Berkshire County
HEAD START's

Program Calendar
2019-20

BRAIN BUILDING IN PROGRESS

Mission Statement: It is our goal to work with families and assist children to develop socially, cognitively, physically and emotionally while fostering a positive self-image and love for learning that will help them succeed in our program, in public school and later in life.

Berkshire County Head Start   2019-2020

Morning Program Closures/ Program Development Days:	Program Closed– All Staff Training Days:	Federal Holidays – All Programs Closed:	
Oct. 4, 2019	Sept. 6, 2019	Sept. 2, 2019	Labor Day
Oct. 25, 2019	Sept. 9, 2019	Oct. 14, 2019	Columbus/Indigenous Peoples' Day
Nov. 27, 2019	Nov. 5, 2019	Nov. 11, 2019	Veteran's Day
Dec. 23- Jan 1, 2020	March 20, 2020	Nov. 28, 2019 Nov. 29, 2019	Thanksgiving Thanksgiving Break
Jan. 10, 2020	June 26, 2020	Dec. 25, 2019	Christmas Day
Feb. 7, 2020		Jan. 1, 2020 Jan. 20, 2020	New Year's Day Martin Luther King Day
Feb. 17 -21, 2020			
March 6, 2020		Feb. 17, 2020	Presidents' Day
April 3, 2020		April 20, 2020	Patriots' Day
April 20 – 24, 2020		May 25, 2020	Memorial Day
May 8, 2020		July 3, 2020	Independence Day (observed)

Head Start Morning Program – 9/10/19 – 5/22/2020   (Pittsfield, Great Barrington North Adams)

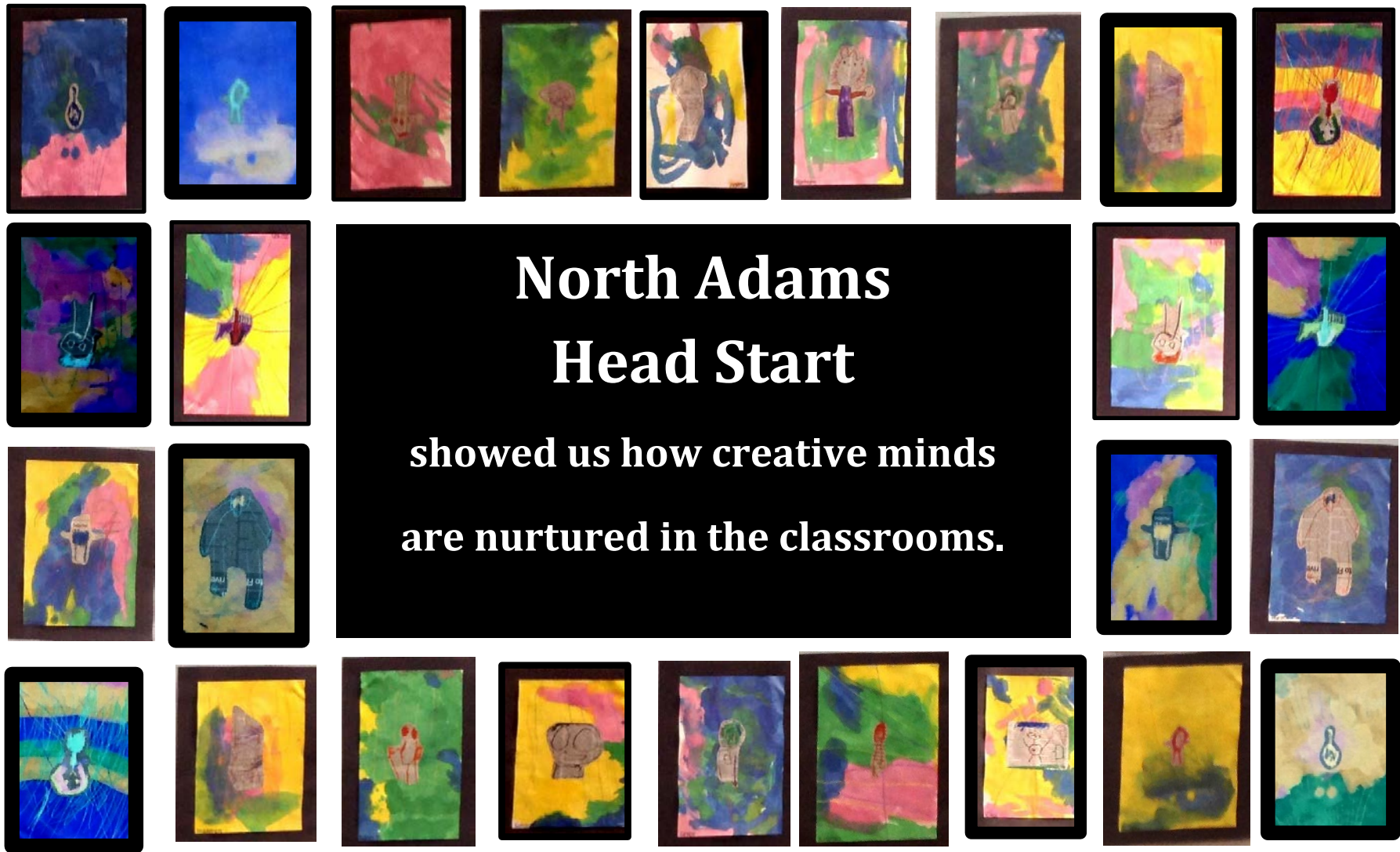Lee Head Start Morning Program – 8/28/19 – 6/11/2020

Meadow Lane Classroom 2
showed us that our imagination is the highest kite we can fly.

August 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 Lee Head Start Program Begins	29	30	31

EVERY CHILD IS AN ARTIST

North Adams
Head Start

showed us how creative minds

are nurtured in the classrooms.

September 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Labor Day– All Programs Closed	3	4	5	6 All Staff Training– All Programs Closed	7
8	9 All Staff Training– All Programs Closed	10 Morning Program Begins	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Meadow Lane 8

took a walk on the wild side and learned about animals.

October 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4 Program Development Day– All Morning Programs Closed	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Columbus Day– All Programs Closed	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Program Development Day– Morning Programs Closed	26
27	28	29	30	31 Halloween All Programs Open		

Meadow Lane 1
Learned what happens "When You Give a Mouse a Cookie."

November 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5 All Staff Training- All Programs Closed	6	7	8	9
10	11 Veterans Day– All Programs Closed	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 Program Development Day- All Morning Programs Closed	28 Thanksgiving Day All Programs Closed	29 Happy Thanksgiving- All Programs Closed	30

The Mitten
1. Cut ✂
2. Hole punch
3. Lace
4. Color

mila

Giovanni

Mercy

Iriana

Dior

Annal

December - we are learning about winter weather, how to dress warm, building snowpeople!

Meadow Lane 4

Meadow Lane Classroom 4 warmed our hearts with their mittens and tips on staying cozy and having fun in the winter

December 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 Recess Week- All Morning Programs Closed	24 Recess Week- All Morning Programs Closed Childcare Program Closed @ 1 pm	25 Christmas Day– All Programs Closed	26 Recess Week- All Morning Programs Closed	27 Recess Week- All Morning Programs Closed	28
29	30 Recess Week- All Morning Program Closed	31 Recess Week- All Morning Programs Closed Childcare Program Closed @ 1 pm				

Meadow Lane learned a thing or two about Arctic animals, including polarbears.

January 2020

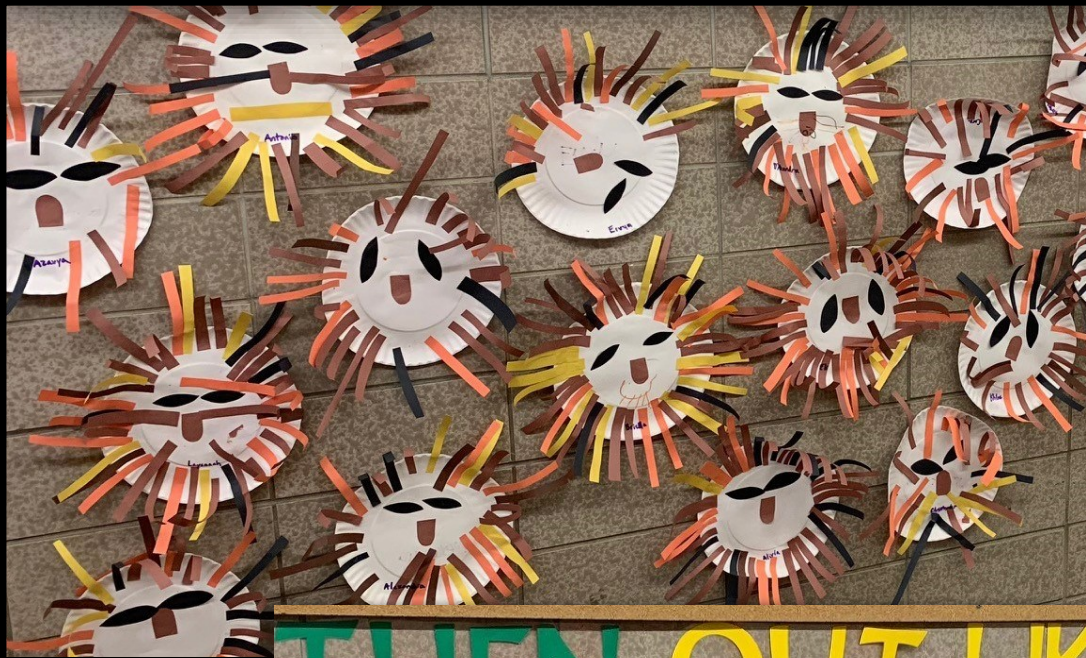| Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 New Year's Day – All Programs Closed	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Program Development Day- Morning Programs Closed	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Martin Luther King Day All Programs Closed	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Meadow Lane 7

made us all their Valentines for February when they painted hearts and put them in the hallway.

February 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7 Program Development Day-Morning Programs Closed	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day All Programs Open	15
16	17 Presidents' Day-All Programs Closed	18 Recess Week-Morning Programs Closed	19 Recess Week-Morning Programs Closed	20 Recess Week-Morning Programs Closed	21 Recess Week-Morning Programs Closed	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

MARCH COMES IN LIKE A LION
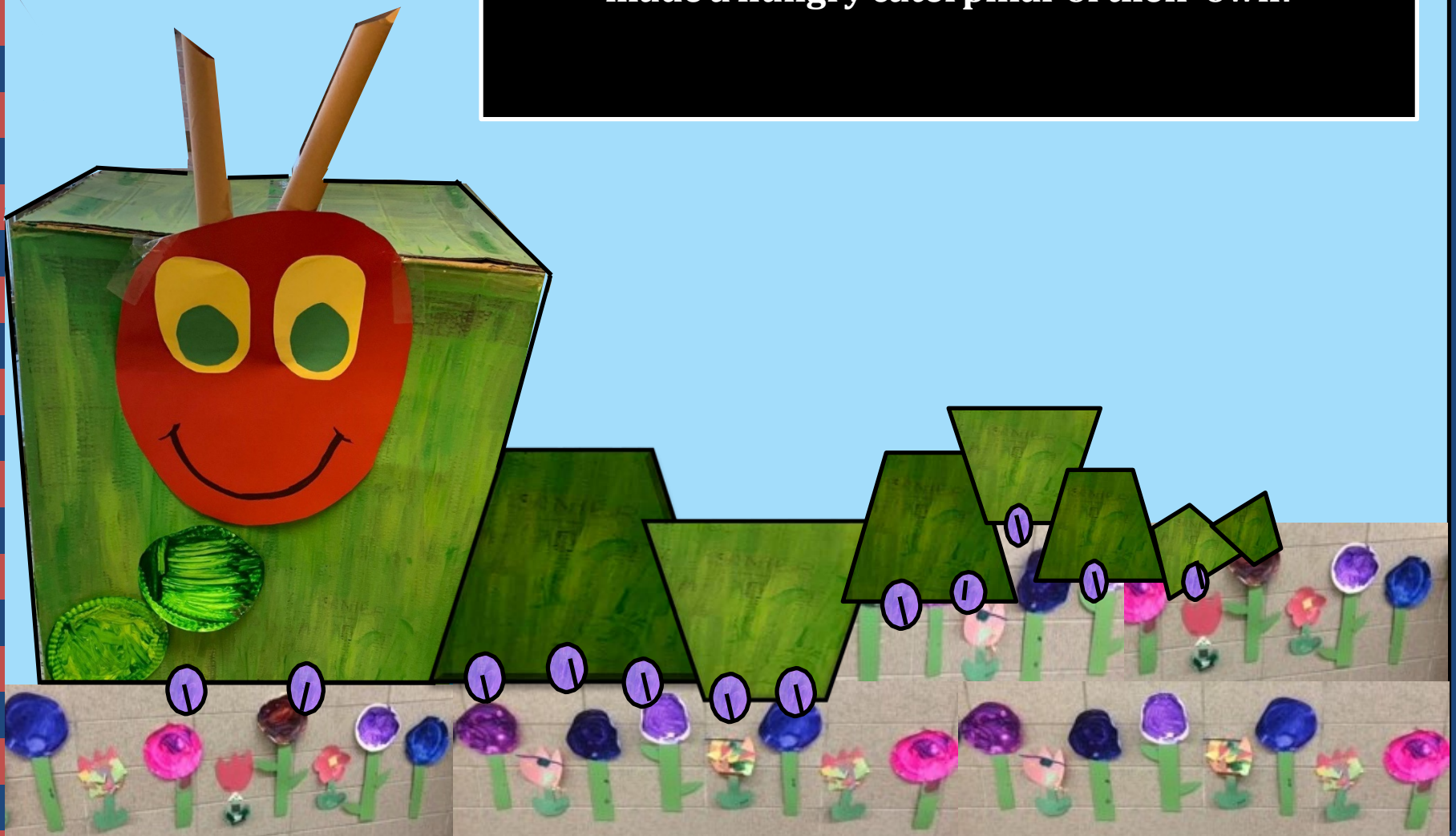THEN OUT LIKE A LAMB

The classroom at **Meadow Lane 3** taught us that in
blustery weather, we stick together ♥

March 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6 Program Development Day- Morning Programs Closed	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 All Staff Training- All Programs Closed	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Meadow Lane 6 read Eric Carlisle's "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" and made a hungry caterpillar of their own!

April 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Program Development Day- Morning Program Closed	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Patriots' Day- All Programs Closed	21 Recess Week- Morning Programs Closed	22 Recess Week- Morning Programs Closed	23 Recess Week- Morning Programs Closed	24 Recess Week- Morning Programs Closed	25
26	27	28	29	30		

We are each unique and beautiful, but together we are a masterpiece!

MuddyBrook showed us that April showers bring May flowers!

May 2020

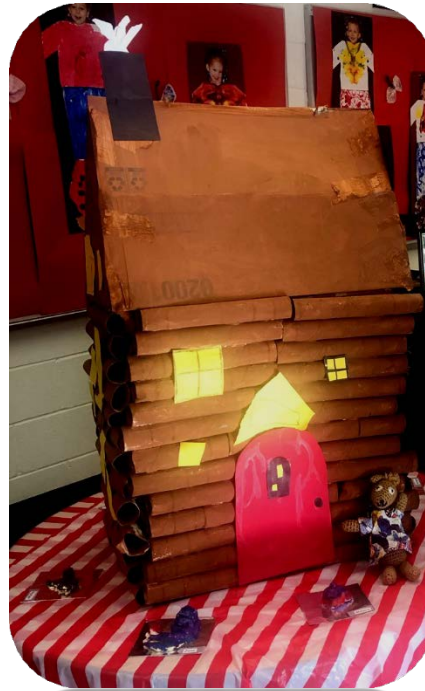| Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6	7	8 Program Development Day- Morning Programs Closed	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 Last Day for Morning Programs (*except Lee)	23
24	25 Memorial Day All Programs Closed	26	27	28	29	30
31						

Meadow Lane 5

recreated a summer day for us with flowers, rainbows, butterflies, birds and squirrels.

June 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Last Day for Lee Head Start	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 All Staff Training-All Programs Closed	27
28	29	30				

Becket Head Start

Every year, the teachers work with the children at Becket Head Start to create art that is displayed at their annual art show. The theme in 2019 was based on the "Llama Llama" books by Anna Dewdney, a favorite author of the teachers and children.

July 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Independence Day (observed) All Programs Closed	4 Independence Day
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

2019-2020