

SPRING NEWSLETTER

March/April/ May

Spring Calendar

March

- 3.5- Kinder info night, Candy Lane
- 3.8- No Public School
- 3.11-15- Lucky Raffle
- 3.20-22- No Public School
- 3.25-29- Spring Break, NPS and OCDS Spirit Week
- 3.29- Egg Hunts

April

- 4.1-4.5- Spring Portraits
- 4.22- Earth Day!

May

- 5.3- No Public School
- 5.27- Memorial Day, OCDS CLOSED

Spring Into Spring...



Winter is coming to an end, and with the new year, the Department of Early Learning and Care had issued adjustments and additions to the childcare rule book. We have applied these changes to our policies and practices and they have been added to, or adjusted in our Family Handbook. In January, families were sent updated paperwork. Please be sure those are updated and returned to an administrator, or send via email to monique@oregoncitydayschool.com. Let your child's teacher know if need a copy of this paperwork

Each season marks a time to check in on our school calendars, your child's enrollment paperwork and brush up in our policies. It is also a time to take stock of your child's supplies like a change of size and season appropriate change of clothes.

Explorer's Infant Care

Our Explorer's campus now has an infant/ toddler program!

Our **Aspen Meadow** classroom serves children ages 6 weeks -23 months of age!

Join the waitlist now!



Recipe Corner!

SPRING LETTUCE WRAPS

INGREDIENTS:

- Ground chicken, or meat substitute. I use Impossible ground.
- Olive oil for skillet
- 1 TBSP Chinese 5 spice
- 1 TBSP Tamari, or soy sauce
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- Small red onion, diced
- Shredded carrot
- Bib lettuce or small romaine hearts
- Chili sauce, or plum sauce
- Thai basil & cilantro

STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS

- Heat Olive oil in skillet, add garlic and onion until onions are translucent.
- Add meat, or meat substitute, add 5 spice, and Tamari or soy sauce and cook through on med heat.
- Wash and arrange lettuce cups.
- Spoon filling into lettuce cups.
- Top with shredded carrot, Thai basil & cilantro
- Offer sauces for topping (can be thinned with tamari)

St. Paddy's Day Raffle-

March 11th-15th

Try your luck at winning an array of prizes from local businesses such as Blue Ox Axe Throwing, McMenamins, Oregon City Day School sponsored babysitting and much more!

Purchase tickets at the check in desk all week. Winners will be drawn on Friday March 15th and announced via ProCare!

Tickets- \$10 EA. Buy 2 get 1 FREE!

Spirit Week!

March 25th- March 29th

Monday- Pajama Day/ Cozy Day

Tuesday- Book/Character Day

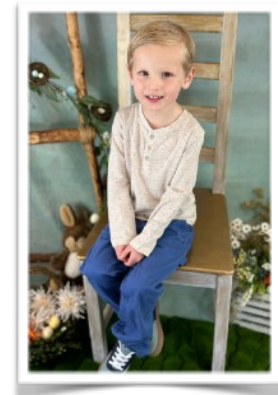
Wednesday- Western Wednesday

Thursday- Throwback Thursday

Friday- Fancy Friday

Spring Portraits!

April 1st- April 5th



If you would like to sign up for a portrait session, please return your portrait form to your child's teacher.

You will receive confirmation and we will notify you of which day of the week your child is during your child's school day!

Final photos will be emailed and you will be instructed on how to pay at that time.

RECOMMENDED READING...



Hello Spring

By Jo Lindley

In this beautiful book, the first in the Best Friends with Big Feelings series, we take a look at friendship, big feelings, anxiety, and learning that not everything has to be perfect.