

Newton-Watertown Creative Start ~ Children's Center
Parent Newsletter
March 2023



Monday, March 13th-CLOSED for Professional Development Day
April 7th-early release day
April 17th-CLOSED for the holiday
April 18th-20th-CLOSED for Spring break

Social-Emotional with Miss Shachi

Your preschool child is learning about emotion management. Finding clues in his/her body helps her identify his/her feelings. Some feelings are comfortable; others are uncomfortable. It is important to talk to a grown-up when he/she feels worried. Please ask them what to do when they have strong feelings. Toddlers are continuing to work on nurturing and connecting with babydoll rituals.

A note from Miss Donna and Miss Hana

It's time for Parent/Teacher Conferences! Teachers will be contacting you to make an appointment.

The children really enjoyed a visit from Dr. Van's assistant Liz from Newton Pediatric Dentistry!

Stay tuned for our Literacy Challenge and Box City Events!

For Inclement Weather please watch the news. Newton-Watertown Creative Start will be closed when the Watertown Public Schools close. If the Watertown Public Schools have a one hour delay, we will also have a one hour delay etc.

Pick up time will remain the same.

Family Engagement

Shachi's Parenting Support Group will be held on Tuesday, March 7th at 11:00 a.m.

Thank you to the parents who attended Advocacy Day at the State House on Feb 14th.!

Thank you to Bella and her mom, Karen, for donating toothbrushes for all the children!

Next Parent Meeting will be March 21st at 10:00 a.m. Please join us!

Stay tuned for our Literacy Challenge and Box City Events!

March Birthdays

Happy Birthday to:

Kohen 3/4

Afan 3/8

Spencer 3/23

Miss Shachi-3/24

Miguel Angelo 3/25

Elisa-3/26

Classroom 2-Miss Anahita and Miss Barbara

What we learned about in the month of February: We learned about oral health especially visiting the Dentist. We are talking about how to brush our teeth and how many times we brush a day. We continue to explore physical science and we are investigating magnets and how they work.

Favorite activities in the month of February- Counting teeth, painting with toothbrushes, and finding items in the classroom that will stick to our magnets.

Favorite book from the past month- Going to the Dentist by Anne Civardi

Favorite song from the past month: "The Brushing Teeth Song and Dance"

What we will be learning about in the month of March: We are continuing to learn about Community helper, Signs and more physical Science

Family Engagement activities- Tooth Brushing Chart

Classroom 3-Miss Jen and Miss Carla

What we learned about in the month of February- We learned about community helpers and the jobs they do. We learned all about Police Officers, Fire Fighters, and Mail Carriers. We also learned about dental hygiene, and how to keep our teeth healthy. We learned about healthy and unhealthy foods and that it is important to brush our teeth twice a day. We even had a visit from a dentist, who showed us how to take care of our teeth.

Favorite activities in the month of February- We loved pretending to brush our teeth with dry erase markers, and painting with a toothbrush.

Favorite book from the past month: Going to the Dentist by A. Civardi

Favorite song from the past month: "Brush Your Teeth" by Raffi

Favorite Fingerplay from the past month: Family Fingers

What we will be learning about in the month of March- We will be finishing up our study on community helpers by learning about the Veterinarian. We will also be doing an author study in March, concentrating on the book Goodnight Moon

Family Engagement activities- Toothbrushing chart

Have a great Vacation!

Classroom 4-Miss Toba, Miss Robina and Miss Vehanush

What we learned about in the month of February- we learned about community workers and the importance of brushing our teeth twice a day and healthy foods.

Favorite activities in the month of February- making individual mailboxes out of a big cardboard box and painting it blue, counting teeth activity with white fingerpaint on construction paper.

Favorite book from the past month- Just Going To the Dentist by Mercer Mayer

Favorite song from the past month- "This the Way We Brush Our Teeth"

What we will be learning about in the month of March- Building and STEM topic-Tubes and Tunnels/Technology and Engineering.

Family Engagement activities- Healthy food chart

