

# CROSSROADS COURIER Week in Review

CrossRoads  
Child Development Center

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## The Garden Room-Pre K

**Reading-** This week we reviewed our sight words, "want" and "new". We worked on tracing and writing letters this week too!

**Language Arts-** We continued journal writing this week! After our story each day, our teachers asked us a question about the story and we answered the question in our journal by drawing a picture and sharing our thoughts!

**Math-** This week we continued working on learning how to tell time! We focused on  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour and can identify  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour too!

**Social Studies-** This week we talked about picnic fun! We had fun picnic activities every day this week. We had so much fun with our picnic lunch outside with our class too!

**Science-** For our Earth Science unit this week, we learned about sand. We identified different types of sand, uses of sand, and played with sand too!

**Spanish-** We are completed our learning of family words in Spanish this month!

*Special Note: As we are nearing Summer, homework will be ending! Enjoy the "homework break" until the end of August!*

Love, Ms. Figliozzi-Webb (Stacy) & Ms. Baker (Kelly)

## Next Week at CrossRoads

### CURRICULUM Week of June 1-4

**Reading-** Blending & Reading

**Language Arts-** Sight Words/ you & and

**Math-** Thermometer/ Celsius & Fahrenheit

**Science-** Insects/ Different Types

**Social Studies-** Where I Live/  
United States & Maryland

**Spanish-** Clothing

Monday 31

SCHOOL CLOSED- HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY!

Tuesday 1  
SCIENCE LAB

Wednesday 2

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS

Thursday 3  
MUSIC CLASS  
SPANISH CLASS

Friday 4  
MUSIC CLASS  
CHAPEL

## The Angel Room-Preschool

**Reading-** We reviewed the sight words, "want" and "new". We practiced these words using flashcards and playing a different game each day during Circle Time! We also used flash cards to review these words too.

**Language Arts-** We reviewed letters this week through tracing, writing and identifying things that begin and end with our letters. We reviewed Aa, Ee, and Ii. We also had fun art activities for each letter!

**Math-** We continued learning about telling time this week. We focused on  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour and can identify  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour on a clock too!

**Science-** This week we focused on our Earth Science study of sand. We identified different types of sand and enjoyed playing with sand at our sensory table too!

**Social Studies-** We discussed everything about picnics this week! We even had an "ice cream picnic" too!

**Spanish-** We completed our learning of family words in Spanish this month!

## The Ark Room-Preschool Prep

**Reading/Language Arts-** This week we reviewed the letters, Aa, Bb, and Cc. We also named other things that start with these letters. Each day we read a book for each letter too!

**Math-** This week we reviewed shapes, and counted to 9. We also practiced cutting. We cut lines, cut play-doh, colored the number 9, and cut a square too!

**Science-** We continued our Earth Science Unit by studying sand this week! We identified sand, felt sand, painted a sand picture, and played a hide-n-seek game with sand too!

**Social Studies-** We talked about picnic fun this week! We made a place setting, played picnic dress up, made a picnic scene, a picnic basket, and a watermelon too!

**Spanish-** We completed our learning of family words in Spanish this month!

Love, Ms. Brittany & Ms. Jeannie

### Be sure to visit Davidsonville United Methodist Church!

Visit the Church's website at: [www.dumc.net](http://www.dumc.net) You may also visit the Church's Lamplighter publication at: <http://www.dumc.net/lamplighter.htm>

If you would like more information about Davidsonville United Methodist Church, please see Ms. Salas!

Sunday Services are at 8:30am (Fellowship Hall OR Outside- weather permitting) and 11:00am (Church)...NURSERY CARE AND SUNDAY SCHOOL IS AVAILABLE!

## Enrichment Classes

### Art Class

We discussed our Social Studies topic this week- picnics! We made our own picnic placemats too! We learned what "weaving" means and used this process to make our beautiful placemats!

Love, Ms. Figliozzi-Webb

### Christian Music Class

We will have Music Class next week!

Love, Mr. Kyle

### Chapel

Pastor Jim brought a wooden train to show us! He talked to us about how an artisan crafted the train and can make new things. Just like an artisan, we can create things too!

Love, Pastor Jim

### Science Lab

This week in Science Lab we discovered something we never knew before! We each had a cup of ice and water, using a string we tried to "fish" for the ice. Since the string wouldn't pick up the ice we took the string and ice out of the water and added salt to the ice. After adding salt, the string stuck to the ice!

Love, Ms. Nicole

### American Sign Language Class

We discussed our Social Studies topic of picnics and learned how to sign items we would have at a picnic! We reviewed signing our colors by playing "Red Light, Green Light". We also reviewed signing animals by playing "Monkey See, Monkey Do!"

Love, Ms. Brittany

### Music Class

We learned three new songs this week! The first two songs tied together our Earth Science topic of sand. The second song tied together our Social Studies topic of picnics! We emailed these songs to you too!

Love, Ms. Jeannie

### Spanish Class

This week in Spanish Class we learned more family words and also learned words in Spanish for our picnic topic in Social Studies this week!

Love, Ms. Hicks

### Physical Education

We had fun outside furthering our discussion on picnic fun! We pretended to have our own picnics outside with our friends!

Love, Ms. Baker

### Welcome Back, Mr. Andrew!

We would like to welcome back Mr. Andrew! Mr. Andrew recently completed his sophomore year at Clemson and will be working with us at CrossRoads a few days a week until Summer! Mr. Andrew will be working full time with our school agers when Summer Adventure begins!



### Happy Memorial Day!

CrossRoads will be CLOSED this Monday, May 31 in observance of Memorial Day. We wish all our families a safe and Happy Memorial Day!



### Summer Adventure

Be sure to check out our Summer Adventure Event Schedule, Field Trip Schedule and Water Play Schedule! We are looking forward to a fun and busy Summer!



Davidsonville United Methodist Church  
**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**  
May 29, 2010 11 - 2:00 P.M.  
RAIN OR SHINE

*We would love to have all our CrossRoads families join us!  
CrossRoads teachers will be here too!*

Available for purchase will be strawberry pies, strawberry cheesecake pies, baked goods, strawberry smoothies, strawberry shortcake, and strawberries with ice cream!

The United Methodist Men will serve hot dogs, hamburgers, sausages, boardwalk fries and drinks!

The "Tongues of Fire" BBQ Ministry Team will be selling pulled pork, beef brisket, pulled chicken and pit-cooked chicken. Real lemonade, sweet tea and regular tea will be available too! *Sandwiches & platters are available.*

There will be games for younger children with assorted prizes!

Proceeds will benefit the Church's missions ministries.

*We hope to see you here!!*

