

*Green River Co-Op Preschool*  
**2 DAY PROGRAM – MAY**  
**CLASS NEWS**



## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION....**

- **Board Meeting** – Tuesday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 4:00.
- **Fire Drill** – Tuesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>
- **Stuffed Animal Circus**- Our younger students do not participate in a class circus, as it is a bit overwhelming to many of them. However, we will be having a Stuffed Animal Circus. On Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, students are welcome to bring their favorite stuffed animal to school. Their animals can tumble, walk the beam, and even jump through the ring of fire!
- **Last day of school** – The last day of school will be Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. We will be on a shortened schedule, with morning classes running 9:30-11:25, and afternoon classes 12:05-2:00.

It is hard to believe that the school year is almost over. Thanks for sharing your children with us! We hope everyone has a wonderful and safe summer.

Miss Kami, Miss Krista, & Miss Julianne

# WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CLASSROOM?

## Themes

- April 27 – May 1 We Count
- May 4-8 Off to Kindergarten
- May 11-15 Review

## Playhouse Themes

- Grocery Store
- Regular Playhouse

## Language and Literacy

- Listening and responding to stories read aloud
- Participating in finger plays
- Taking turns speaking in a group
- Retell/sequence stories
- Focus/Writing letters: All letters
- Writing our names
- Listening Center

## Math Skills

- Number stories and songs
- Calendar – patterns, counting, number identification
- Recognizing and identifying shapes
- Focus on numerals 1- 10
- Summer Bingo

## Physical Development-Fine Motor

- Using markers and/or other writing utensils
- Puzzles
- Painting
- Train Tracks
- Lacing
- Play dough
- Building/pattern blocks
- Sidewalk chalk
- Sand and Water/Sensory Table

## Physical Development-Gross Motor

- Various circle action games
- Stuffed Animal Circus Show
- Obstacle Course
- Outside play

## Social and Emotional Development

- Classroom Rules
- Group games
- Practice taking turns
- Sharing and getting along with others
- Singing songs
- Playhouse
- Following 1 & 2 step directions

## Science and Social Studies

- Stuffed Animal Circus Show
- Observe caterpillar to butterfly transformation

## Creative Arts

- Circle action games
- Stuffed Animal Circus
- Dramatic Play-Playhouse
- Art Projects
  - Circus Seal
  - Circus Necklace
  - Cruisin' into Summer
  - Popsicle Art