



JANUARY NEWSLETTER

What's going on Around School?

- ❖ We hope you all had a great holiday season and enjoyed time with your family. We are so excited for a wonderful year in 2016.
- ❖ Please remember that the \$100.00 *per child* yearly fee is due no later than Friday, January 15th.
- ❖ We will be passing out 2015 Year End statements by January 15th. Please keep an eye out for them in your child's basket or file folder.
- ❖ With the rain, slush, and snow here we want to avoid getting our classroom carpets dirty. Please bring a pair of inside shoes or slippers for your child to wear during the day. Boots and outside shoes will remain the hall outside your child's classroom.



- ❖ Thank you to Mrs. Libby's brother Kenny and Etta and Nora's grandma for volunteering last month. We appreciate you coming to our school.
- ❖ Thank you to everyone who donated to the local PROP food shelf. We are very pleased to announce that together we raised 142 lbs for those in need in our community.
- ❖ If you are interested in signing up your toddler, preschool, or pre-k child in Soccer Shots we would highly recommend checking out their website at www.soccershots.org to learn more about the program. It is a great way to the children to release energy, get exercise, work on motor skills, and learn all about soccer.

Infant Classrooms

- *We welcome Piper to our classroom.
- *Our sign language for this month includes: new, please, thank you, and eat
- *Some of the fun art projects we have planned this month includes: an apple, a bear, a raccoon, and a colorful rainbow.
- *Art projects are posted in the hall for the whole month and will be taken down by our teachers in bulk at the end of the month for you to take home.

Toddler Classroom

- * We have a good feeling that 2016 will be off to a great start! We have so many fun projects, ideas, sensory activities, and lots and lots of small and large motor activities planned for this month.
- * We are working on potty training daily. Please let us know if you would like your child to be included.
- *We had such a fun time last month with our classroom elf, Amy, and look forward to her coming again next December. The children enjoyed looking for her every morning because she was always in a different spot in the classroom. So fun!

Preschool & Pre-K Classrooms

- *We welcome the Henero family to our preschool classroom.
- *Our classroom elves, Pickles and Ralph, have made their way back to the North Pole. We look forward to them visiting again next December.
- * We have a busy month planned with numerous projects, activities, and centers that will keep the children engaged and excited.
- *Please remember to bring everything your child needs for playing outside. We try and go outside daily (weather permitting) and want the children to stay warm!
- *Letter Muncher is on Wednesday and Thursdays.

We are closed or close early the following days:

December 31st – close at 4 – New Years Eve
January 1st – closed – New Years Day



January Snack Ideas



Martin
Luther
King Jr. Day
January 16th



This Month's Theme's:



Week 1:
Alphabet
Week 2:
Hibernation
Week 3:
Colors
Week 4:
Teddy Bear

A BIG thank you to every one of you who came to our Holiday Program last month on the 16th. We hope you had a great time and enjoyed yourselves.

Birthday's This Month



Hadley – 16th
Elena – 16th
Sesha – 23rd
Drew – 26th

HAPPY ★ NEW ★ YEAR