

Preschool News

Preschool Themes



Themes for week of
Aug. 8, 2011

Moonbeam Room: moonbeam@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Wheels and Transportation**

This week we will be learning all about wheels! We will be racing match box cars and looking at how many wheels cars and trucks have. We will go for a walk to look for wheels and name different transportation vehicles! We will even talk a little about safety and wearing our seat belts!

Blue Sky Room: bluesky@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Pets**

This week we're learning all about pets! We would like everyone who has a pet to bring in a handful of their pet food so we can look at the differences! We will talk about all the different kinds of pets people have and how we would take care of a pet!

Sunshine Room: sunshine@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **How to Get from here to there**

This week we are learning all about transportation! We will talk about road signs and the walk/don't walk sign. We will talk about cars, boats, trains, buses, airplanes and even hot air balloons! We will even get to make sailboat sandwiches for snack!

Kangaroo Club: kangarooclub@alchildrenscenter.org

Weekly Theme: **Fun with Sports**

This week we are learning all about sports! We will look at different kinds of balls that people use for different sports and play with balls outside! We would like to have sports equipment donated, if you have any, for play during this unit! We will read all kinds of books about different sports with all of our favorite characters!

Attention Parents:

- **Moonbeam Parents:**
Let's look for wheels together!
- **Blue Sky Parents:**
If you have a pet, please bring in a handful of their food!
- **Sunshine Parents:**
Let's talk about all of the traffic signs we see!
- **Kangaroo Club Parents:**
Let's talk about all kinds of sports and equipment!
- **All Parents:**
Read to me everyday!

- Parent involvement is very important in children's learning and we encourage you to communicate often with your child's teachers. You may call the Main site at (507)373-7979 or 379-9505 for the St. John's site. You may also e-mail the classrooms, as well as talking with the teachers at drop off and pick up times, whatever is the most convenient for you.

Resource websites:

- www.alchildrenscenter.org—The Children's Center Website
- cpsc.gov—Consumer product safety commission, recall information