## TEDDY BEAR CORNER NURSERY/PRESCHOOL P.O. BOX 173, ADAMS, NEW YORK 13605 771-7956 teddybearcorner.net JANUARY 16-18, 2024

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Winter weather has found our area and now does not want to leave!! This week's weather forecast does not sound very good at all!

The Bears loved their Picnic in the Snow last week. They had a big table cloth on the floor. sandwiches, chips. pickles and ice cream for desert. After we cleaned up I remembered our Special Event and we had a snowball fight with 200 cotton balls! They loved that and collected as many as they could to take home for another snowball fight there!

Book orders for January are in lockers this week. Any orders are due by the 25<sup>th</sup>.

This week our theme is ANIMALS and we will have our annual Animal Parade. Children may bring a favorite stuffed animal to visit. Each child will talk to the class about their animal. What they like to eat, where they sleep, and if they are afraid of any predators. We will have a parade around the rooms and see if the animals can sit the student's heads, on shoulders, stomach, knees, feet, back, butt and one arm on right and one on the left. Prizes will be awarded for the best animal!

TUESDAY the Bears will begin with the smiling snow

pals. We will work on our projects from last Thursday when school was cancelled. Our number is "2" to trace with two cows to trace too. WE will make a SPINE necktie, finish our polar plunge and color I Have A Dream for Martin Luther King Day. Everyone will color two items with Jack and Jill. We will make a Happy Sad Mouse. Everyone will join us for our Animal Parade.

THURSDAY the Bears will begin by tracing the Bears Balloons. Their number is "3". Our number story is The Three Little Pigs. Our topic Science is our MOUTH! We will make MOUTHS to bring home. will Evervone cut snowflakes. They are getting very good at snipping with their scissors. We will also make a book about Where is Little Seal. We are learning about above, below, beside, under, over, etc.

If school is cancelled when we have a Special Event scheduled, we will add that Event to the end of our list.

JANUARY 23<sup>rd</sup> our Special Event is a SLUMBER PARTY. The children may wear their pajamas and bring a blanket or a sleeping bag. We will talk about nighttime, why we have to go to sleep, who works all night, and who has to sleep all day.

JANUARY 25<sup>th</sup> is SHOW AND TELL FOR JANUARY!

JANUARY 30<sup>th</sup> our SPECIAL EVENT is making a Ground Hog as we learn about this critter. Where does he stay all winter, what does he eat, why do we wake him up!

On FEBRUARY 6 our Special the Event will GINGERBREAD MAN! WE will read his story and act out his adventure. Then everyone will mix the gingerbread batter and pour it into our big gingerbread pan. I will take the pan to the neighbor's house to put it in her over. Hopefully this year he will not escape and run away-but you never know what will happen at Teddy Bear Corner.

FEBRUARY 13<sup>th</sup> our SPECIAL EVENT is VALENTINES PARTY. I will send Class Lists home

Thank you all so much for your support.