

Little Folks School House January 2018 Newsletter

Happy New Year! We would like to thank everyone for the gifts we received at Christmastime and hope that you all enjoyed your Holidays.

Now that 2017 has come to an end, we need to wrap up our books and once again ask families who have fallen behind in their tuition to please bring those accounts current. Year-end receipts will be out within the next couple of weeks. Also, a reminder that our rate increase goes into effect January 1st. Please remember that when paying your tuition by check, to indicate in the memo the days you are paying for. The \$35 annual registration fee is now due. Just a reminder that this fee is per child, not family. Please return your new contracts if you haven't already done so.

Extra Clothes.... We have a policy in place that each child must have an extra set of clothes incase they have an accident (bathroom, messy art, lunch spill etc.). We have noticed that several children are missing that extra set. Our supply of clothes has almost diminished due to parents not returning them when we had to use them on their child. Please be sure your child has extra clothes here. We can't let a child sit in wet or soiled clothes and we would hate to have to call you at work and ask you to leave to bring clothing in if your child happens to have an accident.



Each classroom will be working creatively with the children in hopes of keeping cabin fever away. We will continue to go outside daily as long as the temperature doesn't fall below 20 degrees so please remember to send in warm clothes every day. We also have noticed that several children have the exact same snow pants or same boots. We would like to ask that you label all your child's outerwear.

Lunch..... Should you choose to send in a cold lunch for your child, please make sure that it contains ALL of the required components: A grain, a protein, a vegetable, and a fruit. We will supply milk. If a lunch comes in without the full requirements, we will need to supplement the lunch and charge you for it.

Snow Days

If the Kewaskum School District closes due to inclement weather, it does not mean that Little Folks automatically closes. We will evaluate it storm-by-storm. Please watch channel 6 (Fox 6 storm center), channel 4 (storm team 4), or check our Facebook page for closing information.



Scholastic Book orders are due by January 11th.

We will be CLOSED on Monday, January 1st.
HAPPY NEW YEAR

INDIVIDUAL CLASSROOM NEWS

Bunnies: Our room will be all about “Winter Wonderland”. We are looking forward to watching the snow fall and bringing some of that snow inside so we can feel it and play with it.

Depending where your child is, we will be working on transitioning from a bottle to a cup, taking steps and sitting up independently. We would like to ask that you send in a family photo if you haven’t already done so. Also, if you feel that your child has dry skin over these next few months, feel free to bring in a lotion or cream and we will be happy to apply it.

Happy Birthday to Garrett on 1/20 and Isaac on 1/30.

Ladybugs: Our theme for the month is “Let it Snow, Let it Snow, Let it Snow”. We will introduce the color white. We are looking forward to both indoor and outdoor snow play so please remember boots and snow clothes.

Happy Birthday to Hadlee on 1/7.

Turtles: Our themes for the month are “Winter has Arrived”, “Let’s Build a Snowman”, “Polar Bears, Penguins and Winter, Oh My”, and “Looking for Blue”. Our letter for the month is C and the number is 3. We will work with the colors blue and white and the circle shape. We will continue to encourage independence and self-help skills. We are looking forward to playing in the snow and fun times with our friends.

Happy Birthday to Sam on 1/27

Bumblebees: Our themes for the month are “Nursery Rhymes”, “Arctic Animals”, “Snowmen and Snowflakes”, “ Brrr Weather”, and “Dinosaurs”. We will learn and/or review the letters I, J, K, the numbers 9 & 10, the colors blue and white, and the square and rectangle shapes. We will work on independence and name tracing.

Happy Birthday to Morgan on 1/26

Giraffes: Besides doing a re-cap of our letters, shapes, numbers and colors, we will learn about arctic animals and fairy tales. We will be working with the children on putting on all of their winter clothes on by themselves. We have some that have mastered this and some that are on their way. We are looking forward to playing out in the snow and our visit from Suzie Bookworm.

We have a lot of birthdays this month so Happy wishes to Mason B and Miss Jackie 1/4, Chloe 1/8, Miss McKenzie 1/9, Owen 1/13, TJ 1/17, Rory 1/24 and Josie S 1/25.