

“The holiday season is a perfect time to reflect on our blessings and seek ways to make life better for those around us.”

-TERRY MARSHALL



“BECAUSE THE BEST GIFT IN LIFE, IS JUST HAVING SOMEONE TO DRINK HOT CHOCOLATE WITH.”

-Tessa Shaffer



“KINDNESS IS LIKE SNOW. IT BEAUTIFIES EVERYTHING IT COVERS.”

-Kahlil Gibran



NEWSLETTER



Service Project

The children at MLEDP Kindergarten Care decided to do “Birthday in a Bag” for their service project this year. With all of your wonderful donations of cake mixes, tubs of frosting, candles, balloons, disposable tins, and birthday bags.....we are able to put together so many Birthday bags for “Beverly’s Birthdays”! When someone goes to this organization and they have a birthday coming up for someone in their

Always show
KINDNESS

Be the KIND KID!

family, they can request one of the “Birthday in a Bags” to ensure a cake for their loved ones! Someone is coming to pick up the boxes and talk to the children about the organization sometime in December. Thanks again for all of your amazing donations for such a great cause. We will continue to take donations until December 5th! My heart is so happy!

December Themes

12/5 Kevin Hankis (Author Study)

12/12 All Around The World

12/19 Animals in the Winter

12/26-12/30 [Closed](#) for Winter Break



Center Closed Days

December 23- December 30

Please make other arrangements for your children during this time! We wish you and your families a very nice Holiday Break!

December Birthdays

12/2 Eleanor S

12/7 Mrs. Mandy



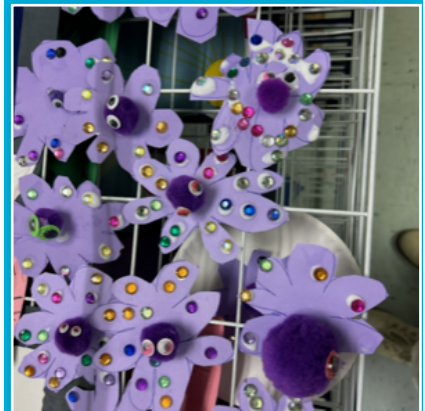
Reminders

Please remember to send your child to school with weather appropriate clothes on. He/She will also need a coat, hat, gloves, and boots, for we go outside with all

Science with Mrs. Elaine



Purple Octopus from Purple Long Day



Hot Air Balloons

“Oh the Places You’ll Go!”



We wish each and everyone of you a very Happy Holiday and a Joyous New Year!

weather over 15 degree. **If you have not signed a “Snow Play” permission slip, please see a teacher to fill one out! All children need one on file to be able to go outside in the snow!**



Worry Monsters

What is it.....I am a stuffed monster that the children can ask for when they have a worry about something. They then take the “Worry Monster” to a quiet space in the room and feed it all of their worries. When they are done they return it for a hug. These work wonderful in the classroom.

Many of you have asked who teachers when at MLEDP KC, so here is the list of teachers!

AM Teachers: Mrs Elaine (M-Th) Mrs Corie (F only)

Mrs Mandy

Mrs Jennifer

Mrs Heather (Center Director)

PM Teachers: Mrs Georgia

Mrs Mallory

Mrs Heather (Center Director)



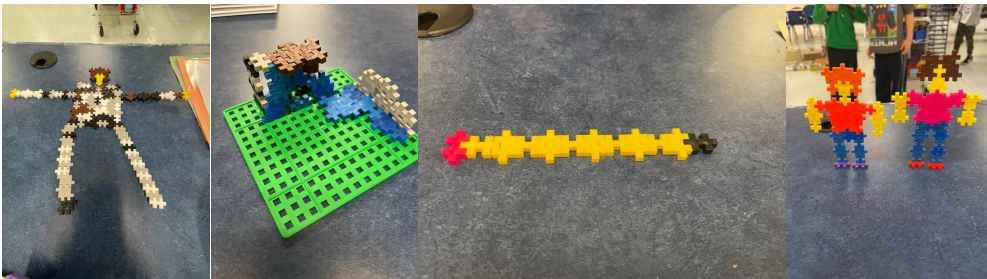
Charlotte's Spider Web

One of my all time favorite projects that I do every year is the Eric Carle Collages. The children always “blows my mind out of the water” with their creativity and artistic ability! Here is some of their work:

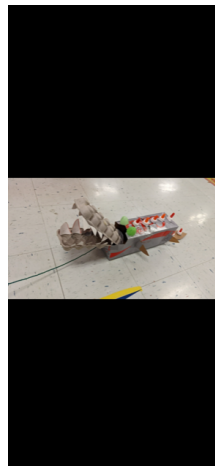


This
was the paper that was made
for the children to do this project!

We have these cool blocks in the classroom called plus
plus blocks! Look at some of the amazing creations the
children have
been making!



Just a few original creations from Makers Space...



Over the Break Family Activities

With a long winter break approaching and kiddos being stuck indoors with “nothing” to do lol, I thought I would provide you with some fun, family options of activities around the areas. I have done most of these with my children over the years and continue to enjoy making as many memories together as we can.

1. Ogelbay Festival of Lights Sounds of the Season

November 4- January 9

Dusk till Dawn

\$25.00 donation per car load suggested

465 Lodge Drive, Wheeling, WV 26003

2. The Nutcracker Village

November-January

180 life-sized nutcrackers

Advent Market Open F and S 3-8 and Sun 12-8

Ft. Stuben Park, 120 S 3rd Street, Steubenville, Ohio, 43952

3. Polar Express Hayrides

November 26- January 2

Pick up is at Smitty's Floors every 30 mins. 6-8 Fri/Sat/Sun

140 S 4th Street, Steubenville, Ohio 43952

*****They also have the Children's Corner, which includes face painting, x-mas crafts, photos with Santa, games, food, etc

4. **Shadrack's Christmas Wonderland Light Show**

6-10 pm nightly until January

1127 New Castle Road, Prospect, Pa 16052

With the hustle and bustle of the holiday seasons and a New Year approaching us quick..... I hope we all can take the time before the New Year to just sit back and enjoy the little things life has to offer each and every one of us!

Happy Holiday!

Mrs Heather

