#### BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER

#### August 2023

#### Notes From The Director...

We hope everyone is enjoying their summer! We know all of the children are! They are loving water days, going for walks, playing outside and all of the fun summer activities! We will continue the fun this month as well!

Just a reminder, tuition is always due the Friday before attendance. Thank you!

#### **Upcoming Events**

- We will be having a few water & bike days this month! Look out on your child's calendar for those dates!
- The center will be closed on Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup> in observance of Labor Day. We hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday!
- Bunny Bunch loves to take care of family and friends. We are increasing our referral credits as of September. If you refer a part time child, we will credit your account \$100, if you refer a full-time child, we will credit your account \$150. Thank you for referring family and friends to Bunny Bunch!

#### Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Carter a very happy 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday!! We hope you have a wonderful day!



#### Star Teacher!

Congratulations to our star teacher this month, Miss Tracy from our Niggara Falls Blvd. location! Miss Tracy started with us this past school year as one of our pre-k assistants and has quickly become a fan favorite of all the staff and kiddos! Miss Tracy takes initiative in whatever room she is in and is always ready to lend a helping hand or clean a room without even being asked. She is always on top of things and makes everyone's job easier! Miss Tracy is a pleasure to work with and always maintains a calm and fun classroom! She is always ready to get on the floor and do an activity, craft, or experiment with the kids! When another teacher is absent, Miss Tracy will always step up to the plate and lead a room! She is very reliable and is always even ready to switch a shift or come in a different day to work with our schedules even better! Miss Tracy is a gem of a Bunny Buncher, and we are so lucky to have her! Congratulations Miss Tracy, 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: Sophia
TODDLERS: Bentley
PRE-K 3: José

### INFANT NEWS

# August



#### Our theme this month is

Fun at the Zoo!



The babies at Bunny Bunch are sure to have a fun month learning all about zoo animals and the sounds they make! They will be reading many fun animal themed stories and singing songs about animals too. The babies are loving doing their fun crafts and this month has plently for them to make! Miss Rebecca and the babies are continuing their morning Circle Time each day with fun songs, flashcards, puppets, and stories! They are loving playing and learning each day and the Infant Room is always filled with lots of smiles!!

Look out for our Infant Room birthdays next month!!!



- We will be sending home any swaddles or sleepsacks at the end of each week to be washed. Thank you!
- Don't forget to label all bottles, sippy cups, pacifiers, and any other items your child brings in with their first & last name. Thanks! (3)
- The babies will be continuing to go on their walks outdoors, which they are loving!



### Infant Star Of The Month!



Our sunny Infant Room Star of the Month is none other than Sophia! This sweet little girl is growing so quick right before our eyes. Sophia really brightens up the Infant Room with her big smile. She is making amazing progress since starting. Sophia has already mastered rolling all over the room and is working on crawling and is even trying to hold her own bottle! She is hitting all of her developmental milestones and is such a determined little girl. Sophia is such a fashionista. She comes in with the brightest and cutest outfits on every day that get so many compliments. Sophia loves listening to music, stories and playing with any toys that make noise. She is such a gentle and kind girl who is so happy & content when playing with the other babies in the room and especially loves cuddling with her teachers. Sophia is the sweetest girl who brings so much joy to all of those around her. We are so proud of all of the progress she has made since starting and we cannot wait to see what she learns next! Congratulations Sophia! Keep up the great work! We love you!!

### TODDLER NEWS

# August



#### Our theme this month is

Lazy Days of Summer!



The weekly themes include: Sports, Zoo Animals, Clowns and Orcus, 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 down 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!

## Happy Birthday to Carter who turns 2 this month!!



- We are asking that each child bring in a blanket for themselves for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!
- Don't forget to label all sippy cups and any other items your child brings in. Thanks!



## Toddler Star Of The Month!



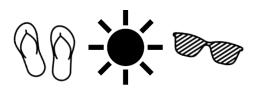
The Toddler Room is proud to announce that Bentley is our Star of the Month! This handsome little guy started with us in the Infant Room and has grown so much since. Bentley is doing a great job in the Toddler Room and loves showing his teachers all that he has learned. He loves Circle Time, singing his ABCs, telling everyone colors & shapes and making crafts. This goofy boy has such a great imagination, especially when making messy crafts or playing with toys. Some of Bentley's favorite toys at school are definitely vehicles. His favorites are cars, trucks and trains, but he especially loves tractors and excavators. Bentley is our little bookworm. He can often be found sitting and looking at books, or carrying them around to give out to his friends or teachers to read. Bentley is a sweet and silly boy who gets along with everyone. He loves making everyone laugh, gives the best hugs, loves to share and is great with using his manners! Bentley's kind and silly personality is adored by all who meet him. We are so proud of how well Bentley has done in the Toddler Room this year and we can't wait to see him progress and learn even more this upcoming school year! Congratulation's Bentley! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

# PRE-K 3 AUGUST



#### Our theme this month is

Fun in the Sun!



The children start the month discussing Summer Clympics 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!

Look out for our Pre-K 3 birthdays next month!!!



- If your child naps, we are asking that they bring in a blanket for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!
- Don't forget to label all sippy cups and any other items your child brings in. Thanks!



### Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month!



Pre-K 3 is proud to announce José as their Star of the Month! This little guy is doing an awesome job in our Pre-K 3 class! José is such a smart boy and loves to show us all of his knowledge, especially during Circle Time! So far this year, he has mastered potty training, knows his shapes, colors, numbers and he can even spell his name! José is such a goofy boy who loves making others laugh with his silly faces and story telling. He has such a fun loving and kind personality that helps him get along with everyone he meets. José loves getting his friends involved in playing espeically when it comes to any construction toys. He will tell us the names of all of the contruction vehicles he sees or knows. José always knows what music to play to get his classmates dancing and having fun. Most of his favorite songs are by Blippi and almost always are about some type of vehicle! We are so proud of all of the progress José has made since joining our Pre-K 3 classroom and know he will do amazing this Fall! Congratulations José! Keep up the great work! We love you!!!

#### SUMMER CAMP NEWS

# August



#### Our theme this month is

Summer!



This month sure is an exciting and fun filled month for these little ones. We start the month off with D: 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 metch, 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 usl

Look out for our Pre-K 4 birthdays next month!!



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- If your child naps, we are asking that you bring in a blanket for naptime. We will be sending them home at the end of each week to get washed. Thank you!
- We had such a fun summer with everyone, and we are sad to see some of our friends go off to Kindergarten, but we know they will all do great!