



# JANUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER



## IMPORTANT DATES

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 2**

SCHOOL RESUMES

**MONDAY, JANUARY 15**

MARTIN LUTHER KING'S DAY

SCHOOL CLOSED

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31**

GIVING OF STUDENT OF THE MONTH  
CERTIFICATE & TROPHY



## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We wish you all a Happy New Year! May the New Year bring you continued good health and happiness.



## MARTIN LUTHER KING'S DAY

This month, we will be learning about the life and great accomplishments of Dr. Martin Luther King. Please be reminded that Carousell Preschool will be closed on Monday, January 15th in observance of Dr. King's birthday.



## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

We honor our children for doing an outstanding job in class. Our January student of the month will be awarded on Wednesday, January 31.



## DECEMBER RECAP

We surpassed yet another year that was 2023! The year culminated with wonderful holiday activities and a successful winter show! We thank all the teachers and staff for doing a wonderful job of putting the show together. The children were amazing! They worked so hard to perform beautifully for everyone.

The entire Carousell Administration would also like to thank you, our families, for your continued support and cooperation. Thank you!



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## BIRTHDAY CORNER

John S.	- 1 / 01
Lea S.	- 1 / 01
Ms. Eliana	- 1 / 04
Isabella T.	- 1 / 08
Damian E.	- 1 / 16
Ms. Nancy	- 1 / 20
Ms. Arlene	- 1 / 28





## CATERPILLAR 1 CLASS

Dear Parents,

*We wish you a Happy New Year! As the New Year starts, we look forward for more learning and good times together as the little ones reach their individual milestones.*

*We would also like to give a big warm welcome to our new friends who are joining our Caterpillar 1 class!*

*Ms. Arlene, Ms. Nancy & Ms. Mishell*



## CATERPILLAR 2 CLASS

Dear Parents,

*Happy New Year! We hope everyone had a wonderful break together with family and friends. Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness during the holiday season and most especially for your cooperation in making our winter show a memorable one. This month, we will touch on letter E and identify some objects that start with it, number 5, the shape diamond, and color blue. We will also talk about the weather and seasons of the year. It's New Year, new beginning and new friends to welcome. We are so happy to have you in our Caterpillar 2 class!*

*Ms. Arlene, Ms. Antonia, Ms. Rebecca & Ms. Laura*







## ROLLIE POLLIE CLASS



Dear Parents,

We wish you a Happy New Year! Thank you for attending our winter show last month. The children had an amazing time showing off their "Chocolate" dance. We had a tremendous end of the year holiday party as well. We thank you for all the thoughtful gifts and wishes that we received. As we start the New Year, we welcome new friends to our Rollie Pollie class. For the Month of January, we will focus on:

Theme: Weather

Holidays: New Year and Martin Luther Kings Jr.

Shape: Diamond

Letters: M, N and O

Color: Blue

Self Help: Washes face and use spoon or fork  
Practice cleaning up after yourself

Numbers: 9 and 10

Shape: Diamond

Clothing: Mittens/Gloves

Body Parts: Hands



Ms. Fildres & Ms. Jessica



## DRAGONFLY CLASS



Dear Parents,

Happy New Year! We wish everyone a healthy, good and prosperous new year. This month is about the weather and we know the kids love to talk about it. They love to express which one is their favorite. We will also have creative activities using paint with our fingers and utensils. And we will continue to practice tracing letters and numbers as well as focus on the following:

Letters: M, N, and O

Shape: Diamond

Color: Blue

Numbers: 9 and 10

Body parts: Hands

Clothing: Mittens/ Gloves

Holidays: New Year and Martin Luther King Jr.



Ms. Shirley & Ms. Goldy







## BUMBLEBEE CLASS



Dear Parents,

Happy New Year! December was so much fun learning about the holiday season and performing during our winter show. We hope that you enjoyed the show. We thank you for all your support throughout the year! As we say goodbye to the year 2023, we now welcome the New Year with more learning activities about wild animals and zoo life including the following areas:

Theme: Zoo/Wild Animals

Letters: M, N, O (M-O)

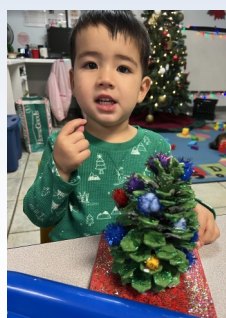
Numbers: 9 & 10 (1-10)

Shape: Diamond

Color: Blue

Science: Animal Life Cycles

Ms. Crystal & Ms. Eva



## FIREFLY CLASS



Dear Parents,

Happy New Year! We hope to make the most of 2024!

We would like to say thank you to all our parents for supporting us during our annual winter show. The Fireflies were very excited to perform in front of all of you. January will be a creative and productive month for us. As we start the New Year, the Firefly class will be learning new academic material and exploring different winter themed topics. During this month, we will also learn how to read and write simple sentences and introduce new sight words too. What is addition, how does an addition problem look like, and how to solve it will be some of the topics that we will be discussing throughout this month. Our goal is to have a general understanding of addition and mastering tally marks.

Reading & Writing: Mm, Nn, Oo, Pp, Qq, Rr, Ss, & Tt

Sight Words: That, Are, Look, Of, In To,

Numbers: 19-25

Science:

Dissecting Fruit, Living & non-living things

"Tell me and I forget, teach me and I may remember, involve me and I learn."

-Benjamin Franklin



Ms. Eliana

