



## February Newsletter

### Wee-Threes Thur-Fri AM Class

Dear Families,

Our class is demonstrating tremendous growth and development this school year. The children are enjoying their entry activities, dancing and exercising to circle time songs, and following the obstacle course and activities during gym. All of this helps strengthen their fine and gross motor skills, as well as increases attention to task and following directions. We are very proud of their successes!

**On Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>** we will be celebrating Valentine's Day by exchanging valentine cards with each other and ending the day with a small party during snack time. *Please see the attached information for all the details.*

**Looking for a FUN date night?** Need a FUN evening out with your spouse, friends, or family? Well, do we have a FUN event for you! Come to our Dinner and Auction FUNdraiser on Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 5pm! There, you can enjoy a delicious dinner with staff members and other parents, bid on any of the wonderful getaways, themed baskets, child friendly packages, just to name a few, or take a chance on winning a raffle prize. See Christie or Cindy in the office for a ticket or more details.

**Shoe Reminder:** Now that we have been dealing with lots of snow, please remember snow boots should not be worn in the classroom and gym. The big clunky boots make it hard to sit properly at circle time and are not safe for the obstacle course in the gym. If your child wears boots to school, please also bring a pair of shoes to change into before entering class.

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### *Important Dates:*

Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup> – Valentine's Day Party & Card Exchange

Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup> – President's Day Parade at 11:15am

Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> – Annual MEEC Dinner and Auction  
Fundraiser 5pm



### *Snack (Baby Wipe) Reminder:*

\*\*Due to very generous snack donations to the classes in the big room, we have plenty of snacks for our class. Instead, we are asking for everyone to sign up for a week or two to bring in a large package of baby wipes. We will continue to use the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Thank You!\*\*

**Feb 1-2** Everett

**Feb 8-9** (Open)

**Feb 15-16** Ranveer

**Feb 22-23** (Open)

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## Classroom Activities:

### February's Themes:

Valentine's Day  
President's Day  
Keeping Warm in Winter

### February's Songs:

Mommy & Daddy Song  
My Valentine is Red & White  
I'm a Teeny Tiny Valentine"  
Do You Know the President  
Winter Pokey

### Week of February 1-2

Decorating Bags for our Valentine Exchange  
I Love You to Pieces

### Week of February 8-9

A Valentine Surprise  
Painting a Heart



### Week of February 15-16

George Washington Mask  
Red, White, & Blue Collage  
Thursday: Valentine Party & Card Exchange  
Friday: President's Day Parade at 11:15am  
Wear **RED**, **WHITE** & **BLUE**



### Week of February 22-23

Wintery Hat  
Warm Winter Scarf  
Friday: Wear **PURPLE**



We hope you enjoy all of the holiday decorations that will continue to be coming home. It is so heartwarming to see the look of pride on the children's faces as they share their creations. We also hope to see you at the Dinner and Auction Fundraiser on the 24<sup>th</sup>!

Thank You,  
Ms. Danelle, Ms. DeAnna, Ms. Lynn F, Ms. Sue, Ms. Lynn K, and Ms. Candis

# Wee-Threes Valentine's Day Party and Card Exchange

**When:** Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>

## Valentine Exchange:

- Please send in 15 valentine cards with your child's name written on the "From" area of each card. Please leave the "To" area of the card blank, as your child will be in charge of dropping a Valentine in each of their classmates' decorated bags here at school.  
(For those new to the Valentine exchange: Valentine cards can be found at stores like Wal-Mart, Target, Marc's, etc. in their Valentine's Day section. They come packaged in class sets of approximately 20-30 cards per box.)
- Place your child's signed cards in a small bag and mark the bag with his/her name.
- Put the bag on the cart outside our classroom doors before class. Thank You!

**HELP NEEDED!** We need 15 plain, unfrosted heart-shaped sugar cookies, 1 can of vanilla frosting, and red, pink or purple sprinkles. The children will be frosting and decorating a cookie for their Valentine's Day party treat. Please sign up, if you can, on the signup sheet on our bulletin board and bring the item in on or before February 15<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

