

## Little Folks School House February 2025 Newsletter

**Cold Weather Gear:** Happy February Everyone! The cold weather is still here, so please remember to send a coat, snowpants, boot, hat and mittens DAILY! Each classroom tries to get out daily if it is over 20 degrees! Please also make sure that your child's items are labeled as many have the exact same items!

**Scholastic Book Orders** are due Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup>! For every order placed, we receive free books for the classrooms! We appreciate your orders!

**Lending Library:** The Family Engagement packs have been replaced by a Parent Lending Library. Feel free to borrow any book, just fill out the name on the card that is on the inside cover and drop it in the payment box by the office.

**Valentine's Day:** On Friday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, each classroom will be celebrating Valentine's Day with a small party. The Turtle Room will also have a mini party on Thursday when Ms. Tammy is here. Attached is a list of children for optional card exchange.

### **Classroom Items Needed!**

*Giraffe Room:* Stationary, old postcards, greeting cards, envelopes

*Bee Room:* Fake flowers

**Important Dates:** February is Dental Health month! Lisa, from Shumway Dental will be coming on February 4<sup>th</sup> for a visit with the Bees & Giraffes! We are also going to be setting up a time for a police officer to come in and talk to Bees & Giraffes about stranger danger and good/bad touches. Date is TBD.

Bookworm Barb will also be visiting the Bees & Giraffes on February 13<sup>th</sup> for a story time & activity and a book to take home.

**Pick Up & Drop Off Time:** To follow along with the state procedures that are put in place, please make sure that your child is with you during drop off and pick up times. At drop off time, after a child is signed into a classroom, they need to remain in the classroom with the teacher. At pick up time, children need to remain in the classroom until they are signed out by their parent. We have been having children running out of classrooms at pick up time or running up and down the hallway unsupervised. We do not want anyone to get hurt or run out in the parking lot unsupervised. Thank you for your help with this!

**Breakfast Reminder:** Just a reminder that breakfast time ends at 8 am! If your child comes close to 8 or after, please make sure they eat prior to coming as teachers are getting started on their morning activities at that time. Morning snack is served at 9 am.