

January "19" In Preview

I can't believe I am writing a newsletter for January 2019 already! The last 4 months in school have just flown by!! In just a short time we have already introduced the children to 10 letters (upper and lower case), numbers, opposites, rhyming words, patterns, same and different and classification activities. Most of the children can write their name in the 4-year-old class and the Pre-K class will start writing their name in upper and lower case for the remainder of the year. (This is a requirement for Kindergarten). We would also like to give a warm welcome to Ms. Margerite to our 3 Year-Old-Class as our new Lead Teacher!!

We will have a "Lazy" start to the month with the letters 'L', 'M', 'N' and 'O', some of our favorite letters to play with. We will also be working with the children on their address and phone number along with our Weekly Reader lessons on "Winter Fun and Winter Animals". Our Creation Station room for January will focus on "Wise Men Worship Jesus", Matthew 2:1-15

A fieldtrip to Westside Gymnastics is planned for Friday, January 25th at 10:00 am. We have set up a morning of tumbling and jumping at Westside Gymnastics facility located at 1347 Sunset Dr., Copley. They will have certified trainers to work with our children in many different stations throughout the morning. Please arrive by 9:50 am so our morning can start promptly at 10:00 am. The cost of this field trip is \$5.00 a child and only enrolled preschool children are asked to participate. There is a wonderful large viewing area located on the second floor for observation. The morning will conclude at 11:00. Please return your permission slip, Westside Gymnastics Release Form, and \$5.00 in cash by Wednesday, January 23rd so we can give them an accurate count of children attending.

Mission Project: During the month of January, the children will be making special cards and sweet treats that will be given to our local Police Departments. One of Bath's finest will visit the preschool and talk to the children about different safety issues that are prevalent to all children today.

Lunch Bunch: Lunch Bunch will continue in January with our 4 days a week options; Mon/ Tues/ Wed/ Thurs. Please try to sign-up a few days ahead so Nicole and I can be prepared. It would be great to have at least 3 students attending and the class will be cut off once it reaches 10. The cost remains \$5.00 from 11:30 am-1:00 pm. Sign-up sheets are available at the Lunch Bunch Table for the week.

Other Important Dates and Information

Monday, Jan. 7th - **Back to School**

Monday, Jan. 21st - **No School Today: MLK Holiday**

Tuesday, Jan. 29th - School Board meeting 6:30 pm

Friday, Jan. 25th – **9:50 Westside Gymnastics Field trip**

Watch for Revere Public Schools being closed during blizzard conditions-we will be closed when they are closed. **We will also be CLOSED when they are on a 2-hour delay.

**Please be careful in the church parking lot on icy mornings. That black ice could be very dangerous.

***Just a reminder that February we will begin registration for next year!!!! I will be asking all of our returning parents what class they are interested in for the Fall of 2019 for their child so we know how many spaces we have available for open registration. (Siblings entering the 3-year-old class will also be counted.)

**Please make sure you switch out your child's set of extra clothes to winter attire.

Ms. Sharon