

THE MONTHLY **SPROUT 2**

GROWING TREE CHILDREN'S CENTER

August 1, 2020

Dear Families,

"In a world where you can be anything, BE KIND"

Sprout Two Studied "Stop and Go" last month. Transportation was the focus. We read books about trains, trucks, cars, and airplanes. The Sprouts even went on a rocket ship ride! During free play used individual sensory bins which acted as our carwash. (See photos below)



July was a hot and it seems the heat will continue into August. Please bring in a change of clothes as we continue to keep cool with water play outside. Sunscreen is applied twice daily to protect your child's skin from the sun. Hats are a welcomed relief.

Our Study for August is "Under the Sea." One of our highlights will be sand painting.

Songs:

- Baby Beluga
- A Sailor Went to Sea
- Slippery Fish

Books:

- 10 Little Fishes
- Way Down Deep
- Never Touch a Shark

In September, Piper, Aspen, Opal and Ronin will be moving on up to the Bud Room. We will miss them so very much! We wish you all well. We look forward to getting to know some new friends and their families. Easton, Rory, Mckenzie, Theo and Madeleine! See you soon!

Have a happy month of August! 😊
Ms. Tracy and Ms. Kelcy

Om loves riding in the car outside and **Quinn** loves zooming right past his friends while pushing the fire truck. **Aspen** and **Ronin** had a great time pretending the Sprout Two classroom was being sent on a train ride and into space. **Brynley** loved singing "The Wheels on the Bus" song. **Opal** put together long stretches of tracks for her friends to drive their trains. **Piper** enjoyed the "Steam Train Dream Train" book we read at circle time, while **Ellie** figured out how to dismantle and rebuild planes and boats!



The Slippery Fish Song



Slippery fish, slippery fish, sliding through the water,
 Slippery fish, slippery fish, Gulp, Gulp, Gulp!
 Oh, no! It's been eaten by an?



Octopus, octopus, squiggling in the water
 Octopus, octopus, Gulp, Gulp, Gulp!
 Oh, no! It's been eaten by a?



Tuna fish, tuna fish, flashing in the water,
 Tuna fish, tuna fish, Gulp, Gulp, Gulp!
 Oh, no! It's been eaten by a?



Great white shark, great white shark, lurking in the
 water,
 Great white shark, great white shark, Gulp, Gulp, Gulp!
 Oh, no! It's been eaten by a?



Humongous whale, humongous whale, spouting in the water,
 Humongous whale, humongous whale,
 Gulp! ? Gulp! ? Gulp! ? BURP!
 Pardon me!



Songs & lyrics by Charlotte Diamond

Aug-20




Under The Sea



Notes:

This Month's Books:
<u>Deep Sea Dive</u>
<u>In The Sea</u>
<u>Over In The Ocean</u>
<u>Way Down Deep</u>
This Month's Songs:
<u>A Sailor Went To Sea</u>
<u>Slippery Fish</u>
<u>Baby Beluga</u>

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Colorful fish	4 Paint with sand	5 Seaweed	6 A sea of watercolors	7 Octopus's
10 Starfish	11 Red Crabs	12 Jumping Dolphins	13 Blue Whales	14 Paper plate Turtles
17 Mr. Shark	18 Jelly Fish	19 Ocean Art	20 Slippery Fish	21 Sea Horse Swim
24 Coral Reef	25 Calms in the Sand	26 Ocean Sunset	27 Silly Sting Rays	28 Big Waves
31 Paint with blue				



Sprout Two