



Kelly's Kids Newsletter

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Summer fun!

Happy Birthday

Mr. Don 5-1

Ms. Grace 5-4

Emily J 5-4

Ms. Mikaela 5-18

Ms. Jackie 5-21

Madisyn 5-28

Adelyn 5-28



Kelly's Kids will be closed Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day.



In April the Infant Room was exploring with lots of sensory play like finger-painting. Many of their art is on display around the room. With lots of new little babies in the room the teachers have been working on tummy time to strengthen their little neck muscles. Many of our infants are starting to try food for the first time as well. Hopefully with the nice weather the Infants will be able to take a walk in the strollers.

April was a big change in the Peach Room; with lower numbers the class was able to focus on fine & gross motor skills. During circle time the children did a lot of big movement, dancing and action songs. They worked on their fine motor skills as well by working on puzzles and building with pop blocks. With the nicer weather the class has been able to go on walks and play outdoors. May will bring more outdoor sensory activities, maybe even water play!

Each week in April the Yellow Room explored

different animals and their habitats. The children learned about animals that live in the Zoo, ocean, jungle and on a farm. During circle time the friends have been learning the sounds that animals make as well as working on their numbers and ABCs. The weather allowed the class to go outside quiet a bit, which the children love!

In April the Green Room had fun doing spring activities to brighten up the classroom and hallway. Happy ducks, frogs, bunnies, and colorful flowers outline the walls. The class then explored clouds and wind. They talked about ways the wind effects things around us and weather changes relating to both. The class made cotton ball clouds and colorful wind chimes. When learning about shapes the class discovered that shapes all around us can make different things. The children made caterpillars with the letters of their names. The class then went on to explore the wonderful world of plants.

During the month of May, they will be learning about different kinds of flowers; like daffodils, sunflowers, and daisies. Space week should be a blast! The class will learn about planets, stars, gravity and space.

This month the Blue Room worked on science. They started a Hydroponics Lab for finding out what environments beans grow best in. The class also learned about the life cycle of caterpillars. Ms. Kelly even ordered live baby caterpillars so the class can watch them turn into butterflies!! Earlier this month the Blue Room learned about the rainbow and then took the lesson a step further and learned about primary and secondary colors. With that the class had a chance to mix colors together in a bag to see what color they could get in the end.

With warm sunny weather here, please check with your child's teacher to make sure we have sun screen for them.

Topics This Month

Peach

- * Mother's Day
- * May Flowers
- * Transportation
- * Bugs
- * Sensory & Outdoors

Yellow

- * Cinco De Mayo
- * Weather
- * Transportation
- * Food
- * Summer is here

Green

- * I Love my Mommy
- * April showers/May Flowers
- * Camping
- * Space
- * Colors

Blue

- * Mom Week
- * Camping
- * Environment
- * Service
- * Vacation

Spotlight Teacher

Ms. Hannah L.



Hannah is married and has two daughters. She has worked with children for the past eight years, from teaching Sunday school, being a nanny and teaching in childcare centers. In her free time she enjoys playing video games and drawing comics. You can find Hannah in our Infant Room.

Say Cheese!!



Aurick playing outside.



Oliver coloring his Easter egg.



Siddharth showing off his Easter egg.



Krayton and Phoenix playing in the water table.

Who's New To Our Room In May?

Infant: Asher, Aiden

Green: Emily

Peach: None

Blue: Hayden

Yellow: William