

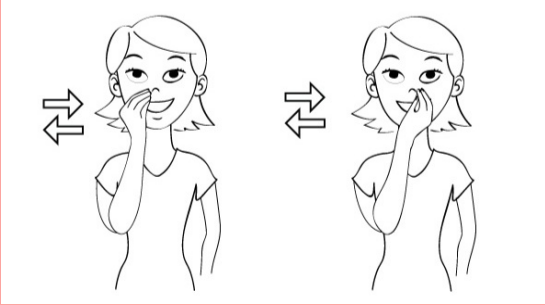


March was a fun month for the Koala Bears. We were visited by our Leprechaun friend, Lenny and tried to set a trap for him. He evaded us once again! We also celebrated Dr. Seuss week and St. Patrick's Day. It was so exciting!

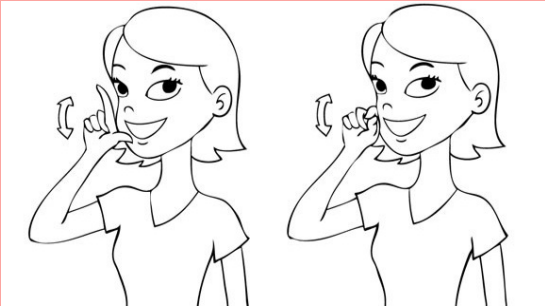
Please make sure to look at the calendar to see all the upcoming events for April as well.

Our Themes will be: **The Sign Language words will be:**

- Earth Day
- Eric Carle
- Dinosaurs
- Safety
- World/Rainbow
- Flower
- Bird



sign language- flower



sign language-bird

What You Need To Know:

Research shows the single greatest indicator of school success is how often a child has been read to! Go to www.readaloud.org to get more information on this research. Will you commit to spending 15 minutes a day reading to your child? It could make all the difference.

Books we will be incorporating:

- [The Lorax](#)
- [Planting a Rainbow](#)
- [The Grouchy Ladybug](#)





Chag Sameach!



Koala Bear ladies work on tracing letters in preparation for Kindergarten.



Working on number recognition.



Students are enjoying music class.

To Do At Home:

Help your preschooler make a list of *Things I can do myself*. Ask them what special things they can do alone. Put a list and post on the refrigerator. Creating a social story book with pictures of your preschooler and special things they can do is a great way for them to see themselves in action.

Read it!



New This Month

- April is "Month of the Young Child". Every Wednesday will be a special activity at the daycare so please pay attention to the calendar linked below.
- Nothing Bundt Cake Fundraiser forms will be sent out on 4/15. They are due back on 4/26.
- 4/23 is Election Day for the PA Primary vote. The Center will be Closed that day as well as Copper Beech.
- 4/29 marks the start of Personal Safety for Children Week. Please review with your child(ren) at home.

Tips/Reminders

- As the weather changes please make sure that your child has at least 2 sets of appropriate clothing in their lockers.
- Please continue to update us, or the office, of your child's vaccination status.
 - All medicines/prescriptions must be kept in their original containers and held in Connie's office.
- All items must be labeled.
- Please alert us either by email, phone, or through Procure of any changes to your child's daily pick-up/drop off routine. This is especially important if someone other than your child's parent is picking up and must be ID'd.
 - Anybody who is not a parent must have a signed "Release Form". These can be given to you by your child's teacher.**Everyone picking up must have an ID.**





Save The Date:

Koala Bear Graduation to be held Friday, June 7th at 11:00 am. Children can be dropped off at regular time or as late as 10:30 that morning. All children are dismissed right after the ceremony which usually lasts about 45 min. Children will all wear a graduation t-shirt (more info to follow on that) and shorts/skort. No need for special dressy clothes. We encourage parents to plan a special afternoon to celebrate with their child, go out to lunch, picnic at the park etc...



Happy Birthday to...

Bobby

Kelsey

Drew

Important Dates

4/1 - Copper Beech Closed

4/3 - Crazy Hair Day

4/8 - Roslyn Library Storytime

4/10 - Pajama-rama Day

4/10 - Copper Beech Closed

4/15 - Nothing Bundt Cakes Fundraiser Starts

4/17 - Fruit Salad Day

4/22 - Happy Earth Day

4/22 - Happy Passover!

4/23 - Election Day! Center CLOSED!

4/23 - Copper Beech Closed

4/24 - Favorite Hat Day

4/25 - Take your child to work day!

4/26 - Nothing Bundt Cakes Fundraiser orders DUE!

4/26 - Arbor Day

4/29-5/3 - Personal Safety for Children Week

Center-Wide News

4/1, 4/10, 4/23 – Copper Beech is CLOSED

4/23 – Day Care is CLOSED

Welcome to the **Month of the Young Child!** April is a very fun filled month! **Please check the calendar on the website**, <https://daycarecentersinc.com/parent-events/> or email for specifics. There are many special days that you and your child need to be prepared for! Most are on Wednesdays!

The new **hot lunch slips** went out and start this month!

If you haven't tasted a **"Nothing Bundt Cake"** cake yet, you need to! They are delicious! The cake we're selling are the size of an adult's hand and feeds 2 people (if you're willing to share!) Keep those special mothers in mind when placing your orders. Go ahead and order one for yourself too! Sale runs from **4/15-4/26** and will be **delivered on 5/10** right before Mother's Day Weekend.

The Preschool children will watch and discuss a **"Personal Safety"** program during the week of **4/29**.

Before/After School Age Program 2024-25. If you haven't completed the registration packet for the upcoming school year please do so as soon as possible. Even if your child attends the school age program now, you still need to re-register for the Fall. This is the time of year when new families to the neighborhood start to look for care and those that didn't get in last year try to get in again.

Thank you!

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