

# BUNNY BUNCH DAYCARE & PRE-K NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2024

## Notes From The Director...

November was an exciting and busy month here at Bunny Bunch! The children had fun learning about Thanksgiving, fall, scarecrows and celebrating Thanksgiving with our special Thanksgiving Feast!

Thank you to everyone who donated canned goods to our food drive!

We hope everyone has a safe, happy, and healthy Christmas and New Year!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday December 4<sup>th</sup> is Grinch Day! Wear green and do Whoville hair!
- Friday December 13<sup>th</sup> is Polar Express Day, wear your pjs!
- Monday December 23<sup>rd</sup> is Ugly Christmas Sweater Day!
- Friday December 20<sup>th</sup> is our Christmas Party! The children will celebrate in their classrooms with a party full of games, crafts and snacks!
- Center is closed December 25<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> for Christmas! The center will be closing at 3pm on New Years Eve!

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

This month we would like to wish Bailey a very happy 4<sup>th</sup> Birthday! We would also like to wish Miss Tiana a very Happy Birthday as well! We hope you all have a wonderful day!



## STAR TEACHER!

Congratulations to our Star Teacher of the Month, Miss Michele from our Ward Road location. Miss Michele has been with Bunny Bunch for over 15 years now and has been an amazing asset to our team. She is our Pre-K 3 lead teacher and does an incredible job with all of the kiddos in her class. Miss Michele is always on time, never calls in and is always willing to lend a helping hand wherever and whenever it is needed. Her classroom is always meticulously clean and full of colorful artwork. Miss Michele is very organized, creative and is our go-to girl for help when it comes to party decorations, monthly crafts and special gifts. She is always able to come up with an idea for anything we throw at her! Miss Michele does a great job caring for the children in her care. She always makes sure they are happy, safe and having fun. Their favorite days with Miss Michele are when she plans special parties because they know she always makes the best games! Not only is Miss Michele wonderful with the kids, but she is reliable, hardworking and starts each day with a positive attitude. We are so grateful to have Miss Michele at Bunny Bunch with us; we don't know what we would do without her! Congratulations Miss Michele! 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:	<b>Cali</b>
TODDLERS:	<b>Lucette</b>
PRE-K 3:	<b>Colter</b>
PRE-K 4:	<b>Adam</b>

# INFANT NEWS December



## Our theme this month is

A Snowy Christmas!



The theme in the Infant room this month is *A Snowy Christmas*. The babies will be busy throughout the month preparing for the holidays. We will be reading a lot of Christmas stories, such as "The 12 Days of Christmas", "Where, oh Where is Santa Claus" and "Christmas with You". New holiday songs will be added to Circle Time and dancing to fun Christmas music will happen on the daily. With many fun activities and crafts planned, the babies will most certainly be in the holiday spirit in no time! Our crafts this month include painted striped candy canes, reindeer footprints, handprint Santa's, tissue paper ornaments and footprint Christmas trees. The babies will be busy making Christmas gifts for their parents...but shhh, they're a surprise! Then, we finish out the month preparing to ring in a new year! We hope that everyone has a safe and fun holiday!

Look Out For Our  
Infant Room Birthdays  
Next Month!



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CONGRATULATIONS TO  
OUR INFANT STAR OF THE  
MONTH,

Cali!

## Infant Star Of The Month!



Cali is spreading the Holiday cheer as our Infant Room Star of the Month! This adorable little lady is growing so fast right before our eyes! She has been with us since this past March and has been a great addition to our Infant Room. Cali is such a happy and smiley little girl who is adored by everyone who meets her. She has the sweetest smile and big green eyes that will just melt your heart! Cali is on the move and you cannot stop her! She crawls around the room so fast and we know that she will be walking in no time. She has already figured out how to stand when she is holding onto something and is so proud of herself each time she does! Cali loves playing with all of the other babies in her classroom and loves listening to stories and music with them. She especially loves when she gets visits from her big brother Colter, who is also a Star Student this month!! Her sweet and loveable personality brings so much joy to the room and we are so lucky to be able to watch her grow and learn! Congratulations Cali! Keep up the great work! We love you!!

# TODDLER NEWS

# December



## Our theme this month is

Holiday Fun!



As the weather gets colder and the snow starts to fall, December will bring happy holidays for all! Celebrations and Christmas Joy are our themes for the first few weeks as we prepare for the holiday season ahead! We will be doing many fun crafts related to the all the different holidays celebrated around the world. The children will learn about Hanukkah and Kwanza during the first week of December. As we get ready for Christmas, the children will spend the next two weeks preparing. The children will make Rudolph handprints, do-a-dot stockings and handprint wreaths. We are looking forward to all the holiday fun at our Christmas Party! They will be working hard a long side Santa's Elves making a special gift to take home for their families all throughout the month! Closing the month and wrapping up the year the children will be Celebrating the New Year as we prepare for 2023! We are ready for this exciting, fun filled month!

## Look out for our toddler birthdays next month!!



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OUR TODDLER STAR OF  
THE MONTH,

Lucettel!

## Toddler Star Of The Month!



Our Toddler room Star of the Month **Lucette** is definitely on Santa's nice list this year! Lucette is flourishing in the Toddler Room and has really started to show us how sweet and silly she can truly be. She has been with Bunny Bunch since she was just a few months old and has grown so much since then. Lucette frequently participates in Circle Time and does a great job communicating, singing songs and showing us how smart she is! This sweet and gentle girl loves to make silly faces and jokes to her teachers and friends to make everyone laugh. She's our little class clown! Lucy loves getting involved during craft time and getting messy with paint. She is such a creative little girl and loves to show off her art skills whenever she can. Lucy gets along with everyone she meets. Her gentle personality and sweet smile light up the room and everyone is just drawn to her! She does a great job with sharing and taking turns with anything she is playing. We are so proud of all Lucette has accomplished and learned since joining us and we are excited to see what she learns next! Congratulations Lucette! Keep up the great work!

We love you!

PRE-K 3  
NEWS

# December



## Our theme this month is

Counting the Days to Christmas!



There will be happy faces, busy hands will be painting, wrapping presents and voices will be caroling. These are just a few of the sights and sounds of December in our Pre-K3 room. Our monthly theme, *Counting the Days to Christmas* will begin a new month of learning. As we begin to experience cold, snowy days and anticipate the arrival of winter, we will also be learning new holiday songs. During the week of *Holidays Around the World*, the children will learn about Kwanzaa and Hanukkah traditions. The week of *Holiday Art* and *Here Comes Christmas* will be filled with stories, songs, finger plays and holiday crafts. Plus, the children are very excited to start working on their super fun gifts for their parents. During the last week, activities will pertain to the arrival of a new season and a new year as we prepare for 2023!

Happy 4<sup>th</sup>  
Birthday To  
**BAILEY!**



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OUR PRE-K 3 STAR OF  
THE MONTH,

**Colter!!**

## Pre-K 3 Star Of The Month!



You can count on our Pre-K 3 Star of the Month Colter to be Santa's helper! This adorable little guy is doing such a great job in our Pre-K 3 room. Colter has been working very hard this school year with so many new things. He has mastered recognizing letters, can spell his name and is even able to recognize his friends' names! Colter does a great job participating in all classroom activities, whether it is Circle Time or when he is making a craft or doing a worksheet. He has come such a long way since starting with us in the toddler room last summer. He is a very sweet and kind boy who always willing to help friends around the classroom or with their work. Colter is extremely kind and loveable, which are just a few of the reasons all of his classmates love to play with him. He loves getting others involved in play and he always has great ideas to share. Some of Colter's favorite activities at school are playing with trucks, cars or building structures with blocks or magnets and especially playing with "baby sharks". You can almost always find him walking around holding 5 toy sharks and singing the Baby Shark song. Colter is adored by all and it is our honor to be able to watch him grow and learn! Congratulations Colter! Keep up the great work! We love you!!

# PRE-K 4 NEWS December



## Our theme this month is

Holiday Joys!



'Tis the season...especially in the Pre-K4 room! In November we spent a lot of time remembering things we are thankful for as well as learning about Thanksgiving. The class is now ready for December and ready to start celebrating Christmas and the winter seasons. Our monthly theme is *Holiday Joys*. We start the month out learning about *Holidays Around the World*. The children will learn about other traditions children around the world celebrate such as Kwanza and Hanukkah. We then jump right into Christmas with *Santa's Workshop* making all sorts of Christmas decorations and crafts. *Christmas is near* is the next weekly theme that will have the children preparing for Christmas. During this week we'll be making snowy pictures, shopping for our friends and family, as well as preparing for our holiday class party. Plus, we'll be making special gifts for our families! Our final week is *Countdown to the New Year* where we will be gearing up for the year 2023.

Look Out For Our UPK Birthdays Next Month!!



## IMPORTANT NOTES & REMINDERS:

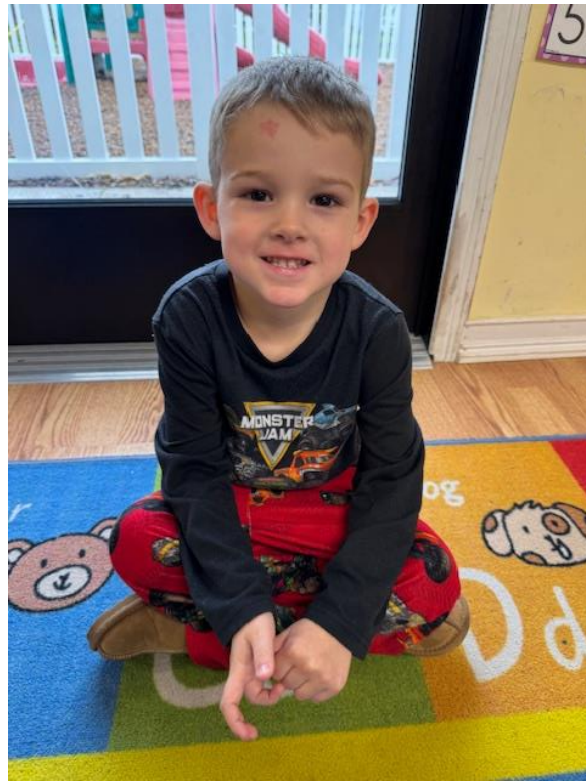
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CONGRATULATIONS TO  
OUR PRE-K 4 STAR OF  
THE MONTH,

Adam!!



## Pre-K 4 Star of the Month!



**Adam** is a jolly happy soul because he is one of our Pre-K 4 Stars of the Month! This sweet little boy is doing an awesome job in our UPK Program! Adam started with us in September and has really started to come out of his shell and show his sweet personality. He has quickly adjusted to all of the new routines in our Pre-K 4 room and we couldn't be happier. Adam is very helpful to not only his friends but also her teachers. He does an amazing job listening and following directions & he is always willing to lend a hand to a friend when needed. Adam is an extremely hard worker and he is always putting in his best effort with all that he does. He is truly an amazing role model to all of his classmates. Adam always participates during Circle Time and classroom discussions and shows a true love of learning! He has such a happy and positive attitude towards all that he does and it brings so much happiness to his classroom. Some of his favorite activities at school are playing with blocks to build towers, playing outside and playing with animals. Adam is such a loveable little boy who gets along with everyone! We are extremely proud of his progress so far this school year and can't wait to see what is in store for him this upcoming year! Congratulations Adam! Keep up the great work! We love you!!