

# BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER

 August 2024 

## Notes from the Directors...

Our 1<sup>st</sup> month of summer has been a total success! We have loved getting to play outside with our water tables, sprinklers, and even our bikes from home!

With the weather being nice, we like to go outside every day that its possible. Please make sure your child wears or brings appropriate shoes for the playground!

If you may have any questions, please call the office at (716) 731-5948!

## Upcoming Events!

Water days this month are on August 12<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Please bring your child's swimsuit, shoes that can get wet, and a towel all labeled with your child's name!

Our First day of Universal Pre-K starts September 3<sup>rd</sup>

Look out for pre-k room classroom placements and orientation/supply drop off dates!

## Happy Birthday!!!

This month we would like to wish Mason a happy 1<sup>st</sup> birthday, Lillianne a happy 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday, Matthew a happy 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday, Wiley and Dominic a happy 4<sup>th</sup> birthday, Noelle a happy 5<sup>th</sup> birthday, John a happy 6<sup>th</sup> birthday, Joseph a happy 7<sup>th</sup> birthday and Gabriella a happy 8<sup>th</sup> birthday!

## Star Teacher!

We are thrilled to announce Miss Melissa as our Star Teacher of the Month for the month of August! Since stepping into the role of Lead Toddler Room Teacher, Miss Melissa has truly shined, demonstrating her dedication and enthusiasm in the role. Miss Melissa is very reliable and she brings genuine joy to the classroom every day. She has seamlessly transitioned into her new role, showcasing how fast she learns and her commitment to going above and beyond for her kiddos. Her warm and loving nature makes her a favorite among the children, and her positive energy is contagious. Miss Melissa consistently creates a nurturing environment where every child feels safe and supported. Miss Melissa is a team player and is always willing to help out in a pinch. We love that we can always count on her! Congratulations, Miss Melissa! Thank you for all that you do to make Bunny Bunch a better place for both children and staff. 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: Olivia**

**TODDLERS: Mason**

**PRE-K 3: Penelope & Seraphina**

Infant Room  
News!

August



Our theme this month is:

Fun at the Zoo!



July was such a fun month for our babies! August is expected to be just as fun if not more! The babies will be learning, playing, and doing all things involving the zoo! They will get to see different types of zoo animals, try to make the noises the animals make, and even sing songs about the animals! Our first week of August will have the babies glueing stripes on a zebra and a little bit of water table play! In the second week they will be making elephant handprints and going on an adventurous bear hunt in the room! After that, they will get to make a tissue paper monkey where they will crinkle up the tissue paper and try to glue it on themselves! They also will get to play in cool whip! Lastly, the infant room will be making lion handprints and going on an adventurous walk outside to see if they can spot any local animals on their own! August is a busy month for these adorable babies and we are just as excited as they are!

Important Notes and  
Reminders:

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!

Happy Birthday to Mason who  
turns 1 this month!



Congratulations to  
our Infant Star of  
the Month,

Olivia!

# Infant Star Of The Month!



We are thrilled to announce our delightful **Olivia** as our infant room Star of the Month for August! In the quick 3 months Olivia has been at Bunny Bunch, she has quickly become a cherished member of our daycare family. Since joining us, she has seamlessly adjusted to her new environment and has already made so many friends. Olivia's sunny disposition and infectious smile brighten up our days. She has a natural ability to spread happiness wherever she goes, and her sweet nature endears her to everyone she meets. Olivia's affection for her teachers is heartwarming, and she particularly enjoys curling up with them to read her favorite books. In addition to her loving personality, Olivia is hitting some exciting developmental milestones. She has recently started pulling herself up and is on the verge of standing on her own.

We are all eagerly anticipating the day she takes her first independent steps! Olivia's presence at Bunny Bunch Daycare has been nothing short of wonderful, and we are so proud to celebrate her as our Star of the Month. Keep shining, Olivia! We can't wait to see all the amazing things you will continue to do.

Toddler Room  
News!

# August



**Our theme this month is:**

Lazy Days of Summer!



Summer is in full swing and the toddlers are loving every day of it! They have got to play outside and even enjoy some water days last month! More are coming this month as well! In addition to their summer time outdoor activities the toddlers have a packed month with lots of different themes each week! Week one starts off with 'Sports'. During this week they kiddos will do a bunch of crafts making different sports balls and objects! They will make a baseball, hockey stick, football and even soccer ball! They also will play the basics of these games like kicking and passing the ball to each other on the playground! The next week's theme is 'Zoo Animals' where the toddlers will learn about different zoo animals! They will learn what they look like, sound like and even make crafts of them! They will make a monkey, elephant, lion and even a zebra! Week 3 is 'Clowns/Circus'. These kids will have fun making their own clown hats and popcorn craft and they will even use the parachute to make their very own circus tent in the classroom! Lastly, the toddlers will end their week with 'Pets' where they will talk about all the pets you can have as well as making cat, dog, fish and bird crafts! What a fun month these kids have in store for them!

## IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

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!

The children will be going outside a lot more this month so please be sure they have appropriate shoes to wear on walks and on the playground.

August 12<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> are water days! Please bring in a bathing suit, shoes that can get wet, and a towel all labeled with your child's name!

**Happy Birthday to Lilianne and Myles who turn 2 this month!**



Congratulations to  
our Toddler Star of  
the Month,

Mason!



# Toddlers Star Of The Month!



We are excited to announce **Mason** as the toddler's Star of the Month for August! At just 2 years old, Mason is a standout in our classroom, and his endearing qualities make him a joy to be around. With his loving brown eyes and sweet demeanor, Mason has truly captured our hearts. Over the past month, we've seen remarkable growth in his communication skills and his eagerness to participate in group activities. Mason's improvements in talking and engaging with his peers have been impressive, and it's clear he's becoming more confident each day. Mason's enthusiasm for circle time, singing, and coloring is evident. He brightens up our sessions with his cheerful participation and love for creativity. When it comes to playtime, Mason's favorite activities include building with Leggos and playing with dinosaurs. His imagination and sense of fun make these activities even more enjoyable for everyone. We are so proud of Mason's growth and delighted to celebrate him as our Star of the Month. His warmth, laughter, and positive spirit make him a treasured member of our Bunny Bunch family. Keep shining, Mason!

Pre-k 3 Room  
News!

# August



Our theme this month is:



Summer Fun!



Pre-K 3 has had such a fun start to summer and August just had more fun in store! Our first week of August will be 'Summer Art' where the kids will get the chance to be little artists all week! They will make a sunflower, have flower stamping projects, and make a pineapple! After that the kids jump into 'At The Beach' Where they will make a sand castle craft, jellyfish craft, and a hand print crab! After that we are going to be going to the carnival with out 'Summer Carnival' week! They will make a cotton candy craft, lion hand print and even play some carnival games like ring toss! To wind down the last week of august and summer we have 'Lazy Days of Summer' Where the kids will make their own visor hat, sun catcher, and ice cream craft! This month has a lot in store for the kiddos and we are so excited! Not to mention we have 2 water days and another bike day in store for this month as well!

## IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

If your child naps, we are asking that they bring in a blanket for napttime. 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!

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August 12th and 23rd are water days! Please bring in a bathing suit, shoes that can get wet, and a towel all labeled with your child's name!

Happy Birthday to Matthew who turns 3 this month and Wiley who turns 4 this month!



Congratulations to  
our Pre-k 3 Star  
of the Month,

Penelope &  
Seraphina

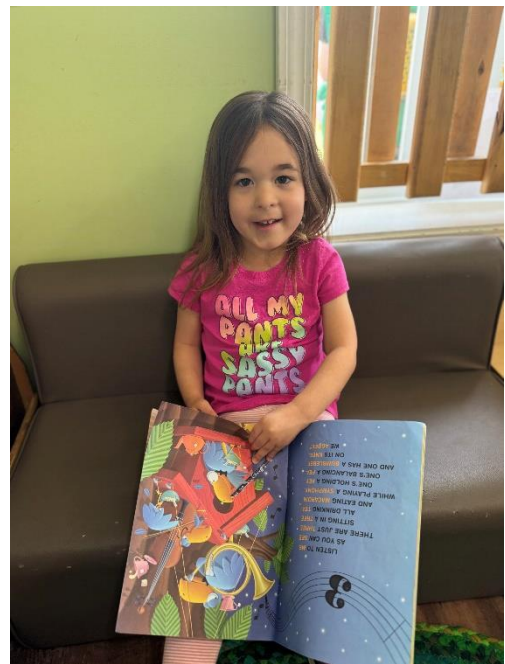


# Pre-K 3 Stars Of The Month



We are delighted to celebrate **Penelope** as Pre-K 3's Star of the Month! Penelope's outgoing and sweet personality has made her a standout in our classroom. Her infectious smile and cheerful demeanor light up the room wherever she goes. Penelope has a particular passion for our dinosaur center, where her impressive "RAUR" is always a highlight of playtime. Her creativity and enthusiasm for dinosaurs make her a favorite among her friends. Whether she's making her peers laugh with her funny antics or engaging in playful adventures, Penelope's sense of humor and energy are truly contagious. Penelope is not only fun but also kind and thoughtful. Her ability to share generously and be considerate of others sets a wonderful example for her peers. Penelope truly is the star of the show. We are thrilled to recognize her as our Star of the Month and can't wait to see all the fantastic things she will continue to achieve. Keep shining brightly, Penelope!

We are thrilled to spotlight **Seraphina** as Pre-K 3's Star of the Month for August! Seraphina's kind and helpful nature makes her a beloved friend among her peers, and her ability to uplift those around her is truly inspiring. Seraphina's intelligence and enthusiasm for learning are evident in her consistent success with worksheets and crafts. Her positive attitude towards new challenges and her love for circle time highlight her eagerness to grow and explore. One of Seraphina's favorite activities is playing in the kitchen center, where she enjoys pretending to cook for her friends. She is very creative and it shows in her dramatic play. Seraphina's unwavering positivity and excitement to come to school every day make her a true gem in our daycare. We are so proud to recognize her as our Star of the Month and celebrate all the joy she brings to Bunny Bunch. Keep spreading your sunshine, Seraphina!



## Summer Camp News!

# August



### August plans and themes!



Our Summer Camp kids are so much fun and we love having them here all summer long! These kids love to play, explore, and socialize! We have so much fun in store for them this month! The first week of August is Dr. Seuss Week! This week the kids will read a bunch of Dr. Seuss books, make a Truffula Tree, make Cat In the Hat masks, and design their very own crazy socks! After that is Disney Week where the kiddos will make a Mickey Mouse craft, do a Mickey bean bag toss, Mr. Potato head craft and end the week with the movie Frozen with special 'Frozen popcorn' for snack! After that the kids kick it into gear with Olympic Week! During this time they will play baloon tennis, design their own olympic medal, make a hockey game with Legos and make a medal snack out of a golden oreo and fruit by the foot! How fun! The last week in August is Camping Week! The kids will get to find their own rocks, paint x's and o's on them, and get to play tic tac toe with their creation! They will also make binoculars to take on a scavenger hunt outside! There is so much to do this month and we are ready to jump right in and enjoy our last full month together in Summer Camp before school starts back up!

### IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS

Unfortunately, due to the circumstances this year we ask that you do not bring any home items/toys besides your child's backpack, folder, and water bottle.

Please make sure your child's water bottle is labeled with their first and last name. Thank you!

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Happy Birthday to John, Joseph,  
Gabriella, Noelle, and Dominic in our  
summer camp program this month!

