

March Newsletter

Room 101 – Mrs. Beebe

March is national reading month and we will be sharing some favorite books and authors.

March Learning Themes

Favorite books/authors:

I selected the favorite books and authors theme to celebrate reading! Reading is fun and has many benefits for people of all ages. We will be reading various books written by Dr. Seuss, Eric Carle, Nancy Carlson, and Karma Wilson. We will focus on identifying characters, making real-life connections between stories and characters, making predictions, retelling events, comparing and contrasting stories, and most importantly, finding joy in reading! In addition, we will be spending more time writing in our journals in March. The dramatic play area will be transformed into a castle to encourage imagination.

Walking Through the Alphabet

March letters will be as follows:

Week of March 1 – Rr

Week of March 8 – Tt

Week of March 15 – Uu

Week of March 22 – Vv

Reading Chain

During the month of February, when a friend showed kindness, we wrote the act on a strip of paper and added it to our classroom chain. During March, we will add links to the chain for each book read at home. Strips of paper will be sent home and after reading a book together, you can choose to write the name of the book on the link and return it to school. Our goal is to add enough links to our reading chain to make it long enough to circle our classroom!

Music with Mrs. Sherry

Ms. Sherry will continue to send video lessons for us to learn new songs and experience new instruments and musical concepts.

Junior Teacher

During March and April, the Jr. Teacher may bring in a favorite book to share. Please help your child prepare to talk about the book (ideas: name of author, characters, things that happen in the beginning, middle and the end of the book). Have your child also identify his/her favorite part of the book. Please see the Jr Teacher schedule posted on our classroom site.

Parent/Teacher Spring Conferences

I am looking forward to meeting with you to discuss your child's development and progress. We will discuss self-help skills, social and emotional development, speech and language development, large and small motor skills, cognitive skills, and areas of interest. I will send a link to a conference sign-up google doc in my weekly email on Mar 1st. I also will be sending you a form ahead of time to write down any comments, concerns, or questions you would like addressed at the conference. Please return this form to me by March 11th.

Important Dates:

3/31 – 4/1 - School Closed – Parent/Teacher Spring Conferences

4/5- 4/8 - School Closed – Spring Break

4/12 – School resumes

Communications: If at any time you have questions or concerns, please email me at (dbeebe@lakeharrietumpreschool.org) or call/text my mobile phone.

~Mrs. Beebe 