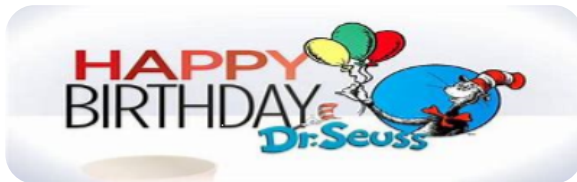


# March 2022

## PIEDMONT FAMILY YMCA CHILD CARE CENTER



We are three months into the new year and things are getting better each day! This month we are so excited to celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday the week of February 28-March 4. During that week we will have a spirit week, fun themed food, various **awesome activities** in all the rooms, and more.



As the rain and snow subside, we hope **sunny days** are upon us soon! Please remember to keep **weather appropriate extra clothing** for your child in their cubby, as we expect our **outside play time** will increase this month!



### IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

\* Continue to stay diligent and aware of COVID and any other sickness symptoms. We ask that if your child is showing symptoms that they do not return to the center until they have been 48 hours symptom free.

- Morning drop off/cut off time is at 9:00 AM.

Join us to celebrate



## Dr. Seuss BIRTHDAY!

**SPIRIT WEEK: FEB 28TH-MARCH 5TH**

**Monday: The Sleep Book (Pajama Day)**

**TUESDAY: THE CAT IN THE HAT BLACK, WHITE, & RED**

**Wednesday: Wacky Wednesday**

**THURSDAY: FOX IN SOCKS (WACKY/MISMATCHED SOCKS)**

**Friday: Green Eggs and Ham (Wear green & eating green eggs and ham)**

# CLASSROOM NEWS

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS:

Christopher W. 3/11

Walker S. 3/11

Ms. Brittney 3/11

Malaysia J. 3/13

Naomi S. 3/13

Olivia P. 3/15

Isaiah C. 3/20

Giovanna O. 3/19



For photos of the kids and other YMCA news, be sure to check our Facebook page:

[Facebook.com/PiedmontFamilyYMCA](https://www.facebook.com/PiedmontFamilyYMCA)

### Infant 1

This month in the Infant 1 class we will learn about the **color green** and objects with **different textures**. As the weather warms up we will start going outside more and doing activities. Please dress your child in **weather-appropriate clothing!** Also we will be working on **developmental milestones**, crib training, and crib to floor mat transitions. Feel free to participate in **St. Patrick's Day** by **wearing green!**

### Infant 2

This month we will focus on **eating habits** as the children try new food and work on learning how to **finger feed** themselves with my supervision. Our lesson plan will have lots of **fine motor activities** to master this important milestone. We will also start to learn about self-care such as **hand washing**. We are able to **go outside more** as the weather gets warmer! Be on the lookout for **holiday crafts!**

### Toddler

It's finally **spring** and we will have nice weather! We can't wait to spend time **outside watching everything bloom and turn green!** We will talk about spring, **Dr. Seuss's birthday**, and **St. Patrick's Day**. The toddler class will be learning **new signs** such as: **little, big, up, down, nice/gentle** and **you/me**.

### Twos

This month in the Twos class we will **celebrate Dr. Seuss** by having a **spirit week** along with fun **crafts and activities**. Our class will be working on our **problem-solving skills** and **managing our emotions**. Please send in some **weather appropriate** clothing as it gets warmer, as we are excited to be having more **outside time** now that the weather is nicer!

### Threes

This month we will be learning all about **patterns, numbers, cognitive flexibility** and **early writing**. We will also continue practicing **shapes and letters** every morning so please **check your child's bag daily** for activities each day. I am sure they just as **excited** to show you their progress as we are to see it!

### Pre-K

**Wow**, it is March already! **Dr. Seuss's birthday** is **March 2** and we will have a little **party** to celebrate! This month we will **planting veggie seeds** in lemons. We will also be **painting shapes** on the sidewalk. Also, be on the **lookout for the leprechaun**, who may **visit our class** and try to destroy it!