

Week of the Young Child ~ 4/13/15- 4/17/15

Monday, April 13th	Tuesday, April 14 th	Wednesday, April 15 th	Thursday, April 16 th	Friday, April 17 th
<p>Share Your Culture Day! Share something from your culture: a special food, a talent, an article of clothing, or any other special items!</p> <p>9:00-10:00 Art Meyer ~ African/Caribbean Drummer will entertain the children T1-K 9:00 P2/P3/T1 9:20 Pre-K/K/T2 9:40 P4/T3</p> <p>10:00-11:00 Art with Ken Gagne in PK/K and P3 Mariah and Anthony's Pepe will share an art activity with the children.</p> <p>10:30-11:00 P2/P4 - Natalya Yazhbin will share children's books from Russia, toys from Russia and CD of Russian music with the children.</p> <p>11:00 Toddler Pizza Bake! Toddlers will form their own pizzas for lunch! The toddler staff will prep the dough for each toddler to knead and will provide each child with special pizza toppings so they can "decorate" their personal pizza! Yum!</p> <p>Throughout the Morning ...Tie Dye Fun in P2 & P3! Staff and parent volunteers will help the children make their own tie dye t-shirts! And....</p> <p>P4 Bean Planting – Staff and parent volunteer, Alexandra Clapprood (mom of Matthew and Nicholas) will plant beans to be nurtured indoors and later planted in the garden outdoors!</p> <p>3:00 PK/K Craft with Emily Hannigan (mom of Tommy) will plan a fun activity for Tommy and his class.</p>	<p>Green Day! Dress in green to show you care for the environment!</p> <p>P2, P3, P4 Flower Seed Planting </p> <p>Toddler Flower Scavenger Hunt</p> <p>Tie Dye Fun in Toddler 1, 2 & 3! Staff and parent volunteer, Alexandra Clapprood (mom of Matthew and Nicholas) will help the children make their own tie dye t-shirts to wear on Friday for Spirit Day!</p> <p>9:30 PK/K Makes a Healthy (and Nut FREE) Snack with Melissa Neylon, our Cook ~ Melissa will teach the children how to make a fresh berry and soy nut butter wrap.</p> <p>10:30-11:30 - Fix-It the Clown (Tami's husband) will visit all classes to "clown around" with all the children!</p> <p>2:45-3:15 Fun with Rhythm and Music - Kelly Maguire (mom of Evan and Andrew) will "shake up" the PS/PK groups with shakers, bells and other fun instruments</p> <p>3:30-4:30 Ice Cream Social for P2, P3, Pre-K/K – Parents and siblings are encouraged to attend!!</p> <p>Musical Entertainment Rob Jacque (dad of Ella) will share his musical talents during the Social. (Time TBA)</p>	<p>Pajama Day! Children can wear their pj's all day or bring a change of clothes for later on if they prefer. Children can bring their favorite stuffed animal to school too!</p> <p>Toddler Bubble Fun! Toddlers have fun with bubbles and bubble machines on the playground and will also have a parade with bubbles and musical instruments!</p> <p>10:00 P2, P3, P4 and PK Healthy Foods – Parent, Andrea Luttrell, R.D.N. for Big Y (and mom of Jacob and Henry) will share her expertise with everyone AND offer some special taste tests!</p> <p>10:00 P2/P3 10:20 Pre-K/K 10:40 P4</p> <p>11:30-12:30 Dairy Queen Ice Cream Cupcake Decorating in P2, P3, P4 and PK/K ~ Carisa Cosimini (mom of Anthony and Michael) will share a lesson on cake decorating ~ learned through the family business and then let the children create their own yummy treat!</p> <p>11:30 P4 11:45 P2/P3 12:00 Pre-K/K</p> <p>3:00 P4 Face Painting Fun! Staff will exercise their artistic talents!</p> <p>3:00 PK/K Craft with Barb O'Connor (grandmother of Bretton) will plan a fun activity for Bretton and her class.</p>	<p>Sports Day! Wear your favorite Team apparel! & Musical Fun</p> <p>Children will talk with teachers about their favorite teams, teams they might be on themselves and how music plays an important role in our lives AND at most sporting events.</p> <p>9:00 -10:00 Firefighter Joe will visit PS/PK! He'll share his Fire and Life Safety Lesson called, "Safe to Play or Keep Away". He'll also stop in to visit with the Toddlers classes.</p> <p>9:00 Story Time with Patricia Landry (Grandmother of Amaya) will entertain the children with one of her favorite stories!</p> <p>P2/P3 will team up to make sock puppets!</p> <p>10:00-11:00 Springfield Symphony Orchestra Petting Zoo with Coordinator Patrick McMahan will share 4 different instruments with the children in PS/PK.</p> <p>10:00 P2/P3 10:20 Pre-K/K 10:40 P4</p> <p>4:00-6:00 p.m. OPEN HOUSE For New Enrollment</p>	<p>Spirit Day </p> <p>Children will participate in classroom activities to show their "Children's House Spirit"!</p> <p>Children can wear their Children's House T-Shirts or create a spirited item of their own!</p> <p>Toddlers should wear their Tie-Dye T's Today!</p> <p>10:00-11:00 Community Helpers Visit (for all ages)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Springfield Fire Dept. vehicle and Sparky the (Automated) Fire Dog - will be on site to share safety tips AMR -American Medical Response will show the children the inside of the ambulance and talk about their important job. Springfield Police Dept. w/Captain Cheryl Clapprood (Great Aunt of Matthew and Nicholas) and State Trooper Brian Clapprood (dad of Matthew and Nicholas) have arranged for motorcycle, K-9 and State police vehicles to be on site and share valuable safety info! <p>3:00 – Staff Sergeant Mary Keeler (mom of June) will visit in uniform to talk to the children about being a member of the armed forces.</p> <p>3:30-4:30 Ice Cream Social for Toddlers and P4 - Parents and siblings are encouraged to attend!!</p>