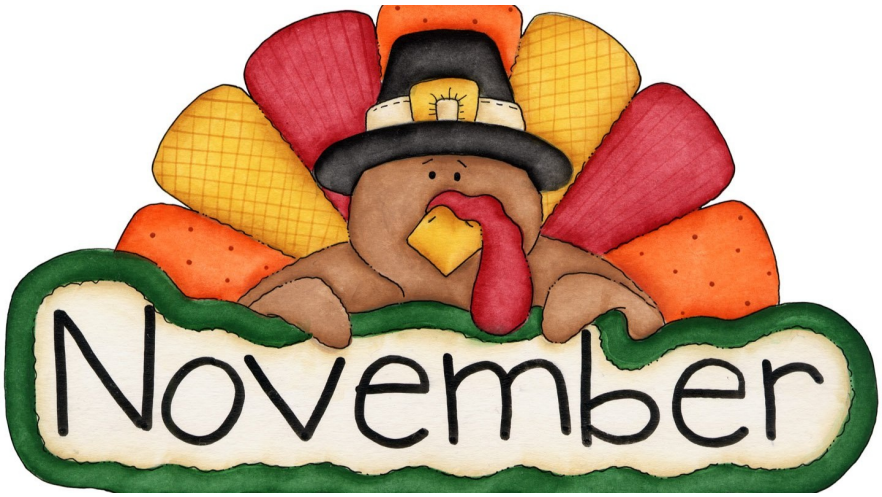
Gummi Bear November Newsletter 2026



The Gummi Bears had a busy and eventful month in October! We learned a lot, welcomed some new friends, and kept busy through it all! We had a visit from the fireman, toured the fire truck, Trick or Treated through school, and will be having our parade and party to look forward to. The busy start of the holiday season will be here before we know it! If you have any family vacations coming up or if your child will be out for any amount of time, please let us know. As always, make sure your child has extra clothes that are weather appropriate and labeled. We are outside by 9am, and the mornings are chilly! It is a good idea to start having jackets, hats, and gloves in your child's cubby. Feel free to leave as school, so we always have them. Reach out at any time with any questions or concerns.



Our family board is starting to fill up, but we still have another open one! If you have not done so, please bring in a family picture. Our Gummi Bears love to show their families to their friends.



Learning at Circle Time and singing our morning songs!

Important Dates:

11/2- bakery fundraiser starts
11/3- CLOSED FOR ELECTION DAY
11/11- Picture Day
11/12- Vision screening
11/16- Pie Orders due
11/23- Copper Beech half day
11/24- Copper Beech half day
11/24- Pick up Pie Orders
11/24- Close EARLY (at 3:00)
11/26- CLOSED - Happy Thanksgiving
11/27- CLOSED

Hot Lunch:

11/5 - Chicken Nuggets
11/12- Pizza
11/19- Hot Dog
11/26- Closed

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

11/27 - Emilia

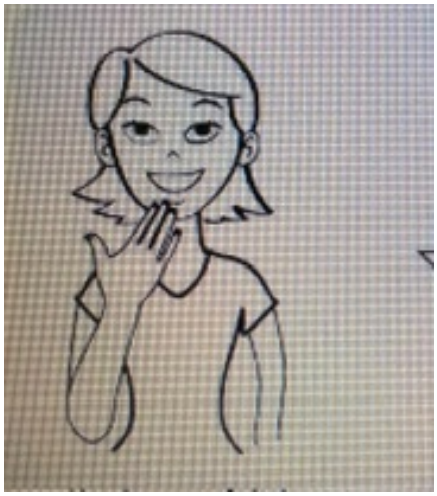
11/30 - Michael



Our theme this month is "We Give Thanks"
We will talk about all the things we are thankful for, why we are Thankful for them, read Thanksgiving books, and do Thanksgiving crafts!

We will read:

1. The Pumpkin Book
2. The Turkey Ball
3. The Thankful Book
4. Pumpkin Eye



Thank you



Mom

November News & Reminders

The holiday season is right around the corner! We have lots of exciting things planned and some important dates and reminders to share with our families. Thank you for your continued support!

Important Dates & Closings

Election Day – Tuesday, November 3rd

We will be **CLOSED** on Election Day as well as **Copper Beech.**

Picture Day will be Nov 11th and 12th

Copper Beech Half Days – November 23rd, 24th & 25th

Thanksgiving Holiday

- **Wednesday, November 25th:** Day Care will close at **3:00 PM**.
- **Thursday, November 26th:** CLOSED – Thanksgiving
- **Friday, November 27th:** CLOSED – Black Friday

We hope everyone enjoys this special time with family and friends. Have a safe and wonderful Thanksgiving!

Giving Back This Holiday Season

We are excited to be partnering with the **Breathing Room Foundation** again this holiday season! We will also be helping a family in need within our own community.

Each classroom will sponsor a family and help make their holiday season a little brighter. Please keep an eye out for a **SignUpGenius email** with opportunities to donate and help a family in need.

Last year was a huge success and were hoping to make this year the same!

Holmesburg Bakery Fundraiser

Our **Holmesburg Bakery Fundraiser** begins on **November 2nd**, and all orders are due by **November 16th**.

Don't miss your chance to enjoy their delicious pies and unbelievable donuts, just in time for Thanksgiving!

Order Pickup: Wednesday, November 25th, between **12:00 PM and 3:00 PM**.

Thank you for supporting our fundraiser!

Vision Screening – November 12th

Vision screenings will take place on **Thursday, November 12th**.

Please make sure you have completed and returned your child's consent form.

Annual Holiday Shop – December 8th–10th

It's almost time for one of our favorite holiday traditions!

Our annual **Holiday Shop** will be held December 8th through December 10th.

Children in our Gummi Bears through Pooh Bears classrooms, along with our school-age children, will have the opportunity to shop for special gifts for their families.

- **Order forms will be sent home November 23rd.**
- Gifts will range in price from **$3 to $10**.
- Simply complete the order form and return it with your payment. We'll take care of the rest!

The children love being able to surprise their families with gifts they picked out themselves. **No peeking!**

Outdoor Play & Winter Clothing

As the weather gets colder, please remember that we continue to enjoy outdoor play every day!

Our children go outside for approximately **one hour in the morning and one hour in the afternoon**, weather permitting. We will remain indoors when the temperature or wind chill drops below **25 degrees**.

Please make sure your child comes to school with appropriate clothing, including a warm coat, hat, and gloves when needed.

With the heat running, our classrooms can also get quite warm, so **dressing your child in layers is always a great idea!**

Summer Camp information will be available in January.

All children in grades K–6 must register for summer camp, even if they are currently enrolled in our before- and after-school program.

A Few Friendly Reminders

Building Entrance & Exit

For everyone's safety, please remember to use the **playground door** when entering and exiting the building. This should be the only door used by families.

Permission to Release

If someone other than a parent is picking up your child, please make sure you complete a **yellow Permission to Release form**. Anyone picking up a child should have a photo ID available. Thank you for helping us keep all our children safe!

Arrival Time

Please make every effort to have your child at school **by 9:00 AM**. Our classrooms begin circle time and daily learning activities in the morning, and arriving on time helps your child settle in and enjoy the full day with their friends.

Holiday Attendance Schedules

As the holidays approach, please let your child's teachers know if your family has any planned vacations or days off.

Knowing your holiday plans ahead of time helps us prepare our classroom schedules and staffing.

We are looking forward to a fun and exciting holiday season filled with learning, laughter, and special memories!

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Miss Holly, Miss Dawn, Miss Mandy

Again if you have any questions please email (gummibearroom@gmail.com) or call the room! 215-572-0862 ext. (203)