

JANUARY

MT NEWSLETTER

Happy New Year!

December was a busy month that flew by. Filled with Christmas cheer, we made Christmas crafts learned a few Christmas carols & rhymes & were able to share them a little bit with U. Thank U again for the lovely gifts!

Now with a full week of January behind us, we will dive right in to our space unit which will go until the end of the month. It always amazes me how much the students retain about topics like this so I look forward to hearing what they relay to you! We are going to attempt to make jet packs at the end of the month so **if you could please send an empty 2L pop bottle, rinsed & with the label off, by Thurs. Jan. 21st** that would be great! Thanks!

In Feb. we will talk about Family & Valentine's Day before the Feb. break. Valentine's Day is usually another opportunity to have a classroom party. This year we won't be able to have shared food & treats but I would still like to do the Valentine card deliveries. The kids love this & it is so good for them to practice writing their name. With clean hands, please leave the "To" on the cards blank & just have your preschooler sign their name. That will make deliveries much easier! You may need to do this over several sessions as it can be a lot. If your preschooler is just able to do their initials, or start their name, that is fine! If they are tired, don't push



JANUARY REMINDERS

If U can help with the Jan 18th toy wash from 7-9, please sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/1OCOD4AA8A623A0FECE9-toywash>

Registration for the 2021/22 school year is now open to current & past preschool families!

Jan. 18 - Toy Wash

Jan. 21 - each child needs an empty 2L plastic pop bottle, rinsed with label off

Feb. 1 - Registration for 2021/22 opens to the general public

Feb. 4 - Valentines Day cards handed in at school in a ziplock bag

Feb. 11 - Valentine's "party"

them - it's supposed to be fun & exciting! We will make mailboxes at school beforehand & then on the 11th we will hand them out. **Because of the Covid guidelines, I would ask that all Valentine's be at school in a ziplock bag by Thurs. Feb 4th.** Then on the 11th, with clean hands, we will help them to deliver & then if you want to leave them until actual Valentine's Day, they will have that much more time to "decontaminate" or you can open them at home at your leisure. Please do not include eating treats this year. I will give the kids a little something in their bags. **The a.m. class has 15 children & the p.m. class has 12 children.** Thanks for your help with this! Please continue to do everything you have been to keep our preschoolers healthy. It is working! Crossing my fingers for continued nice weather! Happy Feb. everyone! Mrs. R.