CARE BEAR'S NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER 2025

Dear Families

As we bid farewell to October and warmly embrace November, I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to all of the new little ones joining our classroom this month! Just as the weather changes, so do the wonderful opportunities for growth and learning we have ahead of us. This month we are focusing on acts of kindness, gratitude, and community. Our classroom will be filled with engaging hands on activities and various learning experiences designed to foster curiosity and foster connections amongst your children. Please keep an eye out for upcoming events, and don't hesitate to reach out to get involved. Wishing everyone a Happy Month of Thanks!

Developmental News:

At **6 months** we ask that everyone start to wash their little ones hands before entering the classroom. At this point and time we would like to introduce them to a **sippy cup** as well to have while eating their lunch. We will put water in it until they transition from a bottle to a cup. We also start to work with them on holding their own bottles.

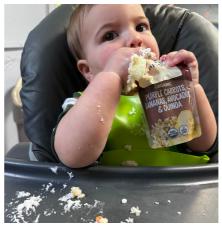
At 1 year we like to get them off the bottle and the pacifier. They should also be on finger foods and feed themselves. Around 11 months we will start to get them ready for a cot and try and get them on our nap schedule. We will take away the morning nap so they go down at nap time. They can go on a cot between 10,11 and 12 months.

We supply 2 snacks a day so when you have introduced foods at home please let us know and we will start giving them snacks (please ensure that you let us and upstairs know if there are any food allergies to be aware of).

Favorite Pictures of the Month











WE have the cutest babies!!!

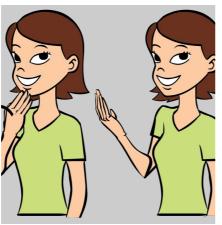
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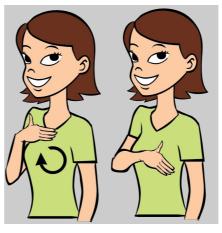
"All Done" "Turkey"
"Thank You" "Please"













CLASSROOM THEME'S

- Giving Thanks
- FALL
- LEAVES
- Gratitude
- Kindness

Throughout the day we will work on our gross and fine motor skills with all the babies. We do some one on one time with them to see where they are in reaching each milestone.

BOOKs

"There was An Old Lady Who Swallowed A Turkey" by Lucille Colandro

"The Leaf Thief" by Alice Hemming and Nicola Slater

"The Thankful Book" by Todd Parr
"All About Weather" by Huda Harajli

HAPPY FIRST BIRTHDAY to.. Claire 11/2 Wendell 11/16 Nolan 11/19

Reminders

- Please remember to wash your child's hands every morning before entering the room.
- Make sure your babies have the appropriate clothing for the day. Shoes and socks should be worn especially for when they go outside.
- We do not heat up food so please put hot food in a thermos.
- Label everything
- Please call us or message if your child will not be coming that day
- Please leave a sweatshirt or jacket in locker for when we go outside.

OUTSIDE PLAY

We will go outside twice a day. Please make sure they are dressed appropriately and ready to go. We will take walks and play on the field so please make sure they have shoes and socks on their feet.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 3- Holmesburg Bakery Fundraiser begins.

Nov 4 (Election Day)- closed

Nov 5- Vision Screening

Nov 17- All pie orders are due.

Nov 26- Close at 3 pm

Nov 27- closed Happy thanksgiving □

Nov 28- Black Friday (closed)

Please check our calendar regularly for all our daily activities.





Center Wide News

Election Day is on Tuesday, November 4, 2025 . For the safety of the children, we will be closed for the day.

We will be working with the Breathing Room Foundation this season. Each room will have a family that is in need to help make their holidays a special one. Look for an email from Sign up genius on 11/10

Holmesburg Bakery Fundraiser will start on Nov 3rd and orders are due 11/17. You don't want to miss the chance to taste their delicious pies and unbelievable donuts. Pick up your orders on November 26th, the day before Thanksgiving between noon and 3 PM.

We will hold our annual "Holiday Shop" from 12/2-12/4. Order forms will be sent home on Nov. 14th. Gummi Bears to Pooh Bears will get a chance to shop for presents for their families. School Age children will have a chance to shop as well. Items cost \$3-\$10. Just fill out the form, send it in with the money, and we do the rest. No peeking!

We will be closing early at 3:00 PM on Wednesday, November $26^{\,th}$. We are closed on 11/27 &11/28 for Thanksgiving. Enjoy your time off with your family. Be safe!

Reminder: We go **outside for an hour** in the **morning** and an hour in the **afternoon** every day unless the temperature or wind chill is below 25 degrees so please make sure your child has the **appropriate clothing**. Also, with the heat on, it can get warm in the rooms so layering clothing is the best choice.

Parent/Teacher Conferences - 12/8-12/12 - These will be held via phone and will last no longer than 10 minutes. You will be given an appointed time frame. **Please sign up on Sign-Up Genius** sent out by your child's teacher.

Summer Camp information will be available in **January**. All students (K-6) must register for camp even if they attend our before/after school program. You must make an appointment with Bob to hand in your paperwork.

Please make sure you are exiting the building by the playground door. This should be the only door used for entering and exiting.

Please let the teachers know your child's holiday schedule. If they will not be here for a full week Monday-Friday, you will get half price for the week.

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