



Child Development Center



SQUIRREL  
CLASS NEWS

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Families,

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**Al’s Pals Lessons-** Week of February 5<sup>th</sup>-“What’s Safe for My Body” and “What’s Safe to Touch?” Week of February 12<sup>th</sup>-“Keeping Ourselves Healthy” and “Is It Really Medicine?” Week of February 20<sup>th</sup>-“Maybe I Should Stop and Think” and “What’s the Problem?” Week of February 26<sup>th</sup>-“Stop! Think! Say How You Feel” and “Stop! Think! Brainstorm the Problem”

**Dentist Day-**A dental screening will be provided by Casper Children’s Dental Clinic for the Squirrel Room on Tuesday, February 6, 2018. A permission form must be filled out in order for them to complete a dental screening on your child. If you have not signed this form and would like for your child to participate, please let one of us know.

**Valentine’s Day-**We will be having a small Valentine’s Day card exchange, February 14, 2018 from 10:30-11:00 and 2:30-3:00. If you would like, please have your child sign and bring Valentine’s Day cards for his/her classmates. We have 15 Squirrel children in the morning and 15 in the afternoon. Everyone is welcome to join us and **individually wrapped store bought treats** are welcome as well. However, if we have too many treats they will be divided and sent home with each child. Please let us know if you have any questions.

**Picture Day-**The Squirrel Room picture day will be Wednesday, February 28, 2018. More information will be coming soon.

**Outside Play-**On nice days, we will go outside and play. Please remember to have your child bring warm clothes, coats, and gloves.



**Home Activities:** Cooking Activities are great for children to practice sequencing and math concepts. Practice letter and number recognition during daily activities; such as counting stairs, pointing out letters in signs, etc.

**Important Dates:** February 16<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>-Closed for President’s Day

March 26<sup>th</sup>-March 30<sup>th</sup>-Closed for Spring Break

April 2<sup>nd</sup>-Classes Resume

April 23<sup>rd</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>-Parent/Teacher Conferences

**CDC CORE VALUES**

1. Live Each Day with Courage
2. Take Pride in Your Work
3. Always Finish What You Start
4. Do What Has to Be Done
5. Be Tough, But Fair
6. When You Make a Promise, Keep It
7. Ride for the Brand
8. Talk Less and Say More
9. Remember That Some Things Aren’t For Sale
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