



Morningstar Learning Center Newsletter

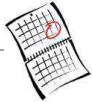
January 19, 2018

Important Dates

Jan. 31	February Billing Processed
Feb. 1	Infant Building Ribbon Cutting
Feb. 15	Spring Quarter Enrollment DUE

Mark your Calendar!

MLC is partnering with Family Outreach of Bozeman to provide free **Developmental Screenings** on Monday, March 5, 2018. More information will be available in the upcoming newsletters.



Director's Desk



Stephanie's Office Hours:
Tuesday-Wednesday & Friday
8:30am-10am

Lori's Office Hours: Monday & Thursday 8:30am-10am

We have had lots of viruses going around MLC.

We care about the health and well-being of our students and staff. Please review MLC's Parent Handbook on symptoms and illness policies and as we work to keep MLC as healthy as can be. Students need to be symptom free for 24 hours with no medication.



Quarterly Enrollment Due

Please remember to have your Spring Quarterly Enrollment turned in by February 15, 2018. Spring Quarterly Enrollment includes all the dates you would like to enroll your child for March, April and May.

Please be advised that our classrooms are at maximum capacity. **Enrollment is entered on a first-come first-served basis.** If your enrollment is not in by February 15, we cannot guarantee you will get your requested dates.

If you are interested in applying for the MLC Scholarship, please have your applications turned in to Elex McAlear at First Security Bank by February 15, as well.

YOU ARE INVITED!

WHAT: Infant Building Ribbon Cutting hosted in conjunction with the Big Sky Chamber of Commerce

WHEN: Thursday, February 1, 2018.
5:30pm-7:00pm

WHERE: 659 Spruce Cone Drive

Join us as we celebrate the grand opening of our new Infant Facility! Light appetizers and sparkling cider will be served.

Toddler Room Expansion

Since we have split the toddler classroom into two groups, we are in need of more toys, stuffed animals, puzzles, books, dress up clothes, and furniture. If you have anything you are getting rid of, we would appreciate your donations!



January

Migrating birds vs. non-migrating birds

Fly, Fly...The **Infants class** will be learning about Montana birds. The children will be doing art projects about birds. Not only will they be doing art, but a science project!

The **Toddler class** will be learning all about migratory birds verses non-migratory birds this week. They will learn what it means to migrate and why birds migrate. They will be making special treats for the birds.

Color: Red
Letter: N
Number: 5

The **Preschool Class** this week will be learning why and how birds migrate. We will discuss the difference between hibernation and migration. We will ask the question, 'Do birds have compasses in their beaks'? In science, we will classify animals that migrate, hibernate and adapt.

Color: Orange
Letter: B
Number: 16
Shape: Triangle

During the month of January, the **Spanish Class** will learn the colors. Click on the links below to access two songs Ms. Karla will be teaching the class to help them learn their colors:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zpLQSDu4V94>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LtGznmrQRPw>

This month the **Dance Class** will continue to focus on **ballet**. Moving past first and second position we will learn about big leaps, and more intricate steps such as tendus and passés. Click below to access a link to a video demonstrating a jete (big leap).

<https://youtu.be/vD1ReeG-cBM>

