

February 2019

# BOSTWICK CHILDREN'S CENTER



## Reminders:

- **Labeling:** Please label all your child's belongings. Including lunch boxes, water bottles, and jackets.
- **Naptime:** Nap blanket child size and with stuffies inside of his/her cubbies.
- **Extra Clothes:** With the rainy season here. We try to go outside when we can. If you have a rain jacket and rain boots please bring them. You can leave it under to cubbies labeled. Extra clothes as well.
- **2019/20 Fall Priority Registration**
  - Priority registration for the 19/20 school year will begin in early March for incoming TK/K & currently enrolled families.
  - Please check your home CKC site & the February site newsletter for more details.
  - Site specific dates will be posted February 8th, 2019.

## Teddy Bear Tea Party

We will be celebrating Friendship Day on Thursday February 7<sup>th</sup> and Friday February 8<sup>th</sup>

Bring in a Teddy Bear or their favorite stuffy to join our Tea Party.

We would love everyone to bring in a piece of fruit for our friendship salad.

There will be a sign up form next to the sign-in and out.

## Valentine's Day!

We will be celebrating Valentine's Day on Wednesday February 13<sup>th</sup> and Thursday February 14<sup>th</sup>

The children will be decorating special bags to keep their received Valentine's Day cards in. The bags will be on display Wednesday and Thursday above the cubbies.

If you would like to bring cards we recommend only putting your child's name on it and leaving the 'to' area blank.

(Treats are okay to bring – children will take bags home to open)

**We have 33 children enrolled**

**(25 bags will be out Wednesday and 25 bags will be out on Thursday)**

## Month's Theme: Love & Friendship

**Week 1: Friendship**

**Week 2: Valentine's Day crafts**

**Week 3: Similarities & differences**

**Week 4: Emotions**

### When sick...

Children must be able to participate in daily activities. If your child is showing signs of illness (fever, runny nose, or persistent cough) please keep them home! Children must be clear of symptoms for at least 24 hours for them to return to preschool.

## Dates to Remember:

**Closed Monday February 18<sup>th</sup> in observance of Presidents Day**

**Teddy Bear Tea Party**

**Thursday February 7<sup>th</sup> and Friday February 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Valentines Exchange**

**Wednesday February 13<sup>th</sup> and Thursday February 14<sup>th</sup>**

**Costume Day**

**Tuesday February 19<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday February 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Jersey Day**

**Monday February 25<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday February 26**

Working on taxes?

**Our federal tax ID number is 94-2478136**

# January Fun!

## Zazzy Zebras Miss Kayla

During the month of January, our theme was about wintertime, weather and animals. We discussed where animals live, what they eat and what they do during the winter season. We talked about the word hibernation and we talked about which animals hibernate. We also worked on writing our own names and refreshed our shape recognition skills.

Some of our favorite activities during the month of January included playing in our artic sensory table filled with of icy cold water, creating penguins and dancing like penguins!

We have been working hard at following our classroom expectations of working together as a team. We are working together to filling up our 'WOW' jar and earned a pizza party!

In February, we will be talking about love and friendship. We will incorporate many partner and group activities.



## Leaping Lions Mrs. Nathalie

In January, we explored the season of winter. We talked about the cold weather and about what things we like to do when it is wintertime. We talked about different animals that lives in cold and snowy places.

Some fun activities that we enjoyed this month was the Penguin song and making "My Heart Penguin". They loved learning the song and the dance.

In February, we are focusing on building love and friendship. Identify different kinds of feelings or emotions and of course, since it is the month of love, we will be making a beautiful Valentine's Day craft for our love ones.

## Funky Monkeys Miss Terra

In January we used the cold wet weather we experienced to learn new songs about the rain and explore cold climates. We talked about what kinds of clothing we need to wear when it is cold and what kind of activities we can do when it is cold and rainy. We did a lot of indoor dancing to get our bodies moving!

Some of our favorite activities in January involved creating painting with iced watercolor sticks. We also learned about the different type of animals that live in the snow. Our favorite activity was about the foxes and dancing to "What does the fox say".

In February we will be talking about friendship and being kind to each other. We will talk about who is in our family and make lots of crafts that show our love!