

# BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER

October 2020

## Notes From The Director...

With a new school year well underway, October is sure a busy and exciting time here at Bunny Bunch! Each classroom will be having fun by learning and discussing the topics of fire safety and the change in season! Lastly, we will end the month by having fun celebrating Halloween!

We would like to let all our families know how much we appreciate all of your cooperation with our current policies. If you ever have any questions, feel free to call the office at 716-694-8560.

## Upcoming Events

- Pumpkin money is due by Wednesday October 14<sup>th</sup>! Don't forget to fill out and return the permission slip to your child's teacher!
- Bills Day will be October 9<sup>th</sup>, October 16<sup>th</sup> and October 23<sup>rd</sup>!
- Book orders are due by Friday October 23<sup>rd</sup>!
- Friday October 30<sup>th</sup> is our Halloween Party! We encourage all children to bring in their costumes, labeled and in a bag.

## Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Brooklyn a very happy 1<sup>st</sup> birthday, Jayce a very happy 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday, and Benjamin & Mackenzie a very happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday!! We hope you all have a wonderful day!



## Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Liz from our Townline Road location! Miss Liz is an extremely dedicated, loving, and thoughtful teacher. She has been working in our Pre-K 3 Room lately and we are very grateful for all that she has been doing for the children and for the room.

She is constantly making sure all of the children are happy, safe, and having fun! She is very considerate of each child and their needs and it is very evident how much she truly cares about each and every child. All of the children absolutely adore her and are always so excited to see her. Miss Liz makes learning fun for the Pre-K class and there are always lots of smiles and happy faces in the room! Miss Liz is also always willing to help out around the center and lend an extra hand wherever needed. All of her hard work, patience, and kindness do not go unnoticed. Thank you for all you do Miss Liz!! Congratulations!! We love you!!!

## Star Students!

Each month we have a "Star Student" of the month. The lead teacher will make the choice. Certificates and prizes will be available to the children at the beginning of each month. The teacher will base their decision on growth and development, relating to others, and other STAR qualities! 😊

Our wonderful Star Students this month are...

INFANTS:	Calvin
TODDLERS:	Elliot
PRE-K 3:	Penelope
PRE-K 4:	Santino

# INFANT NEWS

# October



## Our theme this month is

### Five Senses!



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. It will be a busy and exciting month for our Infants!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO  
BROOKLYN  
WHO TURNS  
1 THIS MONTH!!



Congratulations to  
our Infant Star of  
the Month,  
Calvin!!



# Infant Star Of The Month!



Our star Infant is anything but spooky this Halloween month. Congratulations to **Calvin!** This sweet blue eyed boy is growing so fast right before our eyes! Calvin is such a little lovebug who loves to snuggle up with his teachers and gives the best hugs! Calvin is doing such a great job at walking around and exploring the classroom. He is a very resilient little guy who laughs and gets right back up anytime he falls -nothing can stop him! He loves dancing and playing with all of his friends so much. Calvin brings so much happiness to our Infant room with his sweet giggle and smile! Calvin is so smart too! No matter what toy he plays with he is quick to figure out how it works! We can't wait to see what Calvin can do next! Congratulations Calvin! Keep up the great work! We love you!!



## Our theme this month is

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. After that, we jump into *Fire Prevention Week*; these children will be able to learn all about firemen! 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-Dotting pumpkins, coloring bats, creating Halloween bags, and painting a pumpkin to take home. What a fun and exciting month!

Look out for our toddler birthdays  
next month!



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# Toddler Star Of The Month!



The Toddler room is proud to announce **Elliot** as their Star of the Month! This silly boy is such a joy to have in our Toddler Room! Elliot is always cracking jokes and laughing with all of his friends. He is really starting to open up and we can see his awesome personality shining through! This smart little guy knows his colors, shapes, numbers and letters and is ready to learn more every day! He loves doing Circle Time and singing with Miss Tonia and his friends. Elliot is a very artistic boy who loves making crafts, coloring pictures, and painting. Elliot's favorite toys at school are blocks, cars, puzzles and he loves playing in our kitchen center. No matter where he is playing he is sure to be sharing and playing with his classmates. He is so compassionate caring; he is always checking on his buddies to make sure they are happy and having fun! We are so proud of him and can't wait to continue watching him learn and grow! Congratulations Elliot! Keep up the great work! We love you!



## Our theme this month is

Colors of Fall!



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 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.

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JAYCE WHO TURNS 3 THIS  
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of the Month,  
Penelope!!

# Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month!



We have grinning Jack-O-Lanterns this month as well as this grinning Star of the Month, **Penelope**! This sweet and loving little girl is doing such a great job in our Pre-K 3 room. She is such a smart little lady who can already spell her name, know her shapes, colors, numbers and ABCs! Penelope very creative and loves using her imagination whenever she can! She is always telling silly stories, drawing, coloring, and writing. Penelope loves using her imagination when playing with dolls, dress up and using our kitchen center. Her friends know they can always count on her to have fun during the day! She has so much energy, and she loves using it by singing and dancing around the classroom. Penelope is such a happy little girl whose smile is so contagious! Penelope has been with Bunny Bunch for a few years now and we have loved watching her grow into the adorable little girl she is now! Penelope is doing such a great job so far this year and we can't wait to see all that she can accomplish! Congratulations Penelope! Keep up the great work! We love you!!

PRE-K 4  
NEWS

# October



Our theme this month is

Fall Time Fun!



This month's Pre K4 theme is *Fall Time Fun*. Our weekly themes include *Colorful Leaves*, *Fire Safety*, *Nocturnal Animals*, *Pumpkin Fun*, and we end with *Halloween*! 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 brainstorming what it is that they love about fall. We then will jump right into talking about *Fire Safety*. These children will be sure to enjoy playing 911 BINGO, making fire pictures, and learning all about fire safety. *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 Halloween. *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!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO  
BENJAMIN & MACKENZIE  
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Santino!!

## Pre-K 4 Star of the Month!



Our spooktacular Pre-K 4 Star of the Month goes to the none other than **Santino**! This handsome little boy is doing amazing in our UPK program! Santino is such an eager boy who is always ready for any activity that Miss Alyssa has planned for the day. He quickly adjusted to all of our daily routines in the classroom and is learning so much every day he is here. Santino is such a good role model to all of his classmates. He follows directions, listens and transitions so well between all of his centers! On top of all of that, Santino has the best manners! He is always saying please and thank you, and asks questions when he is unsure of something. Santino has already made so many new friends in the one short month he has been with us. He always makes sure that he includes his friends in any center he is playing in. While at school Santino likes playing with blocks, cars, trains and looking at books in our reading center while he is at school. Santino makes his teachers so proud and we are so honored to be able to help start his educational journey! Congratulations Santino! Keep up the great work! We love you!!

# Pajama Day Fun!



# Let's Go Buffalo!

