

MISSION STATEMENT

As a community-based education program, Discovery Gardens pledges to provide a safe, diverse, enthusiastic and inclusive learning environment, where the number one focus is meeting the individual needs of each child, while providing support for our families.



Our Family Garden: Discover the News!

December 2020



Tips for You!

Dear DISCOVERY GARDENS families

- Masks help prevent you from getting or spreading the virus.
- You could spread COVID-19 to others even if you do not feel sick.
- Everyone should wear a [mask](#) in public settings and when around people who don't live in your household, especially when other [social distancing](#) measures are difficult to maintain.
 - Masks should not be placed on young children under age 2, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.
- Do NOT use a mask meant for a healthcare worker. Currently, surgical masks and N95 respirators are critical supplies that should be reserved for healthcare workers and other first responders.
- Continue to keep about 6 feet between yourself and others. The mask is not a substitute for social distancing.

Quick Reminders

- **PARENTS make sure your child brings their mask to school daily!**
- **Parents Your child's mask must be taken home every night.**
- Please remember that cooler weather is upon us and your child(ren) will need to dress appropriately.
- Friend us on Facebook so that we can get you added to the "Parents of Discovery Gardens" page where you can see daily pictures and updates on what your child is doing!
- Please make sure you child(ren) have an extra change of clothing in their cubbies, accidents do happen!



Celebrate the Date!

December

Happy Birthday to:
Carla Dec 5th
Martha Dec 19th
Ta'Jana Dec 22nd
Happy Anniversary to:
Mickey 1yr
Niki 3yrs

January

Happy Birthday to:
Ashley Jan 3rd
Happy Anniversary to:
Martha 3yrs

Save the Date!

Closures:

Training / Holidays:
Dec 18th Cleaning Day
Dec 24th
Dec 25th
Dec 31st Center closes
@1:00pm

Discovery Gardens Bonanza



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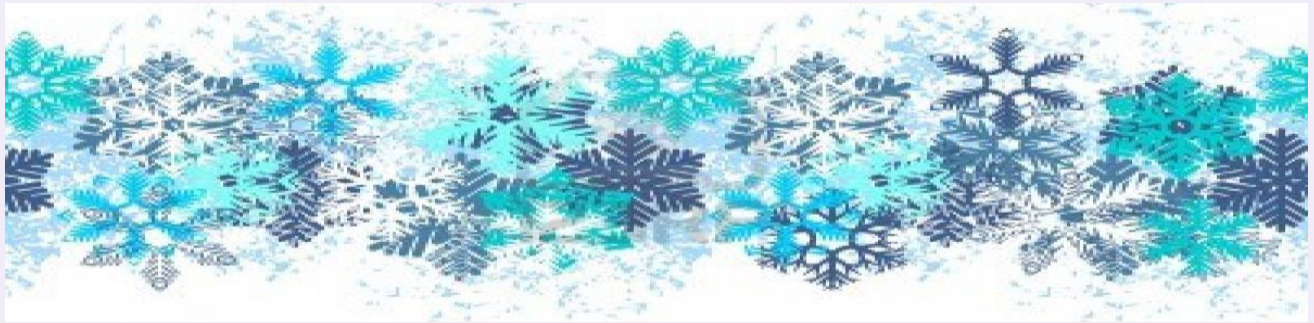
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