

January/February 2025

Miss Beth's Class

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Indoor Classroom

I can't believe it's already mid-February! This month the children have gotten used to spending our mornings indoors. They have been working hard to unzip their own coats and to take off/put on their hats and mittens. So many cold days offer ample opportunity to practice these skills! Popular works in the classroom this month include: opening/closing jars and containers, a nesting doll, washing and drying a baby doll, and bead threading.

It was fun to see everyone's Valentine's day boxes and the children really enjoyed distributing their gifts. I recently put out a work where the children can wash a pair of sunglasses and they are excited to wear them afterwards. It has been fun to see their personalities shine through a pair of sunglasses!



Outdoor Classroom

Our outdoor classroom got an update over the winter break- a new slide! It has been thoroughly loved by the kids when we are outside.

Circle Time

Gathering together at the end of the morning for some songs and a book is a part of our daily routine. This month's go-to songs were *Cup of Cocoa* by Emily Arrow and *I'm a Little Snowman* by The Kiboomers. Music with Miss Jennifer this

month included songs about penguins, snowmen, and hot chocolate. She brought in a *hammered dulcimer* for the kids to hear her play.

