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# Baldwin Early Learning Center

God Wants All His Children to Follow the Leader



## Director's Desk by Ms. Mary

March is a time for change. The first flower buds pushing their way to the sunlight and a new beginning will spring forth. Soon we will put our coats away and take notice of all that is changing around us. Take a moment and pause to look at where our children are in their development and how, like a gardener, we can nurture their future growth.

Just like the seasons, many wonderful things will occur this month at the Baldwin Early Learning Center.

This month is filled with special days such as Dr. Seuss' Birthday, St Patrick's Day, and the beginning of Spring.

Fall enrollment is well underway and we are very thankful to our families who have en-

trusted their children to our care. We are happy to report that the programs are filling quickly and anticipate an exciting Fall session.

In March, we will begin our summer registration. Please read the box below for more information.

### Dr. Seuss Week!

Monday: The Sleep Book Day!  
(wear your PJ's)

Tuesday: Cat in the Hat Day  
(crazy hair, hat, or headband)

Wednesday: Wacky Wednesday  
(wackiest clothes)

Thursday: Fox in Socks  
(crazy socks)

Friday: Green Eggs and Ham  
(wear green or favorite Dr. Seuss clothing)

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**Please Remember!**

**Registration for the school year 2022-2023 is in progress.**

**Summer registration begins this month!**

**Happy St. Patrick's Day**

### Summer Program

We are having so much fun planning our summer program. We have many fun activities and themes planned.

Water day will again be on certain Fridays which is always a hit with the children.

We will have registrations ready to go in March! We'll put a flyer in your child's cubby as soon as it is ready!

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## Little Room by Ms. Via and Ms. Shawnae

Spring is near; the days are getting warmer, and the nights are getting shorter. We had a lot of fun celebrating Valentine's Day with all our friend's exchanging treats and cards!

This month of March, we will be focusing on Saint Patrick's Day and Spring! We will be out and about exploring in nature as the world starts coming to life again after winter. We will also celebrate Saint Patrick's Day on Friday the 17th by having a class party full of green things.

In class we have been continuing to learn our ABCs and 123s together through different crafts, games, and group activities. We are also working on be-

ing more independent to help prepare your child for preschool in the fall. All of our friends have been doing so well at it, from getting their water bottles to washing hands without much assistance and helping pick up their dishes after eating, all of these will help them gain their independence as they grow!

We are very proud of all our friends in the Little Room, and they are very eager to keep learning. They have been very kind to their friends and taking turns and sharing with each

other has gotten better and better. Their fine mother skills have also improved as well as we work on tracing for art projects and lines, our friends really have a desire to learn all they can and hit the milestones for 2/3 year olds!

Next week, remember to have your child participate in our Dr. Seuss Spirit Week from March 6th-10th by wearing special clothes, colorful hair, etc.! Please see the posters on the front door for more details regarding next week.

Enjoy the month of March and let's think Spring!



## Preschool 3 by Ms. Theresa and Ms. Brittany

Yay! Winter is almost over and Spring will soon be here! February, although short, was a wild and crazy month. Let's hope we can get back to our normal routine. Our Valentine celebration was a huge success We'd like to thank all the parents and kids for the understanding and joy that we receive from each one of you each day. It really warms our heart.

As we enter the month of March we have a lot of excit-

ing things to look forward to. As we are in the midst of our Dr. Seuss week, I am sure everyone is having fun and enjoying their selves. We will also be having a St. Patrick's day celebration. I will have more info about that ASAP.

This month, our theme is Signs of Spring. We will be exploring the world of Dr. Seuss, Rainbows, St. Patrick's Day as well as some spring flowers. We will learning the letters P-T and the numbers 6-10. We will work on

tracing our names as well as beginning the A,B pattern and the concepts large and small. We will also work on matching and sorting objects. We will continue to work on being more independent in order to get your child ready for Pre-K in the fall.

Thank you for all your cooperation. I hope everyone enjoys a bit of the Luck of the Irish this month and let's think Spring!

## Ms. Kim and Ms. Kayla

Pre K is ready for Spring!

Let's hope that the mild temperatures that we have been enjoying continue. We have been getting outside more and the children have been loving it. The Pre K

and Preschool 3 class also had an epic "snowball fight" on one of our rainy days.

We will be starting March with Spirit Week and Dr. Seuss. Our main theme this month is "Sign of Spring". Topics will include: St. Pat-

rick's Day, Rainbows, Rainforest and Birds/Pets. The letters this month are Uu, Vv, Ww, Xx and numbers 8-11. We will also start to practice writing last names.



## Pre-K continued

Science this month will include a rainbow light experiment and a Wind and Motion Can-Do Kit. We will also make shamrock pudding and St. Patrick's Day Crafts. Pre K has

started their homework packets. They are so excited to earn stars and pick a prize from the treasure box.

If you notice that your child is struggling with recognizing or writing their names, let-

ters or numbers, please continue to work with them at home. Even a few minutes a day can make a huge difference!

Oh so  
**LUCKY**  
to have  
you!

## March Birthdays

Dr. Seuss - March 2  
Alice Smith- March 7  
Danny Gale-March 12



## Special Events

March 6-10: Spirit Week  
March 12: Daylight Savings Time  
March 17: St. Patrick's Day  
March 20: First Day of Spring!

## Public School Closings

March 2- late arrival  
March 3- early dismissal  
March 29-early dismissal  
March 30-early dismissal  
March 31-early dismissal

## We love our Community Helpers!



Isaac's mom spoke to us about being a nurse!



Anabelle's mom made comet ice cream using liquid nitrogen! It was yummy and so COLD!



Tatum's mom talked to us about working with the mid-shipman!



Cora's mom showed us the things she uses when she helps the newborn babies in the NICU.

