

Sprout 1 News



Can you believe that it is already the month of March? Before we know it, summer will be here, and everyone will be complaining how hot it is... please get here soon! ☺ We are all ready for warmer weather and that includes the Sprouts.

Well, we all had a great time on our **Zoo Adventure** in February. Everyone enjoyed all the room activities, art and circle time books and songs. At circle time **Dominick** really got into the books and songs. One of his favorite books was, "Put Me in the Zoo." He would say all the colors that were in the book; he is doing so great with his colors.

Art time we made all kinds of animals you might see at the Zoo. Everyone really enjoyed all the lion projects; they would all roar while they made their projects. Free choice time was a big hit this month. There were lots of zoo activities and toys to play with and explore. In our dress-up area we had all kinds of different stuffed zoo animals. **Hunter** enjoyed the monkey puppet the most. She would run around the room making a monkey sound. **Abby** enjoyed playing with the stuffed giraffe. She would lay it on the floor, cover it up and say, "Go bye-bye." **Gabriel** also enjoyed all the stuffies. He would lay them on the floor, put a spoon by their mouth and say, "Eat. Eat."

On the block shelf we had plastic zoo animals, blocks and trucks. **Miles** enjoyed taking the animals, putting them in the truck and giving them a ride around the room. **Aerix** had fun building houses for the animals. He would build a house and say, "House lion." In our tactile bin we also had colored blocks and smaller zoo animals. **Shaylie** would dig around in the bin to find different animals. She would always find the monkey when she was digging around and tell us "Monkey, uh uh." She is so silly.

JJ and **Natalie** really enjoyed all the activities in the fine motor area. **JJ** would take the zoo animal puzzle pieces and walk around growling with them. One of his favorite pieces to growl with was the giraffe. **Natalie** was a great builder with the Lego's. She would make a tall tower, knock it down and say, "Oh no. I made mess." **Emma** also enjoyed the zoo animals, but her favorite thing this month was the musical teapot. She would dance around the room with it. When she was done dancing, she would stop, look at the teachers and smile. So silly.

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We all had fun outside scooping and digging in the snow. But we think everyone is ready to shed the snow clothes and enjoy the warm sun so we can run and stomp just like the animals at the zoo.

In April we will be, **Down on the Farm**. The room will be filled with all kinds of farm activities and animals. Some of the activities you will see on the shelves will be farm puzzles, farm games and farm animals. At circle time we will be singing farm songs and reading about things on a farm. During art time we will be making different animals, things on a farm and a big red barn. It's going to be a great month to being on the farm!

Thank you once again for being so supportive during the transition of adding a new teacher. Things are going great so thank you once again. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to come talk to us. Have a great March and St. Patrick's Day.

Teresa, Anna and Nana Julie



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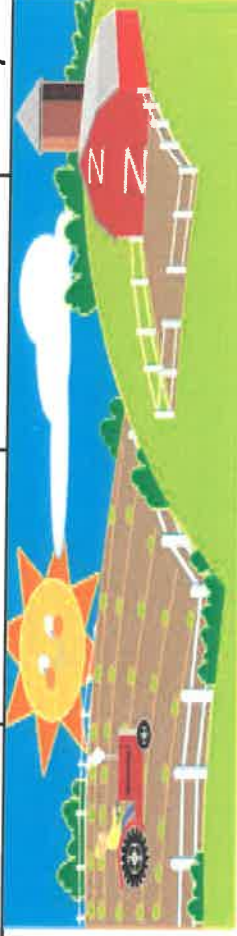
Down on the Farm



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Baa Baa Black Sheep
4 Big Red Barn	5 Popsicle Stick Barn	6 Handprint Chicken	7 Milk Cow	8 Draw Barns
11 Footprint Pig	12 Chicken Prints	13 Brown Horse	14 Green Painting	15 Green Shamrock
18 Paper Plate Duck	19 Paper Plate Scarecrow	20 Handprints on Cow	21 5 Little Ducks	22 Ducks in a Pond
25 Paint with Straw	26 Horse Tail Painting	27 Kitty	28 Watercolors	29 Animals in Playdough

Notes:

This Month's Books:
<i>Barnyard Dance</i>
<i>Big Red Barn</i>
<i>Farm Pop</i>
This Month's Songs:
<i>Down on Grandpa's Farm</i>
<i>Old McDonald</i>
<i>Down on the Farm</i>
This Month's Sign:



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