

Koala Bear April '26 Newsletter



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:

- Spring
- Earth Day
- Recycling
- life cycles of butterfly/frog

The Sign Language words will be:

- World
- 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:

- [Down By The Cool Of The Pool](#)
- [Senorita Mariposa](#)
- [Chimpanseeze](#)
- [Miss Fox's Class Goes Green](#)
- [The Easter Egg](#)



Chag Sameach!



Creating constellations.



Rocket Counting



Exploring planets and stars.

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!

Bear's New Friend by Karma Wilson. *Froggy Gets Dressed* by Jonathan London and *The Magical Yet* by Angela DiTerlizzi



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 **4/13**. They are due back on **4/24**.

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 5th at 11:00 am. Children can be dropped off at regular time or as late as 9:30 that morning. All children are dismissed right after the ceremony which usually lasts about 45 min. Children's attire will be Sundays Best (Dresses or khakis and golf Shirt). 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...

Kellen 4/11

Important Dates

4/1 - April Fools Day/Copper Beech ½ day
4/2 - Easter Egg Hunt and Brunch/Copper Beech closed
4/3- CLOSED for Good Friday
4/6- Copper Beech Closed
4/8- Action Karate visits
4/13- Week of the Young Child/Planting Day/Fundraiser starts
4/14- Prince or Princess Day
4/15- Picnic lunch with friends
4/16- Rainbow Day/Cooking activity
4/17- Popsicle Day
4/22 - Happy Earth Day
4/23- Take your child to work day
4/24-Nothing Bundt Cakes orders due
4/25-Roslyn library visits

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Closings

- **4/2, 4/3, 4/6 - Copper Beech is CLOSED**
- **4/3 - Day Care is CLOSED**

Nothing Bundt Cakes Fundraiser

If you haven't tried a **Nothing Bundt Cake** yet, you are missing out, they are delicious! The cakes we are selling are about the size of an adult's hand and serve 2 people (if you're willing to share!). Please keep those special mothers in mind when placing your orders, and feel free to order one for yourself too. The sale will run from **4/13-4/24**, just in time for Mother's Day weekend.

Parking Lot Reminder

Please drive safely in the parking lot. Enter from **Central Avenue** near the baseball fields and exit onto **Spear Avenue** to help keep traffic flowing smoothly.

Before/After School Age Program 2026-2027

If you have not completed the registration packet for the upcoming school year, please do so as soon as possible. Even if your child currently attends our school age program, you must still re-register for the fall. This is the time of year when new families in the neighborhood begin looking for care, and families who were unable to get in last year are trying again.

Week of the Young Child

The **Week of the Young Child** will be celebrated from **4/13-4/17**. Each day will include a special activity for the children. Please watch for updates from your children's teachers.

Daily Reminders

- Please make sure you are signing your child **in and out each day**
- Please ensure your child has **appropriate clothing in their cubbies/bins**
- Make sure your child has the **proper outdoor attire in their locker** for the changing weather

We are excited for the warmer weather ahead and hope you all have a wonderful Easter!

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Thank you!

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