



# January 2025 News Farm Room- 3 Day 3's Ms. Cheryl & Ms. Tara



Happy New Year!! Thank you to all the December Leaders of the Day! January will be the month to explore winter and shapes. We'll begin by celebrating the New Year and then jump right into shapes.

Winter has certainly arrived and we would like to remind you of our inclement weather policy. When faced with potentially dangerous weather conditions, Preschool will follow the Fort Mill School District's decision on closings. These decisions are made and posted by 6:00a.m. FMSD has information on the website at [www.fortmillschools.org](http://www.fortmillschools.org) where closings and delays will be posted. Information about closings is also relayed to the primary radio and television stations in Rock Hill and Charlotte. Please note that Fort Mill is located in the York County School District 4. (We have several friends who live in the Indian Land community and they are listed under the Lancaster County School District so be sure to check the Fort Mill School schedules). We will also post closures through our GroupMe app.

If FMSD is delayed for any amount of time, preschool will be CLOSED for the day. Should inclement weather occur after preschool begins, we encourage parents to pick up their child as soon as possible.

## January Dates to Remember

Wednesday, January 1st – February Tuition is Due

Monday, January 6th – Back to Preschool!!

Playball Days – Mondays – 6th, 13th, 27th

FUNDamental Days – Wednesdays – 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th

Monday, January 20th - **Preschool Closed** – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Wednesday, January 27th – The Lunch Crew – Bring your lunch and stay until 2:00pm. TLC is an additional \$10.00 and the children stay, eat, and play with their classmates! Children not participating in TLC will be picked up at the normal dismissal time. Participants must sign up for TLC at the front of the Complex or [online](#).



Friday, January 24th – **Registration for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year will begin for current students and siblings.** Location: FM Complex in the Conference Room Time: 9:00am

Wednesday, January 29th – Registration for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year will open to the public. Location: FM Complex in the Community Room Time: 9:00am

Our class will begin “swimming” on Wednesday, February 12th.

Every Wednesday in February, March, April, and May the children will swim.

- Swim suits should be worn under clothing each water play day. It is very important to label all items of clothing and towels for easy identification. Leaving it up to children to identify clothing may not be a reliable source, please label all items.
- Swim bags should be large enough to hold the child’s towel, clothes and shoes. Clothes should be easy on/easy off as children will be encouraged to dress themselves with as little assistance as possible from the teachers, thus nurturing independence.
- Velcro or slip on shoes should be worn on water play days. A bath size towel (beach towels are too big and bulky) is just right for small hands to manipulate after water play.
- The water in our pool (the 2 to 3 foot pool) is heated and the air temperature is approximately 80 degrees.
- American Red Cross trained life guards are on duty during our swim time. Safety is our number one concern!

Summer Camp Registration will begin in January. Our Little Hoots Preschool Camp is for children ages 3-5 years old. Our hours of camp will be Monday-Friday, 9:00am-12:30pm. See dates for registration below!



## **SAVE THE DATE**

### **SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION**

**JANUARY 8, 2025**

Open to current participants of childcare programming  
(Afterschool and Preschool)

**JANUARY 15, 2025**

Open to current YMCAUP Members

**JANUARY 22, 2025**

Open to the public (non YMCAUP members)



# Little Hoots



Preschool at The Complex  
Helping Children Grow Since 1983  
Fort Mill, SC

## Summer Camp at Preschool at The Complex

### Little Hoots, Ages 3-5, 9am-12:30pm

Little Hoots Camp is for ages 3 years (completely potty trained) to 5 years old. Each week your camper will discover new activities, enjoy pool time, gain independence and make lasting memories. All Little Hoot Camp sessions are from 9:00am-12:30pm. Your little camper will need a nut free snack each day.

**Member Rate: \$180.00 per week / Non-Member Rate \$230.00 per week**

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June 2-6



### Super Heroes

Become a hero for the week as we explore the world of superheroes through exciting games, crafts, and teamwork-building activities.

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June 9-13



### See How We Grow

Explore nature and learn how plants grow with hands-on gardening, crafts, and outdoor fun.

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June 16-20



### Little Bakers

Get ready to bake and create delicious treats while learning basic kitchen skills and exploring the fun of cooking and sharing.

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June 23-27



### Global Explorers

Travel the globe through creative crafts and activities that showcase different cultures and famous destinations from around the world.

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July 7-11



### Time Travel

Travel through time to explore the decades with dancing, games, and retro crafts.

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July 14-18



### Creepy Crawlies

Explore the world of bugs and critters with outdoor adventures, nature walks, and hands-on activities.

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July 21-25



### Island Explorers

Embark on a tropical adventure with beach crafts, ocean fun, and island-inspired activities.