

January 2024 Newsletter



Happy New Year's from your family at Little Scholars! We're so excited to be able to share in another year of love and growth with your family! We want to thank you for your continued support throughout the year and we look forward to all the new adventures we'll see throughout 2024!

Birthdays in January



*All center birthdays will be celebrated on January 26th *

Jack (TB) – Jan 1st

Ames – Jan 3rd

Zosha – Jan. 4th

Isabella – 8th

Hayley P. – Jan. 7th

Hayley B- Jan. 11th

Sabrina – Jan 11th

Jennifer M.-20th

Ella Rielle – Jan. 22nd

UPCOMING EVENTS

Along with our regular Dance, Music, and French programs, we'll also have:

Jan 1st – Happy New Year's

Jan 5th – Pajama Day

Jan 5th – National Bird Day

Jan 9th – Disney Day

Jan 12th – Headband Day

Jan 15th – Band Shirt Day

Jan 18th – Winnie the Pooh Day

Jan 23rd – African Drum Circle

Jan 25th – National Opposite Day

Jan 26th – Celebrating ALL Center Birthdays

Jan 30th – Outer Space Day

Just as a reminder, the center will be closed on **January 1st** for New Year's. Have a safe and happy long weekend!



Congrats to our staff of the month, Maseeha! Ever since joining the ranks of full time, she has put in so much effort and her hard work in her classroom and we appreciate everything she does! Congratulations Maseeha!

Opposite Day



What a fun day of switcher-roos. There is no better way to celebrate than to not celebrate? We don't really mean that, or do we?

The aim of the day is to have fun all day long saying and wearing exactly the opposite. Wear summer clothes or put them inside out and backward. The possibilities are endless!



National Bird Day

The world is filled with a plethora of different species of birds. From cardinals to doves, from parakeets to parrots, nature lovers, bird lovers, and bird watchers across the country annually recognize National Bird Day on January 5th. Looking for ideas on how to celebrate National Bird Day? Well listed below are a great spot to begin.

1. Study some birds

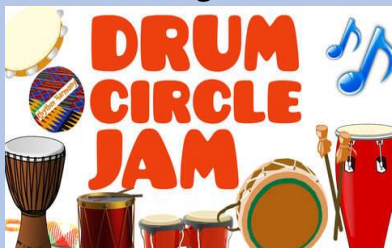
Whether you pick up a birding book like the Sibley Guide to Birds, read a memoir like "H is for Hawk, or even a novel with birds in the title like Maya Angelou's, "I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings", this is the time to brush up on your bird knowledge and reflect on the role of birds in our lives.

2. Watch some birds

By joining the quiet ranks of the country's birdwatchers, you'll discover a vast new hobby and a huge number of quietly contented people who can give you new insight into your place in this fragile world. Talk about a reason to try a new hobby!

African Drumming Circle

Jan 23 from 10:00-11:00
Each classroom will be able to dance along to the beat as we play drums together. There will be hand drums, djembes, congas, bass drums and bongos.



Winnie the Pooh Day

One of the cuddliest holidays around is National Winnie the Pooh Day which commemorates author A.A. Milne's birthday. Winnie the Pooh first appeared on the printed page in 1926, together with friends Piglet, Tigger, and Eeyore. All of them were based on toys

owned by the author's son, who also featured in the famous stories as Christopher Robin.

HOW TO OBSERVE WINNIE THE POOH DAY

Snuggle up with your favorite Pooh fan, a pot of honey, and take turns reading about the adventures of Winnie the Pooh. Share your favorite Pooh Bear adventure or quote. Watch a Winnie the Pooh movie. Listen to songs like "Return to Pooh Corner" by Kenny Loggins.