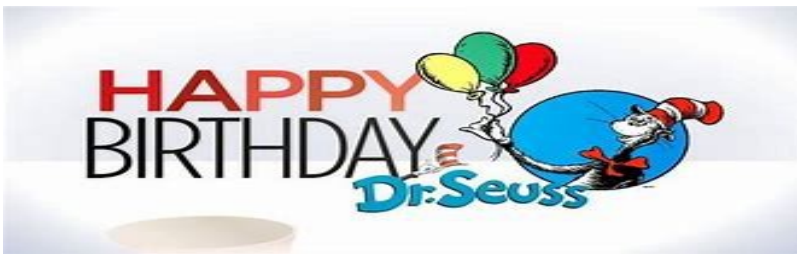


March 2021 Newsletter

YMCA EARLY LEARNING CENTER



We are three months into the new year and things are going GREAT! This month we are so excited to celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday the week of March 1-5. We will have a spirit week, fun food, various awesome activities in all of 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 to increase this month.



IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- 2 changes of clothes
- Take home linens each day to wash
- No outside food or beverages are allowed in the center
- If your child is out due to being sick, they cannot return until 48 hours symptom / fever free—this is a change from our previous sick policy due to COVID19

Dates to Remember:

March 1-5: Spirit Week

March 17th: St. Patrick's Day

Join us to celebrate

Dr. Seuss BIRTHDAY!

SPIRIT WEEK: MARCH 1-5

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)

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MARCH BIRTHDAYS



Serenity– 3/3

Ms. Brittney– 3/11

Walker– 3/11

Caleb– 3/13

Giovanna– 3/19



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weather updates, please be
sure to check our FB page:

Facebook.com/
PiedmontFamilyYMCA



CLASSROOM NEWS

Infant 1– Let's all say goodbye to winter and start welcoming spring! As we enjoy warmer weather we will be doing more outside activities and buggy rides. We would like to WELCOME Louis, Lou, and Jackson to our class! March 1–5 we will celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday with a week of fun activities. This month we will introduce the color green (don't forget to wear green on St. Patrick's Day) and work on developmental milestones and vocabulary.

Infant 2– Hello parents! The months are quickly passing we are already in March. We will be recognizing Dr. Seuss and also St. Patrick's Day. Ms. Grace and Ms. Aja are so proud of how your children are showing progress on all their milestones! We are working on songs, sign language, the color green and gross/fine motor skills. They will be doing more hands-on painting, so if you have any tee shirts, smocks, etc. to cover them with that will be great!

Toddlers– This month we will be focusing on "how things work". The children will explore the properties of water. They will test items to see if they sink or float as well as to see where water will stick. The toddler class will paint clovers for St. Patrick's Day and celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday March 1–5.

Twos– In the beginning of the month we will explore water and movement. We will pretend to be engineers by building a ramp station. The twos will start getting excited about SPRING later this month by learning about gardens and how things grow. We will be planting seeds and learning about the responsibility that it takes to take care of plants. We would also like to announce that the Student of the Month is Symphony!

Threes– This month we will be learning letters M and B. We will also be learning the number 4 and reviewing the shapes triangle and octagon. During this month we will be working on the following skills: patterning, numeracy, cognitive flexibility, and early writing. Some fun activities for this month include building a ramp station, having a tea party, creating splatter paint art, building 3D shape sculptures, and MORE!

Pre K– Look! It is already March, time is ROLLING! This month we have some exciting activities going on. During the first week of March we will be celebrating Dr. Seuss's 117th birthday! There will be a spirit week that week – so please show off your Dr. Seuss gear! During this month we will be working on rhyming words and beginning sounds.