

November 2013

Newsletter

Thank you: Thank you SO MUCH for all of your donations to the Food Pantry, Project Warmth, and the Trunk-or-Treat! We truly have the best kids and families at Kathy's House, and all of your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated!


Reminder: We will be closed Thanksgiving Day and the day after. If your child's schedule will be different that week due to the holiday, please let us know as soon as possible!

Check Your Totes!: Another reminder to please check your child's tote and make sure that you have changed out their spare summer clothing for warmer fall/winter clothes. We hate to put them in shorts and tee shirts when it is so cold outside, and we are running low on our own extras!

Christmas Adoption: Once again we are adopting the people next door at the nursing home for Christmas! Please look for a letter home in the near future with details as to what type of items we are collecting and more info if you'd like to help out.

Themes for the Month

4-8 Fairy Tales
 11-15 Health & Hygiene
 18-22 Thanksgiving
 25-29 Thanksgiving

Reading With Your Child 

When You Think You're Done, You've Just Begun!
 Get the conversation started!!
 After enjoying a book with your child, whether he reads to you, or you read to him, continue the experience by asking:

- What did you notice about the story?
- Does this book remind you of anything?
- What have you been wondering as you read?
- Does this book make you think of anything else you've read?
- What was your favorite part?
- Were there any parts that surprised you?
- What are you going to read next?

Adapted from Johnson and Koler, "Catching Readers Before They Fall"
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Ravioli Green Beans Mixed Fruit
4 Pizza Sticks Corn Pears	5 Mini Corndogs Peas Peaches	6 Stuffing Casserole Green Beans Mandarin Oranges	7 Taco Sticks Mixed Veggies Apricots	8 French Toast Sticks Sausage Pears
11 Hamburgers Carrots Apple Wedges	12 Chicken Nuggets Corn Pears	13 Cheese Pizza Mixed Veggies Pineapple Chunks	14 Ham & Cheese Sandwich Carrots Orange Wedges	15 Salisbury Steak Corn Apple Sticks
18 Hotdogs Tater Tots Apricots	19 Swedish Meatballs Green Beans Pineapple Chunks	20 Beefy Noodles Peas Peaches	21 Mac & Cheese Mixed Veggies Pears	22 Little Tacos Oranges Green Beans
25 Fish Sticks Vegetables Pears	26 Corn Dogs Tater Tots Applesauce	27 Mac & Beef Corn Pears	28 Chicken Fettuccini Peas Pineapple Chunks	29 Chicken Nuggets Corn Mixed Fruit