this month as well so look for more information to come!
- For bike days, Please bring in a helmet and any safety pads that you wish your child to wear. Without a helmet, your child cannot participate.
- For water days, please bring in a bathing suit, appropriate footwear and a towel for your child that day. Your child's shoes will get wet. Please ensure that all items are labeled with your child's name or initials to avoid any confusion. Thank you!
- Reminder: Tuition is due the Friday before the week of attendance. Thank you!



#### Birthdays!

We would like to wish a Happy 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday to Braxley and a Happy 5<sup>th</sup> Birthday to Trey!! We would also like to wish a Happy Birthday to Miss Rebecca! We hope you all have a wonderful day!

#### 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: Jonah Vollan** 

**TODDLER: Chloe Spencer** 

PRE K 3: Benjamin Sandonato

PRE K 4: Jasper Vollan

#### Star Teacher!!!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss. Taylor from our Boulevard location! Miss. Taylor has been with Bunny Bunch for a year now and has proven herself to be a valuable asset to our Bunny Bunch team! Miss. Taylor has recently been promoted to be our Lead Toddler teacher and we couldn't be happier with the decision and her overall work ethic and love for the children. Her dedication and hard work for her job definitely does not go unnoticed. Miss. Taylor comes to work each day with a positive attitude, ready to take on what the day has to offer. We are so thankful for a teacher who has great communication skills, excellent work ethic and a kind heart who ultimately wants the best for the company. Miss. Taylor can be counted on to be a reliable and helpful employee. She is always willing to help in any circumstance and when needed. She is an interactive teacher who is always making sure the children are staying engaged and having fun. Her patience and calming voice is a quality that is loved by each and every child. It certainly gives them a sense of acceptance to the classroom and also cared for. We are more than confident that Miss. Taylor will do a fantastic job leading the class. Congratulations Miss. Taylor, we love you!!!

## Infant News

The theme this month in the Infant Room is *Fun at the Zoo*. The babies will be very busy learning about all the different zoo animals and the sounds that the zoo animals make. They will be reading all sorts of stories that will help introduce them to the many zoo animals such as "Old Macdonald had a Farm", "Penguins, Penguins Everywhere!", "Animal Strike at the Zoo" and "Hiccups for Elephant" just to name a few. Along with reading stories, we will incorporate many zoo songs to sing during Circle Time. "5 little fish", "5 speckled frogs", "A trip to the zoo" and "going on a bear hunt" are just a few that these little ones will be singing. Throughout the month we have many hands on and fun activities and crafts planned. These babies will be busy playing with animal cookie cutters and playdough, finger painting, sponge painting, Do-A-Doting and playing with Oobleck. With all this nice weather we have been having, we will be sure to get the babies out for nature walks to enjoy the fresh air! It is sure to be a fun fantastic summer month!

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Our sunny Infant Room Star of the Month is none other than Jonah Vollan! This sweet little guy brightens up the room with his bright blue eyes and adorable smile! Jonah has grown so much and is doing such a great job learning to stand on his own and is doing even better with learning to walk! He is so fast when he is crawling around, better watch out for this guy! Jonah is such a happy boy who loves making silly faces at everyone around him. You can always find him playing with any toy that makes noise, especially little instruments. Jonah is such a giggly little guy who is always playing and laughing with his friends! He does a wonderful job with sharing toys with all of the other babies in the room with him! He loves exploring the room with all of his little buddies, they always finding something new to play with! Jonah is such a little lovebug who loves giving hugs and cuddling with his teachers! You can always find him at the gate saying "hi" to everyone he sees! Congratulations Jonah! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

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## Toddler News

The theme this month in the Toddler room is Lazy Days of Summer. The weekly themes include: Sports, Zoo Animals, Clowns and Circus, Pets, and lastly, Garden. Throughout the month, fun activities will take place both inside as well as outside. During the first week, our Toddler friends will be learning about all the different sports. Baseball, football, hockey, soccer and basketball will be the focus of each day throughout the week. The week of Zoo Animals the children will be making paper plate monkeys, finger painting zebra stripes and learning all about elephants and giraffes. During Clowns and Circus, the children will have tons of fun using popcorn to make a crafts, creating their own clown and finishing the week out with a Circus party! Then, the children will switch gears and learn about pets. They will make a paper plate dog, cat headband, and pet booklet. Finally, we end the month with crafts that pertain to the garden, such as fruit and vegetable prints, sequencing and gardening. Altogether, it looks like another busy month for the toddlers!



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The Toddler Room is proud to announce that Chloe Spencer is our Star of the Month! This fun spirited little girl is doing so well in the toddler room! She is always one of the first kiddos to participate in circle time and is even starting to work on potty training! Chloe is such a smart little lady already! She knows her colors, shapes and even animals! You can almost always find this little blue eyed beauty playing with dolls and cooking them some food in the kitchen center. Chloe loves music and dancing, even more when she is making the music herself with some instruments! Chloe is such a sweet little girl who loves to play and share with all of her friends. She is such a silly girl, too! You can always count on her to give you a good laugh!

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



Our monthly theme is *Fun in the Sun*. The children start the month discussing *Summer Olympics* where they will be making Olympic rings, an Olympic torch and name flags! At the end of the week the children will complete a variety of races and games for a chance to win different awards. During the week of *Summer Art*, the children will be bust drawing with chalk, playing in shaving cream, and finger painting. During the week of *At the Beach*, both learning and play centers will revolve around water and sand activities. With sea shell activities, A Vacation at the Beach craft and a bike day planned, these children will sure have a fun and exciting week. The next week, *Lazy Summer*, will include making a sun visor, ant craft and inch worm activities along with a water day! We finish of the month with *Summer Carnival*. During this week the children will be sharing the stories of the fun they had at carnivals and fairs throughout the summer and will be making a clown hat along with many other fun crafts and activities!



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Pre-K 3 is proud to announce Benjamin Sandonato as their Star of the Month! This handsome guy is doing a fantastic job in our Pre-K 3 program and his teachers couldn't be prouder! He is doing such a great job at circle time, he knows his colors, shapes, numbers and is working very hard on writing his name! Ben is such a sweet and loveable little boy; he is everyone's best friend! He has a smile on his face at all times and is always very happy and playful with his classmates. He plays so nicely with others and does a great job getting along with everyone. He has such a great imagination that he lets run wild on the daily. You can always find Ben with his police officer or construction worker costume on, driving little toy cars around, building tracks for them to go through. Benjamin is adored by all of his teachers and friends, he is always the first child to run up to someone and give them a hug! Ben has been with Bunny Bunch since he was just a few months old and has grown so much during his time here! We are proud of his progress so far this year and can't wait to see what is in store for him this upcoming school year! Congratulations Benjamin! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

## Summer Camp News

Our theme is Summer for the month of August. This month sure is an exciting and fun filled month for these little ones. We start the month off with Dr. Seuss. They will be doing many Dr. Seuss crafts and activities including making a Cat in the Hat craft, making Dr. Seuss hats and Thing 1 and Thing 2 writing activity. Then we jump into Disney Week! With a Monster match, superhero painting and minion bowling the children will be sure to enjoy the week. We continue into Camping/Nature week. During this week the children will be busy brain storming what their ideal camping trip would be like, making their very own binoculars, going on a scavenger hunt and creating a handprint campfire craft! We finish out the month with Circus Week. Cotton candy, handprint lions and elephants, creating a paper plate clown and making an elephant mask are just a few of the many fun things planned for the children to take part in!

What a fun filled month we have ahead of us!

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We are all proud to announce Jasper Vollan as our Star of the Month! This energetic little guy has worked so hard this year in our Pre K program! Jasper always participates in classroom activities and discussions with so much enthusiasm and always gives us great ideas and fun little facts that he knows. His teachers can often hear him cracking little jokes to his friends; you can always count on him for a good laugh! Jasper loves playing with anything that has to do with pirates; he can build a pirate ship out of pretty much anything! Jasper is such a sweet and loving little boy who is friends with everyone he meets. He is such a proud big brother to his brother Jonah. He is always checking on him and making silly faces to make him laugh! When Jasper is not pretending to be a pirate looking for treasure, he loves to be outside! Jasper is very athletic and loves to play on the playground! Jasper will be greatly missed as he heads off to Kindergarten but we know he will rock it! Congratulations Jasper! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

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### Summertime Fun!

