

April 2022 Child Care Newsletter



Happy April! We're so excited for Spring! We have a lot of fun activities planned this month for the children and for your family! Take a look below.

WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD

The "Week of the Young Child" is April 4th-8th and we will be celebrating with some fun activities in the classrooms during their day. The themes are:

Music **Monday**

Tasty **Tuesday**

Work Together **Wednesday**

Artsy **Thursday**

Family **Friday**

For Family Friday we will have a few of our own YouTube videos showing Minute to Win it games that you can do at home. These videos will have the instructions and demonstrations on how to play. We also will be sending home a bag with a few items to take home that you will need for the games. These are great family activities for all ages. ***We would love to see pictures or videos of your family fun. Please send them to ljohnston@ttl.org.***

SHARE YOUR CHILD AND PET PHOTOS

Speaking of family, we would like to see your child & pet photos!



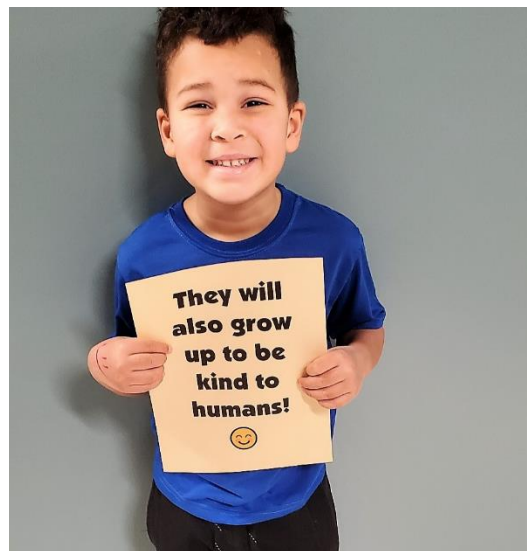
We want to see your child & pet photos! Visit our [Tumblr](#) page to submit a photo. We would like to collect them to share on our social media pages and possibly other places such as our website, newsletters, and on our ads. As you may be aware, we implement a curriculum called "RedRover Readers" which focuses on teaching empathy for animals. Research has shown that teaching children empathy to animals teaches them empathy for humans as well. We could all use more kindness in the world, and children are our future! Caring for a pet is a head start on learning responsibility.

BUTTERBRAIDS

ButterBraids will be delivered in the afternoon on Tuesday, April 12th. We will post times as it gets closer. CONGRATULATIONS to Ezra Cates who sold the most and received a tuition credit!

REDROVER READERS EVENT

LeeAnn will be doing a "RedRover Reader" resource event on Tuesday, April 12th for the Preschool & Purple classes and on Thursday, April 14th for the Toddler & Magenta classes. The children will learn about how animals have feelings the same as we do (happy, sad, scared, angry, etc.) through a sticker activity and a story book.



CONFERENCES

Conferences continue with the following schedule:

Preschool-April 13th

Purple-April 18th-22nd

School Age-April 25th-29th

LOOKING AHEAD

"Teacher Appreciation Week" is May 2nd-6th. This is a great time to thank your child's teacher for all of their hard work and dedication to all of the children in their care.