



Pre-school & Child Care

*"Come Grow With Us"*

# January News

2021

## Directors Corner



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

Our commitment for 2021 is to bring the children in our community the highest quality Preschool, Kindergarten and Child Care experience possible. We want to thank you for choosing us to educate and care for your children.

2020 has been so challenging for all in so many ways. As we have tried to adapt to the new protocols due to Covid we have found that our daily communication with parents has suffered. Please provide us with suggestions to improve communications. Your feedback is important to us

### Congratulations to Ms. Chris!

We would like to congratulate Ms. Chris on her retirement. We are sad to see her leave the Carol Matheys family but happy for her to start the new chapter of her life. Her last day will be January 7th. She has agreed to sub for us so the kids will still see her occasionally.

### Welcome Ms. Allison

We are excited to welcome Ms. Allison as our new Preschool teacher. She has spent the last few weeks getting to know the kids and routines. Please welcome her to the Carol Matheys family.



A huge thank you to all the parents who brought in treats and sent gifts and bought the staff lunch. The staff appreciated it very much!

### Year End Tax Statements

CMCCF will provide parents with a year end tax statement by the end of January. Please watch your mail box and email for this important tax document..

## 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 6 pizza's to friends, family and co-workers.

Orders are due by January 22nd  
Pizza delivery day is February 10th



### 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. The free lending library is located in the entryway outside the preschool room. Please return the books when you are finished with them so other families can enjoy them and feel free to donate books to the free library.

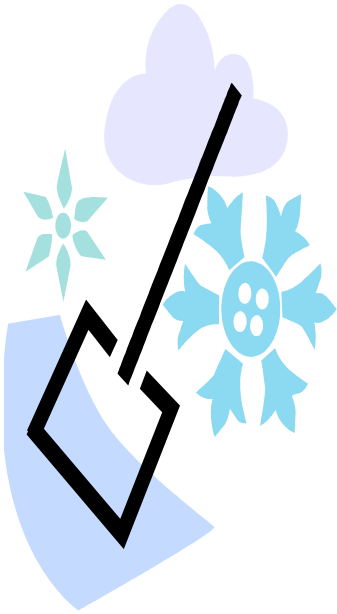


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## Reminders



### 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 15– President's Day
- March 5–Conferences
- \*April 2–Good Friday  
(Staff Development days)

### Parent Referral Program

- We are beginning registration for 2021 Fall Preschool Programs and Kindergarten We also will begin registration for our Summer School Age Program. ( children K-4th grade) If you refer a new family you both receive a **\$100 credit**.



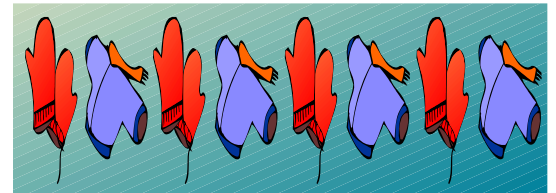
### Winter Fun Activity

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

**“The greatest gift I can give to my children is my time, my love, and my attention.”**

## 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 23 & Feb 6th 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.

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

