



**APRIL BIRTHDAYS:**

1st -- Skylar G.  
 6th -- Avery T.  
 8th -- Ryan A.  
 10th -- Ava D.  
 12th -- Joey R.  
 19th -- Abigail S.  
 22nd -- Aubrey H.  
 27th -- Alexis G.  
 27th -- Armond H.



## Find Us On Facebook

April is seeing me writing this newsletter from my home office, apart from our teachers and our children! Our lives have drastically changed over the last few weeks due to COVID-19, and I hope that you have found a groove that is working for you and your children!

As we try to find some normalcy in our new reality, Kid Country launched our Kid Country Childcare Families page on Facebook. This is a fun way for us to stay in touch, share ideas, and pictures of how you are spending your time with the children. It will help our Kid Country teachers as well to see the children's faces again!

You can join us by searching Kid Country Childcare Families and asking to join the group. We can't wait to see what you have been up to! Be sure to check out our "miss you video" that is posted on this page!

While this may not be our full newsletter that you are used to, I felt it was important that I still put something together! I've included the April menu as well, as I'm holding out hope that we will still see you in April!

One thing that we do every April is our Week of the Young Child celebration! The WOYC is a celebration hosted by NAEYC to spotlight early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and communities. We want this to go on, even if we aren't physically together at Kid Country. So this year, if we are not open,

we want you to follow along with our daily themes and post pictures to our Facebook page.

Join us April 13 thru 17 for a week of fun-filled, themed days to celebrate our youngest learners! We will be having a "Most Comfy Monday" with pajama day and the children reading their favorite books. "Toodles' Tuesday" will bring an all-time favorite, Disney Day! Dress up as your favorite Disney character. Sports and workout attire is needed for "Work for it Wednesday", and we suggest you set up an obstacle course for the kiddos!

"That's the Spirit Thursday" will have the children showing their Kid Country spirit by dressing from head to toe in their room color! "Fabulously Wacky Friday" will have everyone wearing the wackiest outfits! Please join us in getting into the spirit of celebrating our young learners all week! Have fun with these themes and get creative! We can't wait to see what you do and there may be some surprises from our teachers during the week as well!!

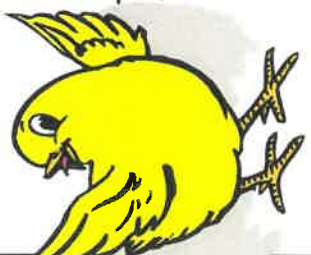

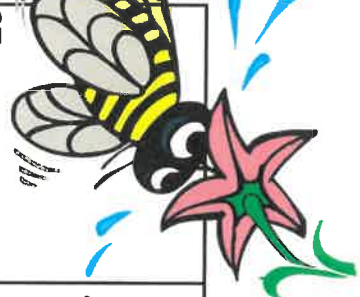
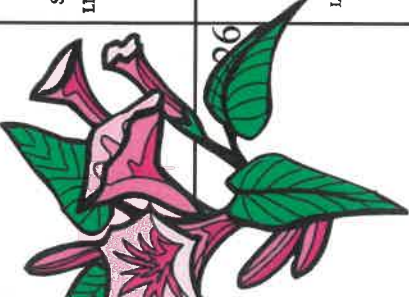
Please know that I pray for each of you to remain healthy during this time. Please be sure to social distance and stay at home as much as possible, so that we can be together again soon at Kid Country! See you soon!

*Danna*

# April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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**Substitutions for children under two:**  
 Chicken strips or cheese pizza instead of hot dog, cooked carrots instead of corn or raw carrots, sliced grapes -- not whole, puffs rather than popcorn

<p>5</p>  <p>BR: Cereal, bananas, milk            SN: Graham crackers, grapes            LN: Pulled pork w/bun, green beans, mixed fruit, milk            SN: Muffin, milk</p>	<p>6</p> <p>BR: Oatmeal, applesauce, milk            SN: Cheeze Its, pineapple            LN: Turkey burger w/bun, peas, carrots, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese slices</p>	<p>7</p> <p>BR: Cereal, bananas, milk            SN: Orange slices, oyster crackers            LN: Ham, mashed potatoes, applesauce, milk            SN: Bagels, cream cheese, grapes</p>	<p>8</p> <p>BR: Cereal, apples, milk            SN: Fish crackers, applesauce            LN: Tacos w/meat, cheese, lettuce, carrots, milk            SN: Orange slices, animal crackers</p>	<p>9</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Goldfish, apples            LN: Macaroni &amp; cheese, peas, mixed fruit, milk            SN: Fig newtons, peaches</p> 	<p>10</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Goldfish, mandarin oranges            LN: Fish sticks, mixed fruit, carrots, milk            SN: Pretzels, cheese cubes</p>	<p>4</p>
<p>2</p> <p><b>WEEKS OF THE YOUNG CHILD</b></p> <p>BR: Cereal, bananas, milk            SN: Animal crackers, pineapple            LN: Taquitos, peaches, green beans, milk            SN: Blueberry muffins, peas</p>	<p>14</p> <p>BR: French toast, peas, milk            SN: Grapes, crackers            LN: Pancakes, sausage, cucumbers w/ranch dressing, peaches, milk            SN: Goldfish crackers, yogurt</p>	<p>15</p> <p>BR: Bisquits w/sausage gravy, peas, milk            SN: Cheese crackers, mandarin oranges            LN: Mostaccioli w/meat sauce, bread, carrots, peas, milk            SN: Popcorn, apples</p>	<p>16</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese slices            LN: Pizza, carrot sticks w/dip, peaches, milk            SN: Pretzels, cheese slices</p>	<p>18</p> <p>BR: Cereal, pears, milk            SN: Pretzels, cheese cubes            LN: Chicken patty w/bun, mixed fruit, green beans, milk            SN: Cheeze Its, apples</p>	<p>24</p> <p>BR: Pancakes, pears, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese            LN: Sloppy Joe w/bun, peaches, corn, milk            SN: Apples, crackers</p> 	<p>25</p>
<p>19</p>  <p>BR: Oatmeal, mixed fruit, milk            SN: Graham crackers, mixed fruit            LN: Chicken strips, corn, peas, milk            SN: Pudding, nilla wafers</p>	<p>20</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese slices            LN: Hot dog w/bun, cater tois, mandarin oranges, milk            SN: Chex mix, apples</p>	<p>21</p> <p>BR: Cereal, bananas, milk            SN: Goldfish, cream cheese, mixed fruit            LN: Hot dog w/bun, water tois, mandarin oranges, milk            SN: Chex mix, apples</p>	<p>22</p> <p>BR: Cereal, apples, milk            SN: Fig newtons, grapes            LN: Chicken &amp; bisquits w/gravy, pineapple, green beans, milk            SN: Goldfish crackers, orange slices</p>	<p>23</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese            LN: Chicken noodle casserole, green beans, pineapple, milk            SN: Graham crackers, pudding</p>	<p>29</p> <p>BR: Cereal, apples, milk            SN: Chex mix, peaches            LN: Cream of chicken &amp; rice soup, green beans, fruit cocktail, oyster crackers, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese slices</p>	<p>30</p> <p>BR: Cereal, peaches, milk            SN: Crackers, cheese            LN: Chicken noodle casserole, green beans, pineapple, milk            SN: Graham crackers, pudding</p>