

## Directors Corner



We at CMCCF would like to wish all our families a Happy New Year!

Our commitment for 2019 is to bring the children in our community the highest quality Preschool and Child Care experience possible. We want to thank you for choosing us to educate and care for your children.

We want your suggestions and feedback on your experience in our programs. Please feel free to drop ideas or feedback in the tuition box anytime. Meeting the needs of our families is important to us.



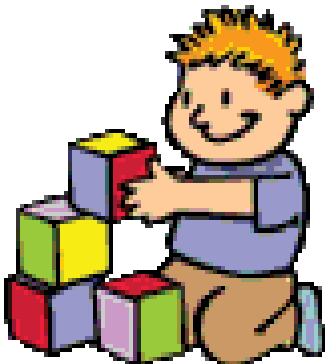
A big Thank You to all the families who donated treats for the Holiday program and families who have donated new toys.

### **We earned our 4 Stars!**

Congratulations to our staff for all their hard work maintaining the high quality preschool programs to earn the highest Parent Aware 4 star rating!



## Upcoming Events



### **HEGGIES PIZZA FUNDRAISER**

Help us raise funds for new outdoor toys for all age groups by participating in the Heggies Pizza Fundraiser. Our goal is for each family to sell a minimum of 5 pizza's to friends, family and co-workers.

Orders are due by January 24th.  
Pizza delivery day is February 13th



### **PRESCHOOL LENDING LIBRARY**

Reading with your child daily is an important step in preparing them for Kindergarten and to instill the love of reading.

Winter is a great time to curl up and read books with your child. Watch the locker room area for book bin of books to borrow and read with your child. Please return the books when you are finished with them so other families can enjoy them.

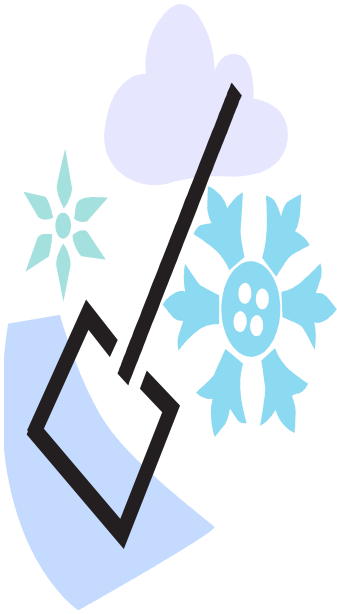


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## Reminders



### All Families

- Please help keep your children safe during arrival and departure times. There are times when our parking lot is busy. Please keep them close to you.
- Outdoor play is an important part of your child's day. Please make sure they have proper outdoor clothing each day. This includes warm waterproof mittens.

### Center Closed Dates:

- \*February 18– President's Day
- \*April 19-Good Friday  
(Staff Development days)

### Parent Referral Program

- We will begin registration for 2019 Fall Preschool Programs January 1, If you refer a new family you both receive a **\$100 credit**.

### Early Learning Preschool Scholarships Available.

If you meet the following guidelines, please contact Stacie for information.

- If your child was 3 or 4 before September 1, 2018
- You must reside in the state of MN
- You must have a family income equal to or less than 185 percent of the federal poverty level or be receiving certain publically funded assistance in an approved state or federal public assistance program.



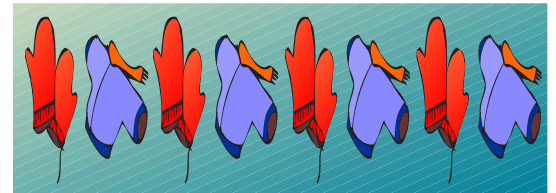
### Winter Fun Activity

Children love to paint. Fill water bottles with water and food coloring and let them draw pictures in the snow.

*"The best way to make children good is to make them happy"*  
Oscar Wilde

## Friends of Carol Matheys

Have you visited the Carol Matheys Center for Children & Families FACEBOOK Page? Like us and receive updates on center happenings



## Community Information

### Oakdale Indoor Market

Discovery Center  
January 5 & 19  
9am to 1pm

Baked goods, jams, sweets, meats, gourmet foods, salsas, jewelry and much more

### Local Ice Skating Rinks

Ice skating at a local park is a FREE, FUN, ACTIVE way to enjoy winter for the whole family. Parks below have warming houses.

Hause Park in NSP  
Northdale & Walton Park in Oakdale  
Rinks are open M-F 4-8 and weekends 1-8

