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The ever unpredictable month of March dishes up its own "mix of madness" here at Building Blocks. As March roars in "like a lion", we'll celebrate the birthday of that eternally popular author, Dr. Seuss. On March 1st & 2nd we'll observe "Read Across America Day" and enjoy Seuss favorites. There's nothing like a silly Dr. Seuss book to chase the winter blues away!

He's baaack!!! That wee little leprechaun makes his yearly visit, which usually means "mischief"! Beware of his tricks! We're sure you'll be entertained by tales of his antics in our classroom in the week leading up to St. Patrick's Day. As usual, the children are determined to trap him and make off with his gold!

While the groundhog' is no one's favorite this winter, we will be taking his prediction to heart and searching for signs of spring while investigating our Weather theme this month. We'll try keeping track of "lion and lamb" days right up until that long awaited – first day of spring! With any leprechaun luck, we will soon be enjoying lots of playground time!



School Pictures

On March 11-12 children will have their school portraits taken by JonTori Studios. Envelopes for this event are coming home and must be completed and returned to BBLC by March 4-5, with payment in CASH or CHECK. Instructions are provided on the picture envelope.

Show 'n Tell Bags

In March we will be bringing back that preschool classic – Show 'n Tell! Individual bags, marked with your child's name, will be used to safely transport their little treasures to and from school safely. Check class calendars for Show 'n Tell days for your child.

Scholastic Books

March flyers have not yet been delivered due to mail delay (just received January). But you can access March selections online at Scholastic Book Clubs. Our school code is LX3TV. Order by due date, pay online and I will activate your order!



Chick Hatching Project

To celebrate our long awaited return to spring, BBLC children and staff will, once again, experience the wonder and joy of new life emerging before our very eyes! Eggs will arrive from the farm on April 6 to incubate and hatch the following week. We are looking for a home for the new babies by April 16th!

If you've had a hankering for fresh eggs and are interested in having your own brood, please reach out ASAP for this opportunity!

Family Chicks

To commemorate our "chick experience", each family will receive a large paper chick to decorate this month. Let your chick reflect something fun about your child or family. We've been visited by an "eggcellant" variety of creative ideas in the past – everything from Spiderman Chick and Frozen Chick, to chicks dressed as cowboys and hula girls! Start "scrambling" for your ideas and return your chicks by March 22nd - 23rd, the first few days of spring!

2020 Tax Tips



- Our EIN # is 23-2435162, for those who need it for tax purposes.
- Tuition payment receipts can be retrieved from your Quickbooks invoices. Look for last school year's green and white tuition envelope for Jan-March 2020 payment info, if needed. To calculate total tuition payment for 2020, multiply this school year's monthly payment by four and add to 2.5 times last school year's monthly payment, if your child was in school. (We closed on March 13 and half of March's tuition was refunded to families.)

DONATION OF THE

MONTH

For the month of March we could use a boost in our supply of Baby Wipes.

They are invaluable for quick clean up of all the little messes we make!

Thank You!

Patience and vigilance as we continue to battle COVID.

Stay strong in safe practices!

The light is at the end of the tunnel!





