

## *Child Care Plus Learning Center* *Infant & Toddler*



### **Infant Corner**



Spring has sprung and the weather is changing giving us an opportunity to get outdoors and enjoy fresh air!

The children have been keeping busy – Ravenna and Sophia have started to take a few steps and are gaining more confidence in becoming walkers! Sophia and Lucas will both celebrate their first birthday in April – Happy Birthday to you!

We welcomed two new friends in March to the infant room – Welcome Braxton and Rhys! Always something new to report with the little ones! Happy Spring!

### **Spring Fundraiser!**

Thank you to everyone that participated in the butter breads/cookie fundraiser. Our top was Samuel Warren in the Toddler classroom. Congratulations Sammy!

### **Summer/Fall Forms**

Summer/Fall forms have been passed out. Your child's form is due April 13<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions or concerns, please see Stefanie.



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## **Outer Space**

We begin the month of April by learning about Outer Space. We'll discuss the planets, the moon, and stars. We'll challenge our fine motor skills with star shaped lacing, practice counting forward and backward to ten as we pretend to "blast off" and have make believe fun pretending to be astronauts traveling to outer space.



## **Insects**

The second week of April we will be learning about insects. Where they live, what they eat, and why they are important. We will read many bug themed stories during circle time, count and sort plastic bugs, and hide and find some while playing in the sand table as well.



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### **Life Cycles**

We'll move into a week-long theme entitled, Life Cycles. The children will learn about caterpillars transforming into beautiful butterflies, and tadpoles growing into frogs. The children will even have the opportunity to observe some caterpillars this month in the preschool room.



### **Spring Has Sprung**

We finish the month of April with a theme entitled, "Spring has sprung!" We'll discuss new life Spring brings from the animals and insects that make their way to the world, to the plants, flowers, and gardens that begin to bloom! Craft time will find us creating colorful flower gardens and we'll learn a few Spring themed songs to sing including "Spring is here!"

