

# COZY CONVERSATIONS



## MARCH 2019

### LADDER OF ACHIEVEMENT:

1's: Emily is now crawling all around the room. Liam is standing independently and trying to take his first steps!

2's: The children are starting to enter the cooperative play stage! We've noticed them giving each other roles to play together! Nice job friends!

3's: We have made our way to the letter D already! Most of us can recognize all the letters too!

4's: All of the 4's are doing a great job with their letters A – R and numbers 1- 17. Miss Elaine's class is doing great with writing their name in lower case letters, without a name card!

5's: Our entire class has been working really hard on their blends, word families and math. All of the kids are moving up in their reading levels and challenging themselves!

### MONTHLY THEMES:

**Dr. Seuss, St. Patricks Day, Dinosaurs, Spring, Space, Green**

### So long Miss Anne Marie....

Miss Anne Marie will be leaving us soon. She has taken a position as a nanny. She has been with us for almost 3 years and we will miss her terribly! In her time here she has steadily provided such care and love to our toddlers. Miss Ashley and Anne Marie have worked so well together but we know Miss Ashley will continue on with the same loving, caring, and fun atmosphere for our little ones. We have hired a new teacher. Brooke will be joining us on March 11. She has about 5 years' experience working with toddlers and we look forward to getting to know her.

Since March 8 will be Miss Anne Marie's last day as our Director, we are required to name a new

Director to take over. As of March 11 Miss Ashley will be our Director and carry on as a Lead Teacher in our 2 yr. old room. Miss Roxanne will be the Assistant Director.

The only requirement Ashley is lacking is a course in Child Care Administration therefore we have to submit a waiver request to the state requesting they grant us the time period for Ashley to complete the course. She is allowed to be our Director as long as she completes the course within one year. Her intention is to enroll in the course as soon as possible. If you have any concerns about the requested waiver you can call the licensing bureau at 271-9025.

Going forward, Ashley is scheduled in the 2's room all week except Wednesday. She will involve herself in the day to day operations of the center so she will be an additional staff member when needed if you ever have any concerns or questions.

### Exclusion Policy

We are now required to make parents aware of our exclusion policy. It is as follows:  
Situations may occur where we will ask a parent to remove his or her child from our center. It is very rare and it would only occur after diligently working with the family to resolve any issue. We also utilize a professional network to seek help and advice before a decision is made to excuse a child. If after working with the family and the child is still extremely disruptive or has a potential to cause injury to another child then we would ask for them to seek care elsewhere.

## **KIDS SAY THE FUNNIEST THINGS:**

1's: Colin: "Ashley is all gone! She is in Anne Marie's room!"

2's: When Jack found out lunch was mac & cheese, he said, "No. I want ketchup with a little hot dog!"

3's: Carsen: "Killian, remember to blow out the candles."

Killian: "No. I just want to blow the garbage truck away!"

5's: C.J.: "When I was 1 I lived on the Titanic!"

## **PATS ON THE BACK:**

1's: They are working very hard at using their spoons!

2's: Leah has shown initiative and has started to use the potty!

3's: Everly is now potty trained. Lindsey is working towards it too.

We welcome Antonio to our room. He has fit right in and is doing great!

4's: Matthew is doing addition and subtraction facts all on his own!

5's: 4 of our students – Brynn A, Mia, Mihajlo & Cora – were challenged to read a Dr. Seuss book. All of them did a great job. Hopefully by the end of the month we will add more children to the list! Keep up the great work!

## **IT'S REGISTRATION FEE TIME...**

Each January/February the yearly fee of \$50 per family is due. If your child or children are continuing with us through the upcoming school year, please pay the \$50 by the end of February. If your child is only enrolled in the Before/After School group, the fee is \$25. If you are set up on auto payments please give us the ok to run a charge for the reg. fee. Also, please let us know of your summer vacation plans and any schedule changes.



## **2019 Holidays**

**MEMORIAL DAY MON. MAY 27TH**

**THURS. JULY 4TH**

**LABOR DAY MON. SEPT. 2ND**

**THANKSGIVING NOV. 28TH & 29TH**

**CHRISTMAS EVE TUES. DEC. 24TH**

**CHRISTMAS DAY WED. DEC. 25TH**

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Fri. March 8 - 5's: P.J. Day -  
MARCH 15<sup>TH</sup> - ST. PATRICK'S DAY  
PARTY. WATCH EACH ROOM FOR  
SIGN-UP SHEETS**

## **HELP WANTED:**

The 3's can always use empty tissue boxes for crafts.

**NO MORE SLIPPERS**....Children need to wear shoes in school....especially when we have a fire drill.

**KINDERGARTEN PARENTS**....Miss Beth will no longer send out a weekly email unless it is needed so please be sure to check the bulletin board in the hall by your child's cubby.



**TREVOR BENOIT 3-11-14**

**JAXON GAGNON-SHACK 3-5-15**

**CADEN HARTLEY 3-14-11**

**ETHAN HARTLEY 3-26-14**

**LEA LU 3-21-17**

**WYATT MORDARSKI 3-27-15**

**CHACE MULLEN 3-28-14**

**EMMA PERRY 3-14-1**