

Preschool News



Themes for week of
Dec. 12, 2011

Preschool Themes

****Don't forget: Tuesday night is the Christmas Program!
Dec. 6 at 7pm at Albert Lea High School!****

Moonbeam Room: moonbeam@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Holiday Sights**

This week we will be talking all about the things we see at Christmastime! We will be talking about Christmas lights and decorations, the color green, get to make cookies for snack and find the Christmas objects with Clifford! Be on the lookout for the bell shapes on the center Christmas tree, they are the wish list items for our Moonbeam room!

Blue Sky Room: bluesky@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Winter Sports**

This week we will be talking all about wintertime activities! We will build a snowman obstacle course, do some fun marshmallow math, talk about sledding safety and ice skating and learn about snowshoes! We will do a science experiment with salt and sugar on ice to learn the difference and why they use salt on the sidewalks and roads! We will also talk about the letter G! Be on the lookout for the mittens on the center Christmas tree for Blue Sky wish list items! Thank you!

Sunshine Room: sunshine@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Christmas Around the World**

This week we are learning about Christmas! We will be having a Las posadas parade from Mexico, make sand kager from Norway, play pin the light on the diya from India and find the almond from Denmark as well as much, much more! Lots of fun things going on this week in the Sunshine Room! Please look for the snowman shape on the center Christmas tree for all of Sunshine rooms wish list items!

Kangaroo Club: kangarooclub@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Sights and Sounds of Christmas**

This week we are learning all about Christmas! We will talk about the lights and decorations we see around Christmastime, as well as the sounds we might hear! Look for the bell shape on our center tree by the time clock for all of Kangaroo Clubs wish list items!

"Children are made readers on the laps of their parents." -Emilie Buchwald

Attention Parents:

- **Moonbeam Parents:**
Let's look for Christmas decorations and lights!
- **Blue Sky Parents:**
Let's play some winter sports!
- **Sunshine Parents:**
Let's talk about Christmas everywhere!
- **Kangaroo Club Parents:**
Let's use our senses to see and hear Christmas!
- **All Parents:**

Spanish:

Wednesday: Kangaroo Club

Friday: Main Site

Weekly Topic: Animals

We will read **Brown Bear** and learn the animals names!

Gato (gah- toe) —cat

Perro (pear-row) —dog

Pajaro (pah-ha-row)—bird

Oso (oh-so) —bear

Rana (rah-nah) —frog