

# TEDDY BEAR NEWS

**April 24,2016**

The next couple of weeks in the Teddy Bear room will be a-buzz with chicks hatching and the arrival of caterpillars. The eggs are currently in the Big Bear room. Once the chicks are a few days old and ready to travel, we will have them in our room to observe. The caterpillars, 33 of them, will be divided by the three classes and placed in small plastic containers with their food. We will watch the metamorphosis from caterpillars to chrysalis and then into a beautiful Painted Lady butterflies. We will keep them in a net enclosure and will sent them free towards the last week of school. It is a fun and exciting time to be in nursery school!



With the beautiful spring weather the children are enjoying playing outside. The water is on during these warm days. As you probably have noticed in your children's clothes that they love activities involving water play. They play with other children from the two classes, take turns at the faucet, and engage in cooperative work in making a river for boats and animals. Being outside with the Teddies has given the teachers many opportunities to see the growth in your children's self-confidence and abilities to master physical accomplishments including the monkey bars, riding the scooter, climbing to the very top of the dome climber and playing soccer with the big kids is just amazing to watch. Their faces light up with happiness and pride.



Dates to remember:

Monday, April 25 Dewey's and Tutti Frutti Night Out.

Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> is Day for Moms, Grandparents and Friends. More information will be sent closer to the date.

Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> is the last day for students.

Thank you for coming out and supporting Trivia Night!

Much love,

**Marbie and Chona**

