Shamrocks and rainbows will decorate our school this month! We'll focus on the importance of literacy as we celebrate the birthday of the famous children's author Dr. Seuss. Take time to enjoy a few books with your child this month. Include him/her in the story by asking questions and talking about the pictures in the book to help increase verbal skills. It's also a great way to spend a little "one on one" time with your child!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. SEUSS!

We'll begin the month with two "all school" activities to celebrate Dr. Seuss' unique and funny writing style:

- * "MISMATCH DAY" on Wednesday, Feb. 28th
- * "Silly Hat Day" on Thursday, Feb. 29th Classes will also plan their own special activities.

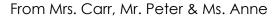
SUMMER AND FALL AVAILABILITY LIMITED

If you have not registered yet and would like your child to attend this summer or fall, please contact our office ASAP to see what is available in your child's age group. Many summer/fall classes are full or have limited openings. Children turning 3 yrs. by Aug. 31st (and toilet trained) through 3rd grade bound can attend Camp Lotta-Fun.

SPRING BREAK INFORMATION (March 25-29)

- * Morning "<u>Preschool Only</u>" children will <u>not</u> have school this week. Preschool resumes on Monday, April 1st.
- * Wee Know will be open regular hours for "Extended Care" children. Families are billed for their weekly contracted hours this week. Please notify our office if your child will not attend any days this week. Thank you!

CARDINAL NEWS





We started the month of February learning about pets and then about being a good friend and Valentine's Day. We celebrated with a fun PJ's and Pancake Party and a Valentine exchange. Thank you, Cardinal families, for all the party supplies! During our Kings and Queens unit the Cardinals enjoyed making crowns and using our best royal manners. We wrapped up February with a transportation unit where we learned which vehicles move on land, water and by sky, creating hot air balloons for art, painting with trucks, and playing in the sensory table with diggers, dump trucks and rubber chips for scooping and loading.

CARDINAL SIGN IN

We continue to have the name cards out each morning for the Cardinals to spell their names. We encourage parents to practice this skill with their child at home. Remember to ONLY use a capital letter for the first letter in their name with lowercase following. This is a hard habit to break once they are in 4K/5K. Praise your Cardinal as he/she undertakes this new skill.

MARCH THEMES

Feb. 26-March 1

Dr. Seuss; "Rr"

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"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." - Dr. Seuss Children love to hear playful language and rhymes in Dr. Seuss books. Playing with language helps create strong literacy skills. This week we will read together, paint with wacky tools, complete Dr. Seuss patterns and enjoy many other activities in celebration of this astounding author.

March 4-8

Space; "Ss"



"S" is for Space! Watch as our room is transformed to a new dimension. We will create moon paintings with foil, suncatchers, special sun painting and learn two new space songs. We hope to see you at our Cardinal Art night on Tuesday!

March 11-15



March 18-22



Spring has Sprung! Review "Q, R, S, T"

Shamrocks & Rainbows; "Tt"



It's time to look for those wonderful signs of Spring as flowers bloom and baby animals are born. We will learn about growing plants and flowers by planting our own seeds and figuring out what factors are needed for the growth of a plant or flower.

A wee bit of the Irish will visit our room this week as we keep our eyes open for those mischievous Leprechauns. We will learn the colors of the rainbow this week by painting, sorting, and completing a rainbow skittle science experiment. See Calendar for wearing special colors each day this week. Reminder: Planetarium field trip on

Teacher's Choice

Tuesday.

Our attendance will be lower due to Preschool Only children being on spring break. We will create lots of free art using different mediums and get in some outdoor exploration with the warmer weather approaching.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			28	29	1	2
Dr. Seuss			Dr. Seuss Liter	acy Program		
Dr Seuss		Wacky Socks Day	Mismatch Day	Silly Hat Day		
	Owen	Emmett	Maxie	IJ	Ben	
Space 3	Happy Birthday Emmett!	Cardinal Art Night 5:30-6:30pm Happy	6	7	8	9
***	Jane	Birthday Easton!	Peter	Emmett bday snack	Teagan	
Rainbows & Shamrocks	Wear RED	Wear ORANGE or YELLOW Planetarium	Wear GREEN	Wear BLUE	Wear PURPLE	16
	Finn	Field Trip 9:30-11:15	Owen	Freya	COOKING DAY	
St. Patrick \$17 Spring has Sprung	Happy Birthday Jack G.!	19	20	21	22	23
	Elisabeth	Jack G. bday snack	Ally	Avery	Cooper bday snack	
Happy Birthday Cooper!	25	26	27	28	29	30
and a second	School snack	School snack	School snack	School snack	School snack	