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♥ Happy Valentine's Day ♥

Happy Birthday

- Torsten 8th**
- Jackson 12th**
- Miss Jane 19th**
- George 22nd**
- Elisabeth 23rd**



How Many Valentine's

Infant = 8 Children

2 Teachers

Peach = 6 Children

2 Teachers

Yellow = 11 Children

2 Teachers

Green = 18 Children

2 Teachers

Blue = 16 Children

2 Teachers

Part-time Staff= 4

In January the Peach Room welcomed their new friend Collin to the room. They read stories about snow and winter animals. The class made snowballs and different winter crafts like, fuzzy polar bears, and painted penguins. During the classes Polar Bear, Polar Bear week, they enjoy using paint to make polar bear shadows,, cookie cutter polar bears, and paper plate polar bears. The class will end the month with ground hog day stories, and crafts. For February the class will spend time learning about love, and will make special Valentine's day crafts. Dental health and our bodies will also be some things the class learns about.

In January the Yellow Room talked about Curious George. Miss Laura brought her stuffed monkey "Charlie," to hang out with the class. The class also learned about Martin Luther King Jr. and talked about what to wear outside during the winter. The class hopes that they will get a chance to play outside this winter! For February the class

will be decorating cookies on Valentine's Day. After Valentine's Day the class will be talking about Dental Health. They will learn how important it is, to take care of our teeth.

Even though there wasn't snow outside, the Green Room friends still had snow flakes swirling around, penguins playing on an icy igloo, and teddy bears wearing colorful hats, mittens, and boots braving the "beary" cold weather. Snowmen came to dance on the walls, even though they had no snow to build them with. The class had great fun making snow angel with their hand in shaving cream. The children played a variety of hand-made instruments and explored different types of music to finish up the month. In February the class will be talking about how to share, care, and get along with friend's. The class will make squishy hearts for Valentine's Day. During their circus week the class will talk about animals, tents, and clowns. The class will learn where animals live and grow



The Peach Room Friends!!

during their animal homes week. Learning about their teeth and good eating habits is how the class will end February.

In January the Blue Room enjoyed eating popcorn and watching movies. The class made winter art, even though they didn't get to see much snow. The children enjoyed bringing their Teddy Bears to school for a day full of fun activities with them. In February the class looks forward to decorating their room with Valentine's art. They are very exciting for their Valentine's Day party with their class.

Topics This Month

Peach

- * Valentine's Day
- * Valentine's Day
- * Dental Health
- * My Body

Yellow

- * Valentine's Day
- * Valentine's Day
- * Dental Work
- * My Body

Green

- * Special Friend's
- * Circus
- * Animal Homes
- * Dental Health

Blue

- * Valentine's Day
- * Valentine's Day
- * Colors
- * Wind/Kites

WHITE CHEESE CHICKEN LASAGNA

DIRECTIONS

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Bring a large pot of lightly salted water to a boil. Cook lasagna noodles in boiling water for 8 to 10 minutes. Drain, and rinse with cold water.
2. Melt the butter in a large saucepan over medium heat. Cook the onion and garlic in the butter until tender, stirring frequently. Stir in the flour and salt, and simmer until bubbly. Mix in the broth and milk, and boil, stirring constantly, for 1 minute. Stir in 2 cups mozzarella cheese and 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese. Season with the basil, oregano, and ground black pepper. Remove from heat, and set aside.
3. Spread 1/3 of the sauce mixture in the bottom of a 9x13 inch baking dish. Layer with 1/3 of the noodles, the ricotta, and the chicken. Arrange 1/3 of the noodles over the chicken, and layer with 1/3 of the sauce mixture, spinach, and the remaining 2 cups mozzarella cheese and 1/2 cup Parmesan cheese. Arrange remaining noodles over cheese, and spread remaining sauce evenly over noodles. Sprinkle with parsley and 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese.
4. Bake 35 to 40 minutes in the preheated

MATERIALS

- 9 lasagna noodles
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups chicken broth
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 4 cups shredded mozzarella cheese, divided
- 1 cup grated Parmesan cheese, divided
- 1 teaspoon dried basil
- 1 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 2 cups ricotta cheese
- 2 cups cubed, cooked chicken meat
- 2 (10 ounce) packages frozen chopped spinach, thawed and drained
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh parsley
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese for topping

Say Cheese!



Breanna is so happy!



Adrian Has Crazy Hair!!



Lila just got done going down the tunnel slide!



Preston is coloring at the table with his friend's!



Jordyn is working hard!

Who's New To Our Room?

Infant: Ben, Hadley, Kyler, Spencer, Hunter

Peach: Collin

Yellow: Lila, Averi

Green: Jackson

Blue: Graham