

News from Room 3 Miss Laurel & Miss Shelly

Special Favorites: We are just so busy and our days are filled with so many activities. It is so much fun for us as teachers to see your children changing and growing. They really are learning to play together and often can busy themselves without much direction from us. They are fun to watch. Our favorite February activities included Chicka Chicka ABC and all of those crazy letters. During Dr. Seuss week we wore our p.j.'s and read all kinds of fun stories and chose which books were our favorites. Of course Valentines week is always fun. We liked making our secret valentines and bringing them to the office to be mailed home. We hope you liked getting your special mail! We have done all kinds of sorting games on our activity table and had some neat stuff in our sensory table. We had fun learning a little about dinosaurs. Did you see our feet compared to a dinosaurs foot-wow! Check it out in the hallway.

Class books: The children are always excited for their turn to bring things home from school to share with you. Please remember to read our books with your child and return them the next class time so that everyone gets a chance to share. Look for a turn with the dinosaur book soon. Also if your child has not had the All About Me Bag yet, remind them that everyone will get a turn. They are doing so well telling us "all about themselves".

March themes: Transportation, Space Adventures (Field Trip), Rainbows/St. Patrick's Day, & Oceans of Fun!

February Birthday: Xander- Hope you had a great birthday!

Parent Helpers: Thanks to all our parent helpers during the month of February. Do you have a special talent you could share with us? Especially when we can't get outside, it's fun to have something different! Let us know if you'd like to visit.

We have had a nasty run of colds and flu in our classroom. Remember, your child needs to be fever free for 24 hours with no meds before coming back to school; same goes for any stomach flu symptoms. We all want to stay healthy and hope for warmer weather soon! Which brings us to our next point, remember to send hats and mittens with your child, if we get a little warmer weather, we will try to get out even for a quick walk, cabin fever is abundant in room 3!

Field Trip: We will be taking our first field trip to the Helen Plum Library on Tuesday, March 9 (afternoon class) and Thursday, March 11 (morning class). Please turn in your permission slips if you haven't already. We will meet here at our regular time, and then leave for the library at 9:15/1:15. The story time lasts about 30 minutes, if you are a parent volunteer, enjoy checking out a book, reading or chatting with other parents while we are in the room. Then we will head back to school to finish our day like normal.

Spring Break: There will be no school March 29-April 1. Classes resume April 5.