



St. Andrew's Nursery School Newsletter February 2025

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What's Happening @ St. Andrew's...

The children are looking forward to sharing their love with family and friends. During this month, they will be busy learning and exploring the following concepts:

- People who help us-Continuation of Community Helpers
- Dental Health
- Winter Health
- Presidents' Day-How Presidents help our Country
- Valentine's Day-Caring for others



Dear Parents,

Registration is currently open for the 2025-26 school year. All children currently enrolled were given the opportunity to register prior to public registration. Registration information and forms were mailed to parents on Tuesday, Jan. 14. If you missed the deadline for currently enrolled children, your application will be processed with the rest of the public registrations. We ask you to read through the registration materials as soon as possible.

If you have any questions about registration, please feel free to call the school office at 610-666-6153. We would be happy to assist you. Class Assignments letters for the 2025-2026 school year will be mailed to all families during the first week of March.

Check the school calendar at the end of this newsletter to be informed of all the activities scheduled for this month. Have a happy Valentine's Day!

Sincerely,

Astrid M. Montes, Director



- ◆ Everyone who attended 4A Family Fun Night.
- ◆ All donations to the S.P.C.A.
- ◆ All Book Donations:
 - From Jack Shepherdson-3B **The Little Engine That Could**
 - From Max DeFelice-Pre-3 **Tilda Tries Again**
 - From Auggie DeFelice-4A **After the Fall**



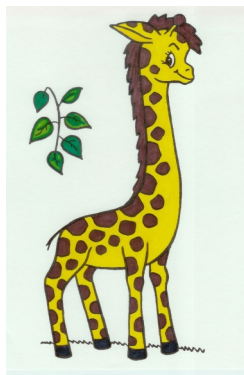
Happy Birthday Wishes to...

- Grace Lisowski
- Mrs. Mary Rose Brady-4A
- Morgan McCartney



REGISTRATION for the 2025-2026 school year

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is open to the public. All forms and fees are posted on our website at www.standrewsnurseryschool.com. Please call the office at 610-666-6153 if you need more information.



Class Notes:

Important Reminder:



As the weather changes, make sure that your child has the appropriate attire for being outside, including gloves/mittens. Please label all outerwear.

Coming Events:

- Feb. 5: Pajama Day-3A
- Feb. 6: Pajama Day- Pre-3 & 3B
- Feb. 7:-Family Fun Night-4B
- Feb. 10 & 11: Winter/Spring Fundraiser begins
- Feb. 12 & 13: Valentine Parties
- Feb. 25: Winter/ Spring Fundraiser ends
- Feb. 14-17: Presidents Day Weekend-School Closed
- Feb. 19: Lower Providence Township Police Program
- Feb. 22: Saturday School- 3A & 3B
- Feb. 24 & 25: Pastor Mueller & Mrs. K. visit



Pre-3 Mrs. Lutz/Mrs. Natalini

- ◆ Themes for February are friendship, Valentine's Day, and polar animals.
- ◆ For our Valentine exchange, please only fill out the "FROM" portion and leave the "TO" portion blank on your child's Valentines. The children will be delivering the Valentines themselves.

3A Mrs. Roszell/ Mrs. Kepner

- ◆ Our Valentine's party is February 12th. Please have your child write their name in the "from" section of the valentine and leave the "to" section blank as this helps with the distribution.

- ◆ Our Pajama Day is February 5th. The children can wear their pajamas and bring their favorite (small) stuffed animal.
- ◆ It was nice to talk to you all about your child's progress so far this year. Thank you for attending your conference.

3B Mrs. Cadden/ Mrs. Roszell

- ◆ Our themes for February are Penguins, Kindness/Manners, Valentines and Dental Health.
- ◆ Please watch emails for information on Valentines party supplies needed.
- ◆ We will study the letters P, Q, R and S.
- ◆ Thank you for labeling all of the children's hats, mittens and jackets!



4A Mrs. Brady/Mrs. Rothwein

- ◆ Please continue to practice putting on coats and zipping. The children are making great progress!
- ◆ We will begin recognizing last names verbally as well as being able to say first and last names.
- ◆ Book recommendation - Read and choose books that expand your child's world. Read about taking a train ride, going to the zoo, animals they like, etc. Follow up by taking the train ride or going to the zoo.

4B Ms. Whiteside/ Mrs. Roeger

- ◆ We are looking forward to our "Family Fun Night" on February 7th, hope to see everyone.
- ◆ Valentine's Day will soon be upon us. The children are welcome to bring in cards for their classmates. We will be making mail bags/ boxes to distribute them in school. Making cards is a great way to practice motor skills (tracing hearts, peeling stickers, tracing or writing names, etc.). If you go the homemade route, it is best to space out making cards a couple at a time. Valentine's Day will be celebrated in school on **February 12th**.
- ◆ A great book to add to your child's collection in honor of Valentine's Day is Love You Forever by Robert Munsch. It is funny, but has a great message about parental love.





Winter/Spring Fundraiser (from February 10 until February 25) will offer the following products:

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| Bridge Street Chocolate | School Store |
| Nothing Bundt Cakes | Reading Phillies |
| More details to follow. | |



School Closing/ Inclement Weather...



Please remember that we will communicate via Remind.com in case of severe weather. If you still need to join, use the designated code issued to each classroom:

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| For Pre-3 text @267hge to 81010 | For 3A text @3ased to 81010 |
| For 3B text @4h9aed to 81010 | For 4A text @eb8h67 to 81010 |
| For 4B text @b6e6h7k to 81010 | |



You may also check for school closing information at NBC10.com/School closings, our Facebook page, and our website www.standrewsnurseryschool.com. Let us know if you have any questions.

For your information...



◆ **Absences:** When your child is going to be absent, kindly notify his/her Teacher or Teacher Aide by calling the **Absentee Line (610-666-0426)**, 10– 15 minutes prior to class time. During class, please call the school office (610-666-6153) with any questions or concerns.



◆ **Late Arrival Policy:** Anyone who enters the building, other than at the scheduled beginning and ending time for a session, must sign in at the school office. Thank you for your cooperation.



◆ **Clothing Identification:** Thank you for marking your child's removable clothing with his/her name. Please continue to mark clothing such as snowsuits, parkas, sweaters, gloves/mittens, hats and boots. If you do not have name labels, we suggest using masking tape marked with permanent ink.



◆ **St. Andrew's Church:** For those who have expressed an interest in attending church services at St. Andrew's, please note that you are welcome to visit at any time. On our Community Bulletin Board outside the School Office you will find a brochure listing information about Sunday Church and Sunday Church School times. If additional information is desired, call the Church Office (610-666-6577) and ask Lynette Becattini, Church Secretary.



Show support for our school...



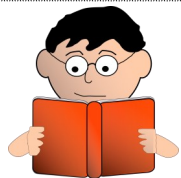
◆ **Printer Cartridge:** You may deposit printer cartridges in the recycling bin located in the School Foyer. They are taken to Staples for their reward program, which gives us a discount on our office supplies. We welcome all cartridges from you, your family, your friends, and your workplace!



◆ **Plaza Flowers** – 417 Egypt Rd., Audubon, PA – 610-630-8825. Join Plaza's Rewards Program and donate your points to St. Andrew's for cash. Visit www.pflorist.com/rewards for more details.



◆ **School Store:** Wear Amos with pride while supporting our school! Check our website at www.standrewsnurserieschool.com for prices on items such as t-shirts, sweatshirts, water bottles, tote bags, and magnets. More information available in the school office.



Reading Corner:

Check these books out!

- *Horses* by Gail Gibbons
- *When Sophie Gets Angry* by Molly Bang
- *Rap a Tap Tap* by Leo And Diane Dillon
- *Snowy Day* by Ezra Jack Keats
- *Llama, Llama I Love You!* by Ann Dewdney

COMING SOON : Handbag Bingo

12	25	41	51	63
3	30	37	54	66
7	21	FREE	56	74
1	26	35	50	69
10	17	45	47	64

WHAT: Handbag Bingo featuring Vera Bradley Items

WHERE: St. Andrew's Hall

WHEN: Friday , March 14, 2025

Doors open at 6:30 PM. Bingo start at 7:00 PM

Price: \$35 admission for 18 games

Safety Concerns...



◆ Sneakers or regular rubber-soled tie shoes are the safest for children to wear when playing, both in the classroom and on the playground. Please, no **flip-flops** or "**Crocks.**" We would appreciate your understanding and cooperation.



◆ Please turn your cell phone **ON** immediately after you drop your child off at school. There may come a time when we need to contact you when you are not home. Thank you !



◆ Please supervise your children outside before and after class, in the parking lot and also in the grass. With the windows sometimes open there is a serious threat of injury to children running near them.

◆ Please do not leave your child alone in a car, even for a few minutes. If you cannot take your baby or toddler out of the car in order to come in at dismissal time, then perhaps another parent would be kind enough to bring your preschooler out to you. Just let us know in the office if that is the case. Let's do all we can to keep EVERY child safe.

February 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Winter/Spring Fundraiser begins	4	5 Pajama Day—	6 3A, 3B & Pre 3	7 4B— Family Fun Night	8
9	10	11	12 Valentine Parties	13	14 Presidents' Day Weekend - School Closed	15
16	17 Presidents' Day Weekend - School Closed	18 Winter/Spring Fundraiser ends	19 LP Police Dept. Program	20	21	22 Saturday School 3A— 9: 00-10:30 3B— 10:45-12:15
23	24 Teachers Meeting # 4 Pastor & Mrs. K visit	25	26	27	28	