

**Providing Education, Careers & Lifelong Community for Children and Adults with Special Needs**

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♥♥ Weekly Newsletter – Friday, February 1, 2019 ♥♥

### A Sneak Peek at Next Week

- Monday 2/4: Girl Scout Meeting @ 12:30 p.m.
- Tuesday 2/5: Subway Lunch
- Wednesday 2/6: Pizza Lunch, After-School Bowling
- Thursday 2/7: Subway Lunch
- Friday 2/8: Traveling Basketball Team Away Game, Alumni Group Evening Event – Karaoke Night

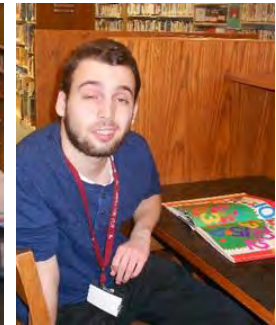
### Classroom Happenings, continued

**Rm 101:** Everyone enjoyed exploring the Allendale Library and reading books and magazines during a recent CBI trip.



### Classroom Happenings

**Rm 104:** Room 104 sends a great big thank you for contributing to their Valentine's Day drive for the troops! We collected 100 cards, which will arrive in Afghanistan in time for the holiday. Happy Valentine's Day to our ECLC family!!!



### Phys. Ed. Dept News

Good luck to our traveling basketball team, which is preparing for their final game on Friday, February 8th.



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## Yoga Poses for Crossing of Midline

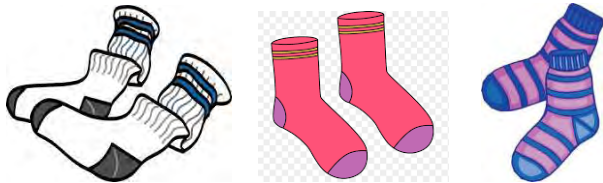
You can try these fun and beneficial yoga poses at home to work on crossing midline with the added benefit of a wonderful stretch. Make sure you are breathing, don't hold your breath!





Room 203 is collecting 100 pairs of socks as our 100th Day of School project. The 100 pairs will be donated to a local homeless shelter. We are asking for donations of socks until we reach the 100th day of school. We are collecting all types of **NEW** socks (men's/women's/kids').

**Thank you for your support!**



*So far, we have collected 87 pairs and have 13 to go!*



## Loose Change Collection for the Bergen County Horse Rescue

Ms. Johnson's class is collecting change for the Bergen County Horse Rescue. Please donate your spare change to help with the rescue and care of the horses.

There will be a container on the first floor hallway by the fish tank for anyone who would like to make a donation.

Thank you for helping Room 101 with this project.



Please support Room 102's collection of Doggy Bones for our 100 Days of School project. The 100 dog bones will be donated to the Wayne Animal Shelter. Please donate to help us reach our goal of 100 dog bones. Thank you for helping Room 102 with our project.



Room 201 is collecting 100 towels as our 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School project. The towels can be gently used. The 100 towels will be donated to a local animal shelter. These towels will give homeless dogs and cats some comfort and will be used as their bedding. We are asking for donations of towels until we reach our 100th day of school.

**Thank you for your support!**



## Save Box Tops for ECLC



Just a reminder that we are still collecting Box Tops at ECLC. Each BoxTop is worth 10 cents! Ask friends, neighbors and family members to save them for our school. Clip them and send them to school with your child. Room 101 trims, counts, and bundles them for our parent coordinator, Debbie Caradonna. She ships them off and we get a check in return that enables the school to purchase "extras" for your students.

### *Please Save Your Pop Tabs!*

*Ms. Johnson's class is collecting pop tabs to help raise money for Ronald McDonald houses worldwide.. A Ronald McDonald House is a "home-away-from-home" for families so they can stay close by their hospitalized child at little or no cost. Thank you for your help!*



## To all who supported our Girl Scout cookie sale -



Please support Room 204's collection of **NEW** or **GENTLY USED** childrens' books for hospitalized children. Room 204 is collecting the books for their "100 Good Deeds for the 100<sup>th</sup> day of School" Project. Their goal is to collect and donate at least 100 books.

Thank You!!!

## Tricky Tray

10<sup>th</sup> Annual Fundraiser Tricky Tray

**DONATIONS NEEDED!!!!!!**

April 3<sup>rd</sup> will be here before we know it. Please save the date for ECLC Ho-Ho-Kus's 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Auction and Dinner held at The Florentine Gardens, River Vale, NJ

Invitations will be mailed soon! Please join us for a fun- filled evening and the opportunity to support programs in which your child participates.

**Needed: Donated Items!!!**

If there are new unopened holiday gifts that you want to donate, we will gladly accept them.

# **BAGEL LUNCH**

**Friday, February 8, 2019**

**\$ 3.00 (cash)**

**All proceeds go toward the  
Semi-Formal Dance.**



**Circle choice of:**

**BAGEL**

**Plain**

**Everything**

**Cinnamon Raisin**

**WITH**

**Cream Cheese**

**Butter**

**Plain**

**Return this form & money (\$3.00)  
to Ms. Johnson in Room 101 by  
Thursday, February 7, 2019.**

**Name \_\_\_\_\_**

**Class# or Location \_\_\_\_\_**



# Buddy-Up Club

Your child will Buddy Up with local high school students and have fun making crafts, dancing and playing games. A snack will be provided. (ECLC chaperones will also be present during this activity.)

**WHO:** Buddy-Up Club is offered to all students ages 5 - 12 on a first come, first served basis.

**WHERE:** ECLC.

**WHEN:** **Mondays** 3:00- 4:30 PM.

- This session's dates: March 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup>.

Students must sign up by Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- All students must be signed out by an approved parent or guardian from any after-school activity.
- Please be prompt when picking up your child. If you are late for pick-up, ECLC reserves the right to exclude the student from future activities.
- If your child needs afternoon medication, please make arrangements by calling one of our nurses, Mrs. Horgan or Mrs. Frey, who will be on duty in the building until 3:30pm. Students are not permitted to self-administer medication.
- ECLC chaperones will be present. After school phone (201) 240-5370.
- If your child has any special considerations, please let us know so we can do our best to make accommodations.

Please fill out the attached form and return by sign-up deadline. If you have any questions, please email Jeff Gretz at [JGretz@eclcofnj.org](mailto:JGretz@eclcofnj.org).

**Note:** This activity counts as an in-house activity for the purpose of qualifying for bowling.

Permission Slip - Buddy-Up Club

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I give my son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ Room # \_\_\_\_\_

permission to attend the Buddy-Up Club after school activity. I have enclosed a check made out to "ECLC Foundation" in the amount of \$30.00

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Please indicate any person's name that may pick up your child other than yourself:

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An emergency number where you can be reached at ANY time:

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Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# SKIL SUBWAY LUNCH

For Tuesday, February 5, 2019

Please circle your choice.

 Veggie

 Ham

 Tuna

 Turkey

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Room #: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Lunch orders must be received by SKIL in the AM on Monday of the lunch week.

**ALL LUNCHES \$4.00**

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For Thursday, February 7, 2019

Please circle your choice.

 Veggie

 Ham

 Tuna

 Turkey

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Room#: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Lunch orders must be received by SKIL in the AM on Wednesday of the lunch week.

**SKIL SUBWAY LUNCH**



**ALL LUNCHEES \$4.00**