



## PURPLE ROOM NEWSLETTER

January 1, 2011

Dear **Purple Room** Parents,

Happy New Year!

Welcome back. We are so excited for this New Year and all the great things we have planned.

Take a look at the fun we had in December, what we have planned for January and a sneak peek at February.

### BLAST FROM THE PAST DECEMBER

December was a great month. We enjoyed learning about different Holidays and making different crafts representing the holidays. We also enjoyed being with our friends and then spending quality time with our family.

A big thank you to Mrs. Mussman for our Hanukah lesson and to all the parents that participated and helped at our Holiday party.



### JANUARY ACADEMICS

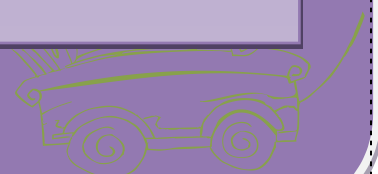
In phonics we will continue our lessons with the letter Q, R, S, T. The letter bags for these letters are due

- Q - Jan.-7-2011
- R - Jan.-14-2011
- S - Jan.-21-2011
- T - Jan.-28-2011

We will also begin our handwriting books this month. If an activity is not completed in class it will be sent home as homework. Please check backpacks daily and remember to initial the weekly behavior chart daily and return it.

In math we will begin tracing number 2 & 3 and will continue reviewing number 0-10. We will be learning new shapes (cube & pentagon) and doing several activities to enforce memorization. We will begin teaching the children about money, the difference between a penny, nickel, dime and quarter and more on patterns and matching.

In Spanish this month we will review las letras N, C, F. We will do crafts such as "La Arana", "El Coche", "La Camara", "La Feria", y "Las Flores". We will use repetition to enforce memorization.



## FEBRUARY SNEAK PEEK



We are looking forward to all the lovely Valentines activities and crafts that we have planned. So look for them.

Sincerely

*Purple Room Teachers*



Look at the fun we had in  
December!

