



## Preschool Newsletter Room 28B 12/06/18

### Friendly Reminders

- Please return library books by Wednesday

### Books we are reading:

5 Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed

Llama Llama Time to Share

10 Little Monkeys Sitting on the Bed

5 Little Ducks

### Save the Date:

- 12/11 Tucker Turtle Presentation  
5:30@Cronin
- 12/20 Popcorn Day (money must be in a labeled bag in the yellow folder) and Winter Party Day
- 12/24 - 1/6 NO SCHOOL, Winter Break
- 1/7 School Resumes

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### Welcome Music!

We started off our Music Unit of Study by reading books that are familiar songs. We are exploring winter music, singing about snowmen and mittens! We are practicing identifying letters and their sounds by playing a "mystery mitten" game.

Small groups included a counting game where we counted out buttons for a snowman, according to the number on the snowman's hat. We sorted shape cards two different ways - by color and by shape. We engaged in a social small group, practicing sharing and asking for toys.

We are working hard on incorporating sharing, turn taking, and being a kind friend into our daily routine. We are using pictures in our classroom, and reading social emotional stories to promote discussions about how to share.

Join us 12/11 for our Tucker Turtle Presentation, learning how to manage strong emotions.

### Winter Holiday Learning:

As we approach the end of the calendar year, we are looking for opportunities to learn about different winter holidays from different cultures.

We would love to read a story about a winter holiday that your culture celebrates, or listen to music from your culture's winter holiday. If you would like to send in a book or a CD for us to borrow, please label it and send it in your child's backpack.

### **Please send your child to school in gym shoes every day.**

We are not able to change shoes at school due to the number of students we have and our tight schedule.

