CHALK Preschool of Manhattan Beach Blue Room NEWSLETTER Ms. Leslie & Ms. Victoria March 2019



Blue Room is so ready for Spring time and warmer days! Last month we celebrated Valentine's Day with all of our friends. This month will be all about Spring!

This month we will be going over many interesting topics. Our first week we will be learning about Spring time! Kiddos will be making a bubble wrap painting, pulled string art, and handprint cherry blossoms! For the cherry blossoms, kiddos will use their fingertips to add cherry blossoms to a brown tree using white, red, and pink paint. Kiddos will also be taking a look at their letter of the week, X, and making a X for xylophone and x-ray! For science, kiddos will be making magic milk! As a group they will experiment with colors and see how the milk reacts with watercolors.

During our second week, we will be focusing on St. Patrick's Day! This week we will be looking out for a sneaky leprechaun in the classroom! We will be playing a Shamrock Race, building egg towers, and playing a rainbow game with Fruit Loops. For literacy, we will be matching alphabet gold coins to letters on a large butcher paper. Kiddos will also be using yarn to decorate their letter of the week: Y. For art, kiddos will be making handprint four leaf clovers, marshmallow shamrock stamping, egg doily, and a Leprechaun handprint.

During our third week, we will be learning about Wetlands/Ponds! For art, kiddos will be making lily pads out of paper plates, marble painting a duck, and making a tissue paper dragonfly. For literacy, kiddos will be taking a look at the letter of the week, Z. They will practice writing the letter on a cut out of a zebra! We will also be working on our memory skills by playing an alphabet memory game where kiddos will match the corresponding letters on paper plates. For math, kiddos will be playing a game of Duck, Duck, Goose and they will count how many friends end up in the middle. Kiddos will also get a chance to conduct a science experiment using PEEPS, water, vinegar, and clear soda!

Our class will end the month by learning about the weather. We will be learning about the different types of weather. As part of literacy, kiddos will be taking a look at different types of weather, identifying them, and pasting them onto a poster. For math, kiddos will be participating in a windblown measurement test, cheerio counting, and play a new game of Number KABOOM!

## **Upcoming Events**

\*Daylight Savings: Sunday, March 10, 2019. \*National Read Across America Day: March 2, 2019 \***Family Night: Wednesday, March 13 5:30-7:00** \*St. Patrick's Day: March 17, 2019 \*First Day of Spring: March 20, 2019 \***Spring Break: Closed April 1 – 5** 

## <u>Happy</u> <u>Birthday</u>

Nicholas 3/2

## Star of the Week

3/4 – 3/8: Avery 3/11 – 3/15: Cameron 3/18 – 3/22: Willian 3/25 – 3/29: Nicholas

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