



The Gaithersburg

# Judy Center Early Learning Hub

Summit Hall Elementary School



The Judy Center PAL families attended their first Field Trip of the year by travelling to Glen Echo Park's Puppet Company to watch the first performance of Sleeping Beauty. Families spent time in the park enjoying snack after the performance.



## Bring on Spring!

March does not only bring Spring, but a whole lot of fun at the Gaithersburg Judy Center!

The team is busy preparing for the end of the school year, PreK, Head Start and K registration as well as a new summer program focused on our Rising PreK children. We continue to update and improve the Judy Center Play Room with new materials, activities and procedures to provide a supportive and encouraging environment for our children and families.

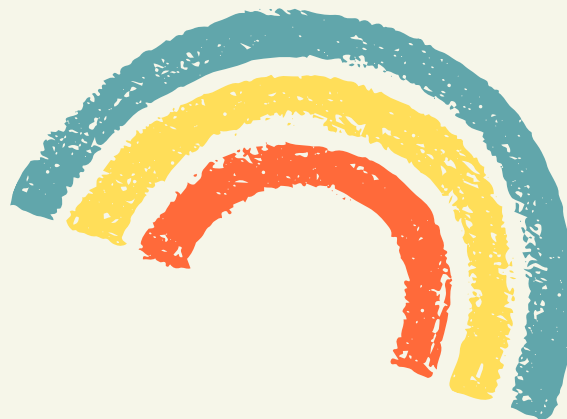
**Virtual Cooking Classes** with Ms. Pam are continuing with high attendance. Parents make healthy, low cost meals with ingredients provided by the Judy Center.

Virtual Cooking: March 19th | 10:00am

**My Gym** classes for Judy Center families are continuing each week on Fridays. Families spend 45 minutes engaging in structured play designed to increase gross motor skills & development.

March 5, 12, 19 & 26 |  
11:30am - 12:15pm  
My Gym at the Kentlands





**Play And Learn Classes** where children and families are introduced to early childhood environments with age appropriate activities, toys and games.

March 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 & 23  
9:30am - 11:00am

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**Sing & Swing Classes** with Natasha where families enhance their love of music, dance and storytelling.

March 6, 13, 20, & 27  
10:00am - 11:00am

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**Field Trips** for Kindergarten and PreK/Head Start are in the works. Kindergarten students will visit the National Zoo on April 18th as well as Glen Echo's Puppet Company for a performance of Jack & the Beanstalk. PreK and Head Start are planning a visit from the Zoo Mobile as well as a final Field Trip. The

## PreK Enrichment

PreK Students are clamoring for the opportunity to participate in after-school enrichment activities! Winter sessions for Tiny Chef, Soccer Shots and Abrakadoodle will conclude this month. The start of spring will bring about new sessions of Tiny Chefs, Soccer Shots and introduce Ballet provided by the Metropolitan Ballet Theater.

### Tiny Chef Cooking Classes:

March 6, 27 | 3:30pm | Judy Center

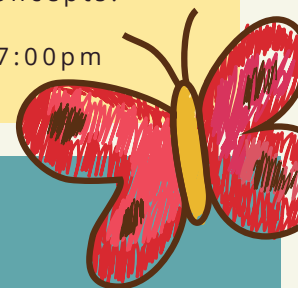
**Soccer Shots:** March 8, 22, 29 | 3:45pm  
Summit Hall ES Gym

**Abrakadoodle Art Classes:** March 7 & 14  
| 3:30pm Judy Center

**Ballet:** March 23 | 3:30pm Judy Center

**Math Learning Parties** with Maribel De La Cruz will conclude this month. Parents receive take home learning materials each week along with dinner and strategies to help their rising K students navigate math concepts.

March 7, 21 & 28 | 5:30-7:00pm  
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