



Where Love, Learning, & Play go Hand in Hand

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Director's Corner

Spring is in the air and there blooms a gentle reminder of nature's renewal and beauty. April is historically known as a month signifying renewal. Bringing new beginnings, the promise of Spring and the story of Easter. Classrooms will be discovering the story of Easter, how things grow, and the wonder of Spring. The preschool program will attend chapel with a special message on Easter.

Classroom Easter parties and egg hunts will be held in the afternoon on April 14. Families will be unable to attend the indoor classroom parties. Indoor Classroom parties will be limited to staff and enrolled children. However, more details to come about the outside egg hunt and family participation.

Children's House will celebrate the Week of the young child April 11th-15th; an event hosted by NAEYC celebrating early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and community. This year the fun-filled week will be literacy based. Each day will focus on a book and its theme, along with fun activities. Please note we will be celebrating one week after the national celebration.

Judy Vlach, Director

April
2022

Information Station

Easter Sunday
is April 17

Summer program enrollment is open and filling up quickly. If you are interested, please contact the Children's House office. Summer program begins May 31.



STAFF SUPERHEROS

Superhero: Ms. Erica
Secret Identity: Toddler Teacher
C.H. Mission Start Date: April 24 2017
Superpower: Patience and guiding toddlers
Super Strength: Has a keen eye for detail and is a pro in assisting toddlers discover the world around them.

Classroom News

April Birthdays

Students

4/3 Maryn, Shooting Stars
4/4 Dylan, Sunshines
4/5 Mason, Shooting Stars
4/16 Waylon, Shooting Stars
4/18 Jaxson, Shooting Stars
4/19 Colin, Sunshines
4/21 Sophie, Baby Bunnies

Staff

4/24 Ms. Laura



Baby Bunnies

Last month, we learned about March holidays with lots of fun activities. Reese enjoyed squishing the paint in a bag to make a colorful shamrock. Theo was mesmerized by the St. Patrick's Day sensory bottle. Cash got big laughs while getting his foot painted to make a rainbow footprint. Sophie is preparing for the world of walking by using the activity walker. Quincy is exploring our room, as she scoots around the room. Gavin and Kellen share their thought with the room as they enjoy talking to each other and all their friends. Finn has been taking in all the sights and sounds of our classroom and seems to enjoy them all.

In April, we celebrate Easter and Earth Day with many fun activities and artwork. Weather permitting, we will get a few buggy rides in.

Last month we wished Sylas good luck on his next adventure in the toddler room. We also welcomed Finn and his family to the Baby Bunny room.

Ms. Loretta
Ms. JoJo
Ms. Laura

Busy Bees

It's spring! A time of hope and joy and new beginnings! Nature is bursting with fresh sights, smells and sounds after the grey days of winter. It's the perfect time to talk about how everything, (especially the Busy Bees class) grows and changes. We will be planning many fun learning experiences around the theme of growth. Earth day is April 22, so we will also talk about the planet we live on and make art from recycled materials. Our curriculum this month is centered around the following themes:

Week one: Everything is growing – plant cycles, life cycles of animals. We will talk about how we were little, but now we're BIG.

Week two: Week of the young child

Week three: Earth week

Week four: April showers and other weather.

Last month we said farewell to our friend Katie, as she was promoted to the 2's. While we miss her, we know she is enjoying being a Sunshine. A very big Busy Bee welcome to Sylas and his family. He promoted to our room from the Baby Bunnies and we are so glad to have him in our room.

Happy Easter!

Ms. Erica



Classroom News

Sunshines

Dear Families,

Happy Spring! The Sunshine room is looking forward to sunny days in the upcoming month.

We are going to have fun this month learning about and exploring the season with spring themes such as bunnies, flowers and ducks.

We will also be giving special attention to the Easter holiday, and God's sacrifice for all of us.

Hopefully the weather will allow us lots of walks and playground time as well. Please have your child wear comfortable shoes that will stay on their feet during our walks. We are willing to change shoes just for walking if we need to.

Have a wonderful month!

Ms. Wendy
Ms. Cassandra

Shooting Stars

Hello Shooting Stars Families!

March went in like a lion and out like a lamb with our Shooting Stars! April is here, spring has arrived and it's time for new beginnings.

This month, our monthly theme is yellow, but that is just the start of our fun learning together.

Our weekly themes are:

Week one: Baby animals

Week two: Easter

Week three: Easter week (Earth day 4/22)

Week four: Bugs/pond life

We hope you have a great welcoming to your spring and enjoy the warmer weather.

An easter celebration will be held on Thursday April 14th. Stay tuned for more information.

Ms. Rebecca
Ms. Connie

Rainbows

The Rainbows are very excited about April and Easter. The Easter party will be on April 14th beginning with p.m. snack and then an afternoon egg hunt. More details are coming soon. Please note: all eggs and contents inside will be provided. A party sign-up sheet will be posted soon.

"Spring has sprung" serves as the monthly theme. This new season allows us to observe and discover some wonderful changes. Last month we explored wind and became excellent windy weather watchers. This month we will discover rain and measure how much we get this month in a rain gauge. April is often known as a month of renewal. The Rainbows will be discovering how things grow, including butterflies, chicks, plants and even humans. The last week our focus will be on health and nutrition and how we are growing too!

We are moving down the Alphabet with letters W, X and Y. Oval will be the shape of the month and purple will be the color. Rainbows will also be working on printing number 8, as it is our focus number.

April 4-8: Spring and rain/letter v

April 11-15: Easter/how things grow

April 18-22: How things grow/letter/w

April 25-29: How we grow (health and nutrition)/letter x

Happy Easter to all of our families!

Ms. Rae
Ms. Angela



Couples Article

WELCOME to Central Baptist Church

Our worship times are 10:45 a.m. at Springfield and 9:00 a.m. at New Berlin with a variety of Sunday School classes at Springfield at 9:15 a.m., and Sunday School following worship at 11am in New Berlin. If you are looking for a church home, we are an American Baptist denomination and welcome everyone who wishes to join with us. You may find out more about American Baptists [here](#) or you may wish to view our live worship at New Berlin on Facebook at www.facebook.com/cbcchurchfamily.



Parenting Article

What Are the Most Important Things a Parent Can Teach a Child?

In this article from the Interesting Articles to Read site, the site provides a list of what it sees as the most important things to teach your children.

Some of these important things are:

1. Cleanliness. Teach them to keep their bodies and environment clean.
2. Discipline. Give responsibilities to your children and show them appreciation when they complete their tasks.
3. Respect. This includes respect not only to elders, but to all ages and animals as well.

To read more, click [here](#).

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What Do Happy Couples Do Together?

On the Interesting Articles to Read site, the author of this article offers ten things that happy couples do. Some of them are:

1. Cuddling. It is a nonverbal means of showing love and affection.
2. Spend time together. They schedule time for each other and spend that time together without anyone else.
3. They help each other. Helping your partner shows love for them. This help can be physical or emotional help, such as a hug when needed or helping clean up after a meal.

To read more of the things happy couples do together, click [here](#).

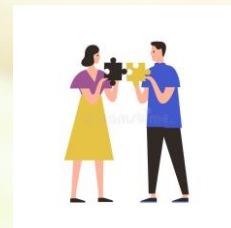
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