



## Nature's Scholars Enrichment Center February 2017



### Dates to Remember

**February 2<sup>nd</sup>** Groundhogs Day

**February 6<sup>th</sup>** Scholastic Orders Due

**February 14<sup>th</sup>** Valentine's Day Party  
(9am-11am)

**February 16<sup>th</sup>** No public school Johnsbury,  
Early Release 11:45 Richmond – No  
Rangers Pre-K

**February 17<sup>th</sup>** No public school Johnsbury,  
Richmond

**February 20<sup>th</sup>** No public school  
Johnsbury, Richmond, Harrison &  
McHenry District #15 - No Rangers Pre-K

**February 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>** No school McHenry  
District #15

### Coming Up

- Please Make sure that your child still has all of their outside gear daily.
- March 2<sup>nd</sup> McHenry County Department of Health will be here in the morning to conduct hearing and vision testing for ages 3-5. This is required by the Department of Children and Family Services. MCDH charges a fee of \$2.50 for vision and \$2.50 for hearing per child. You will get a notice that day indicating your child's results and fee. This fee will be added to your account and can be paid with weekly tuition.

### Car Break in' s

You may have seen on the news or heard through hear say that there have been break in's targeting day care center parking lots. Please make sure to lock your cars and take your purses and wallets with you inside. They have been known to smash windows to get to these items. Nature's Scholars is equipped with exterior security cameras for your safety.



## Summer is coming!

Please watch your child's mailbox or take home folder for a summer survey form that will be coming soon. Please complete the form and return it to the office no later than February 24<sup>th</sup>. We realize some parents may have the summer off and work schedules may change. It is very important that we plan for any changes that may occur. If your child will be disenrolling, we need an ending date noted. All students that plan on returning for the school year in the fall must pay the registration fee to hold their spot and list the expected return date. If different days are needed then currently enrolled for, you may request them but any final changes must be approved by Ms. Mary. Thank you for your cooperation

## Nature's Scholars Closings

Some Jobs require scheduled days off to be requested at the beginning of the year. Here are the days that we will be closed for 2017...

**Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup> "Memorial Day"**

**Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> "Independence Day"**

**Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> "Staff-in-Service"**

**Monday, September 4<sup>th</sup> "Labor Day"**

**Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> "Thanksgiving"**

**Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup> "Thanksgiving Holiday"**

**Monday, December 25<sup>th</sup>, "Christmas Holiday"**

**Tuesday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, "Christmas Holiday"**

**Monday, January 1<sup>st</sup>, "New Year's Holiday"**

**Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, "New Year's Holiday"**



## Some Indoor Fun Baby Basket Races!



**Ms. Kelly is getting to know the whole Nature's Scholars Family**





**Ella, Logan and Logan playing dress up**



**Jackson and Tyson being silly!**



**Anthony and Reese playing in the pretend snow.**



**Frontiers are giving summer some exercise.**





Tegan & Reese having a race off with the scooters & Ms. Kelly helping Evan with art.



Logan, Hunter, Ella & Mac building the "Great Wall of China" for the Chinese New Year out of blocks.



Briley, Kieran and Tessa at the sensory table.



The Tadpole Class keeping the fun going with the forts and balls while the outdoors was wet and dreary for quite some time.