

Big Seed Happenings

Another month here and gone again. Wherever the time goes, our Big Seeds certainly make good use of it. **Evelyn** is working hard at trying to stand on her own and it's definitely starting to show. There's been quite a few times where she's successfully stood up for several seconds. **Rory** likes to use the chairs as a sort of makeshift walker to help himself get around the room. Then he likes to tip the chairs over like a bridge and crawl over them. **Elin** enjoys showing off her yoga poses; it's mostly downwards facing dog but she rocks it.

Lucas loves our *Pete the Cat: Wheels on the Bus* book. He's constantly looking at it and singing to himself and/or taking it to teachers to read to him. **Soren** is really onto our wooden shape sorter and carries it everywhere. He shakes out all the shape-blocks and tries to put them back in...all through the same hole. **Parker** and **Decker** love when Ms. Jessica does "Zoomin' down the highway" on their legs. When they ask for more, they mimic the motion on their legs.

Charlie and **Jameson** love our new ball toss game. Jameson gets so excited when he throws the ball and makes it in the basket. Charlie gets excited when he makes it in the basket too, but his favorite part is trying to dive into the basket to get all the balls back out. **Quin** has been a big help to teachers when it's time to get ready to go outside. As soon as she hears it's outside time, she runs over to the coat hooks and waits for the teachers to gather all the jackets. She then hands each jacket to the friend it belongs to.

In June we are going to spend the month welcoming summer with sunshine art and camping projects. Please come in and check it out throughout the month.

Signs:

- **Sun** - make a circle in the air with your index finger above your head. Then with the same hand, start with your fingers and thumb together and then spread them apart like you are shining a lamp down on yourself.
- **Hot**- make your hand into a "c" shape. Start with that hand over your mouth and rotate it so that you end the sign with your hand facing outward and then flatten that same hand still facing outward.

Books: *Ten Little Ladybugs, Down by the Bay, Jamberry*

Songs:

You are My Sunshine

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine
You make me happy when skies are gray
You'll never know dear, how much I love you
Please don't take my sunshine away

A Camping We Will Go

A camping we will go.
A camping we will go.
The great outdoors is so much fun.
A camping we will go.

A couple reminders:

- Please go through your child's cubby containers to make sure that the extra clothes from home will still fit your child and that they are seasonally appropriate for the coming summer months
- Feel free to bring in a sun hat if you haven't done so already

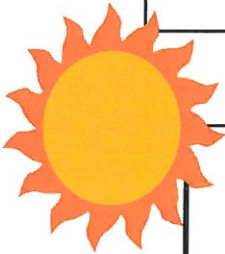
Thank you to all our parents who helped make our Teacher Appreciation week so wonderful. We enjoyed every minute of it.

Thank you and have a wonderful start to your summer,

Jessica and Erin

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"You are My Sunshine"



Notes:

This Month's Books:
<i>Ten Little Ladybugs</i>
<i>Down by the Bay</i>
<i>Jamberry</i>
This Month's Songs:
"You are my Sunshine"
"A Camping we will go"
This Month's Signs:
Sun
Hot



Big Seeds



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 I've got my flip-flops on	2 Pineapple Fingerprints	3 Ladybugs
6 Strawberry Man	7 Sun in the Sky	8 Handprint Campfires	9 Yummy Watermelon	10 I spy a Grasshopper
13 Soapy Waterplay	14 "You are my sunshine"	15 Melting Popsicles	16 My summer Name	17 Rainbow Fingerpainting
20 Night Owls	21 Under the Stars	22 Kites	23 Ice Cream My Name	24 Butterflies
27 Summer Watercoloring	28 Handprint Suns	29 Foil painting	30 Popcorn Game	

