



ESCC



January News!

Dear Mom and Dad,

We wish you a happy and healthy New Year!

In January we will be learning how good nutrition makes us healthy and strong. We will also be learning hands-on about the winter season. We will be going out every day unless there is a wind chill factor. Please make sure your child comes with hat, mittens, boots and snow pants every day. Also, please send in a pair of slippers that can be left at the center. These are a great help when boots come off. If you have an extra set of hats and mittens you would like to leave here, that would be helpful.

Winter is also cold and flu season, to help control the spread of germs, we are asking each family to donate a box of tissues and a box of baby wipes to their child's classroom. Teachers will be emphasizing good health habits to prevent the sharing of germs.

CONGRATULATIONS to the children who performed in the Christmas plays. We enjoyed watching and listening to you. You were **TERRIFIC!!!!** Also congratulations to the children and their families who contributed to the food drive and pet shelter collection; you really made someone's day! You are **TERRIFIC!!!!** A big thanks to all our parents who helped with Christmas projects and parties. What a fun time for the children.



Happy January Birthday's



Carina	Joseph	
Julia	Adam	
Jaxson	Sannidhi	Sarah
Marisa	Adam	Chantel
Jonathan	Abby	Charles

We will be celebrating January birthdays on Tuesday & Wednesday, January 9th & 10th.
Please talk to your teacher about your child's January birthday.

Progress reports will be given out on the 24th and 25th this month. We believe that a child that is developmentally ready to participate in learning will be successful. (This includes all areas of learning: physical, social, emotional, and intellectual) We will be presenting a readiness workshop for parents on Wednesday January 16th at 7:00 PM. We hope as many of you as possible will attend. We will be setting up individual conference times for all children at the end of January and in February. More information will be sent out at a later date.

FIELD TRIPS: In keeping with our theme, good health. The kindergarten classes will go to Rosita Lee Dance studio for an aerobic workout.

Ms. Landra's class: January 23rd @ 9:30

Ms. Fran's class: January 23rd @ 1:00

Ms. Lisa's class: January 24th @ 9:30

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Our four year old classes will be going to a supermarket.

Ms. Ana's class: January 28th @ 10:00

Ms. Mary Jo's T-Th class: January 29th @ 10:00

Ms. Mary Jo's M-W-F class: January 30th @ 10:00

Permission slips will be sent home soon with details.

“ESCC HAPPENINGS”

Congratulations to Marisa Morin, of Ms. Lisa's Apple Orchard: She is a “BIG SISTER” to her new baby brother Samuel Nathan, Born December 2nd.

Jaxson Jozokos, of Ms. Amy & Ms. Cindy's Farmyard recently moved into his new home with his “airplane” bedroom.

Ms. Kelly-Ann, our afternoon teacher in the Cowpasture, has been accepted to both Rivier College and Plymouth State College for the '08 fall semester.

Ms. Shaela, our afternoon floating aide, has recently received a promotion to the rank of Chief Master Sergeant at Alvirne High School's ROTC program.

Santa knew a lot about the children and the staff, when he visited. Rumor has it, that one of his elves may actually work at ESCC.

For those of you who need our tax ID number for filing your 2007 tax return, it is: **FID#: 02 0509576**

Please Note: Important registration information is attached. If you are considering registering a sibling, look on the back of your In-house registration form.

“Reading Tips from Ms. Mary in the Library”

- 1) Read every day.
- 2) Read out loud with someone else. (Your young ones in the household would love it!)
- 3) Read about things that you like.
- 4) Take a book with you wherever you go.
- 5) Read everything you can, like maps, menus, signs, newspapers, and magazines.
- 6) Talk about what you've read.
- 7) Keep a log of what you've read.
- 8) Be proud of your reading accomplishments.

Don't forget to take time to read during your holiday season.

Remember: **Readers Are Leaders!**

The entire staff at ESCC wishes to express our sincere thanks for all the thoughtfulness and kindness from you at Christmas time. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joan & Kathy



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