## March Newsletter

February flew by! Thank you for sending in fun valentines and contributing to the Valentine's Day party. A special thank you to our room parents for throwing a *LOVE*ly party.

March is filled with exciting events to look forward to. On March 14, we will celebrate St. Patrick's Day. Mrs Delgado will read a book to the whole school, and then we will go on a scavenger hunt. A tricky leprechaun will leave us clues to find his treasure. With luck and determination, I know we will find it! Then, on Wednesday, March 26, we will have Shopping Day. On Tuesday, March 25, please bring a clean, empty food container/box/bottle, such as cereal, pasta, milk, juice, yogurt or snack bars. In conjunction with the other pre-k class, we will be setting up a grocery store. Each child will get a chance to be both a shopper and a cashier. In March, I usually mention our Easter egg hunt, but Easter is later this year. Since the eggs are already in the stores, I want to give you advanced notice that I will be asking you to send in 10 pre-filled eggs (no food/candy). As a change this year, we are also going to ask that you write the names of each of the kids on the outside of the egg in Sharpie. We are going to have them hunt for the eggs with their names on them.

New this month, the children will learn to recognize their last names in print and will memorize their home addresses. Please let me know if you need to update your address.

Finally, here are important future dates to mark on your calendar. March 6<sup>th</sup> is Family Fun night. Please come out and enjoy the evening. I'll be face painting! Our spring trip to Storybook Land is planned for May 22<sup>nd</sup>. We will all meet there. More information and a permission slip will be sent home closer to the date. Our graduation ceremony for our Pre K children will be held May 30<sup>th</sup>. Drop off will happen as usual that day, and the ceremony will start at 9:45am. Pre K children will head outside after graduation to join the whole school for a picnic. Each family will need to pack a lunch and drinks for their family that day. We will have dessert and a lot of fun activities planned.

## **Important Dates:**

- 3/6 Family Fun Night
- 3/25 Please bring in container
- 3/26 Shopping Day!
- 5/2 Pre-K Run @ 11:30am
- 5/9 Mother's Day Event @ 11am
- 5/22 Storybook Land
- 5/30 Graduation

## **Growth Mindset Quote for Kids:**

"You don't have to be great to start, but you have to start to be great." - Zig Ziglar

## **Growth Mindset Quote for Adults**

"The best way to treat obstacles is to use them as stepping-stones. Laugh at them, tread on them, and let them lead you to something better." - Enid Blyton