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CENTER CENTRAL

Spring is in the air and that means outside time! Please make sure your child has appropriate clothes/coats for outside play, and also take a look at their extra clothes in their box to make sure it's the right size and it is season appropriate. Please remember to label all items. We are also getting ready for summer! Summer class lists will be posted at the sign in table soon. Be on the lookout for me! I like to roam around the building and into all the classrooms! I especially like to play tricks on all the friends!!!

KIDS FOR KIDS



With Spring in the air, what better time than now to do a little Spring cleaning?! Teachers and students will work together this month and clean their room and sort through their toys and decide which toys they could give away to other kids!

NURSERY & CLIMBERS









This month the Nursery has 2 big Birthdays to celebrate: Hank and Coralie are both turning 1!! Miss Kay, Miss Kris, and Miss Nicole are all proud to say that Coralie is walking, Hank is taking steps, and Carson is sitting up on his own! Our teachers love to help the kids improve on their milestones, so right now Brooks, Lennon, Mason & Lucy are all practicing sitting up!









Miss Sharon and Miss Denise have a fun month planned with crafts, books, and songs that go with a Transportation theme. The kids will paint with cars and make colorful wheel tracks on a big roll of paper! They will also be singing the song "The Wheel's on the Bus" and reading "The Little Engine that Could" and "Little TOOT" stories!



EXPLORERS & ADVENTURERS

<u>Explorers</u>: Miss Bev and Miss Trinka have a month full of fun experiences with Transportation! They will be acting out stories on a Flannel Board, reading the book "Taking a Trip", and playing with sand, cars, and trucks in their sensory table! They will also be counting green shamrocks everyday at circle time and making yummy green fruit salad!











These are a few of the kids' favorite books where they laugh and laugh:

"Too Purpley" & "Icky Sticky Frog"

<u>Adventurers</u>: Miss Emily will be working on fine mo-

tor skills this month. The kids

will be stringing Fruit Loops to make a rainbow necklace, matching Fruit Loops on a rainbow, and finger painting a shamrock all in time for St. Patrick's Day!



PRESCHOOL

<u>Miss Lacy & Miss June</u> are excited for 5 Senses week. On taste day they have a bunch on different foods for the kids to taste. Some yummy, some sweet, and some sour!! They can't wait to see their squirmy faces! They will also be working on sequencing this month by putting stories and events in order!

<u>Miss Miranda</u>'s class will be learning about signs during Letter S week. They will read stories about traffic signs, talk about what each sign means during circle time, then go on a Sign Scavenger Hunt around town and see if they can spot the signs! Back on Valentine's Day the kids had a blast playing Valentines Corn Hole! They had to toss a stuffed animal and try and land it on a heart!

<u>Miss Linda's</u> class will be making flowers with their hands to decorate their room during Spring Week. They will also be planting grass seed in small containers and learning about what plants need to grow. Once the grass gets tall enough the kids will "mow" the grass with their scissors!!

<u>Miss Mindy</u> has a month full of experiments for the 4 year old class! They are going to start the month off painting blindfolded so they know how important the sense of sight is! During Letter T week they will put play-doh in Legos and use dental floss to clean the lego "teeth", and they will also put an egg in Pepsi until it turns brown and use a toothbrush to clean the "tooth". These 2 activities will help enforce the importance of dental hygiene!

Don't forget to wear

green on Friday, March

17th!!! hehehe

March is a busy month full of fun activities, parties, and the start of our walking trips! This month look forward to :

- \Rightarrow 5 Senses Week
- \Rightarrow Seasons Week
- \Rightarrow Letter S Week
- \Rightarrow Spring Week
- \Rightarrow Letter T Week

Please look at your child's calendar for special dates for our Spring Walk and our "T" Party!





<u>Miss Dawn 's</u> class will be exploring Space during Letter S week. They will learn about the different planets and stars! They also will start to learn to tell time during Letter T week! <u>Miss Carrie's</u> class will be using their imagination and flying to the moon and different planets as they pretend to be astronauts and learn about space! In February they made a book called "Rhyming is Silly, Rhyming is Fun, We Think Rhyming is Number 1!" They came up with funny rhyming stories using their names!

SCHOOL-AGE

School-agers have a big month of Spring! They will experiment with rainbow clouds and wait and see how much rain a cloud can hold! They will make a few healthy snacks for themselves like Ants on a Log and Wild Animal Mix. They will also plant flowers to hopefully bring Spring. Hopefully they will get outside for more beautiful weather so they can play their favorite games of jump rope, basketball, football and just running!

