

Jenkintown Journal

MARCH 2010



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March Themes & Special Days/Weeks



Transportation: Bikes, Cars, Buses, Planes,
Trains, Boats, and St. Patrick's Day

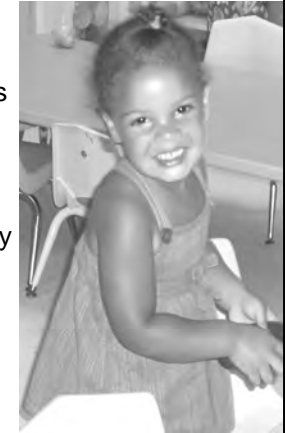
American Red Cross Month
National Nutrition Month
Dr. Seuss Day (March 2)
Poison Prevention Week (March 14-
20)
Daylight Savings (March 14)
St. Patrick's Day (March 17)
First Day of Spring (March 20)
Palm Sunday (March 28)



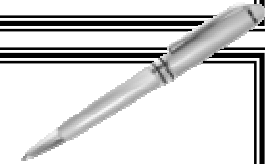
Reminders

Make sure your child has
an extra supply of
clothing/wipes/pull ups

*Make sure your child's
back pack is emptied daily
& that you read all
documents and forms
going home



Director's



We're getting closer and closer to spring The first day of
spring is March 20! Though the weather is still cold,
make sure your children remain appropriately dressed.
This month, the children will be learning about cars,
buses, planes, boats, trains, and St. Patrick's Day. We'd
also like to welcome our new hires: Ms. Larissa and Ms.
Melissa

-Mrs. Kim

Shout it out! Shout it out!



The "Shout it Out" section of our newsletter is dedicated to our families! Shout out the news! Family additions (new baby), family traditions (recipes) submit to Kim or Bitsy by the end of the month in order for your news to make it in the following month's newsletter. We look forward to hearing

from you!

PURPLE



The color for the month of March is PURPLE

On Wednesday March 31, wear your best PURPLE clothing!

Irish Potato Candy

Ingredients

- 1/4 cup butter, softened
- 1/2 (8 ounce) package cream cheese
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 4 cups confectioners' sugar
- 2 1/2 cups flaked coconut
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon

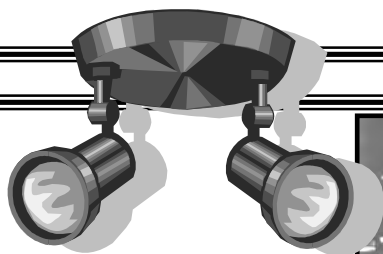
Directions

In a medium bowl, beat the butter and cream cheese together until smooth. Add the vanilla and confectioners' sugar; beat until smooth. Using your hands if necessary, mix in the coconut. Roll into balls or potato shapes, and roll in the cinnamon. Place onto a cookie sheet and chill to set. If desired, roll potatoes in cinnamon again for darker color.

RECIPE

The Center Stage

All of our classroom activities and experiences, displayed..



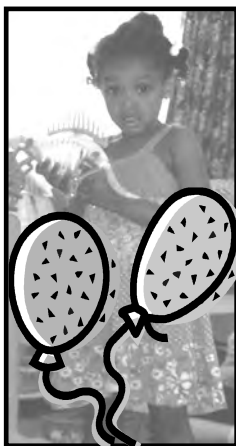
The Munchkin's Highlights (RM 1)

During the month of February, the Room 1 Munchkin's created **Chinese Lanterns!** They also created a **snowman** using the snow from our playground. They also welcomed another member into the Munchkin family, their assistant teacher, **Ms. Melissa**

The Center Spotlight

Birthdays

Mark 3/1
Colin 3/2
Destiny 3/4
Justin 3/9
Ms. Wendy 3/11
Jaden E 3/20
Naeir 3/22
Angelina 3/24



The Care Bear's Highlights (RM 2)

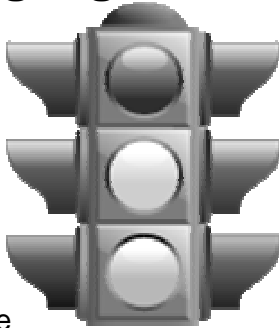
Last month, The Care Bear's welcomed a new member into their family, only it wasn't a Care Bear...it was a **fish!** The **beta fish** was given by Care Bear Parent, Ms. Brittany Jones. Another great highlight for the Care Bear's is that each one of them can **spell their names**, Hooray! We're so proud of them! With all the snow that came our way, Room 2 took advantage of using the snow for their water-play tables.



...Cont'd The Center Stage

The Bumble Bee's Highlights (RM 3)

The Bumble Bee's having been buzzing around the Chinese Culture! They have been learning about the Chinese Culture and in respect of the Chinese New Year, they had a **Parade!** Way to go Bumble Bee's! The Bumble Bee's have also been talking about famous African-Americans such as Garrett A. Morgan who created the traffic light.



The Fireflies Highlights (RM 4)

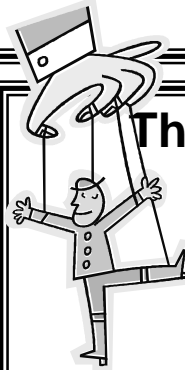
The fireflies are lighting it up (even in the winter)! In February, the children made **musical instruments** and also did a **science experiment**. Using baking soda and vinegar, the Fireflies inflated a balloon! (Great job!)

Their upcoming scientific experiment for the month of March will be a **VOLCANO!!!**

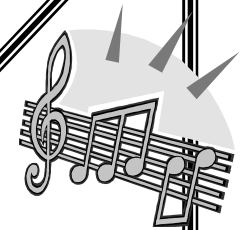


The Caterpillar's Highlights (RM 5)

Room 5 Caterpillar's have taken the Stage putting on a **puppet show** for Their friends!



Our Kindergarten class **Sang** for our Board of Directors at their Valentine's Day Tea.



Kindergarten Highlights (RM 6)