



# 2024 Newsletter

Wood County Head Start- Biron Center

## Head Start (Preschool Program) End of the Year Event

The end of the year is almost here. We will be inviting families to attend our End of the Year Picnics. You should have received an invite from your child's teacher with information about the picnic's time and location. Please return those the RSVP date on them. Thank you.

Laura's AM Picnic—May 9th @ 9:30-11:45 @ Biron Town Hall

Laura's PM Picnic — May 9th @ 11:45-2:00 @ Biron Town Hall

Cindy's Picnic—June 4th @ 9:30-11:15 @ Biron park—lunch after at center

Stephanie & Ashley (4k) Picnic— 9:30-11:30 @ The WR Municipal Zoo

Just a reminder, our 1/2 day program (Laura's AM and PM) last day will be May 9th.

The full day and 4k (Cindy, Ashley, Stephanie) last day will be June 5th.

The bus routes will be changing as of May 9th for everyone. Bus staff will be contacting you with new pickup and drop off times.

We hope everyone has a great summer! We look forward to seeing the returning families next year, and wish the best for the kids going on to Kindergarten in the fall!



## Summer Reminders

Family Service Workers will now be available on a part-time basis through the summer! If your child is in Infant/Toddler or will be returning



to preschool in the fall and you need assistance with resources, don't hesitate to reach out to your Family Service Worker. Also, if you move or change your phone number, be sure to update it with either your Family Service Worker or the main office. Thank you!

## Policy Council Representatives

Policy Council is our Parent Board of Directors. They are responsible for sharing with the group any concerns, suggestions, or recommendations that affect not only their center, but the entire Wood County Head Start program. As a member of Policy Council, they will share any ideas or concerns expressed by parents from the classroom they represent. If you have an issue you would like to discuss with another parent, please contact your Family Service Worker, Katie (715-422-0428) or Karen (715-422-0438). Our Policy Council Representatives are:

**Tamala Calderon**

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**Sydney Pemble**

**Cassie Neinfeldt**

# Over The Kitchen Counter

Warm weather and summer break is just around the corner so we figured we would introduce a fun little recipe to celebrate the occasion. This recipe is super quick and easy to make and can be served as a summer snack, dessert, or even a special breakfast. Peanut Butter Banana Yogurt Bark is a favorite for kids of all ages!

## Ingredients:

Plain Yogurt  
Peanut Butter  
Banana  
Chocolate Chips



## Directions:

- Line a baking sheet with parchment paper.
- In a medium bowl, mash one banana. Add in the yogurt and stir until combined.
- Pour the yogurt mixture onto the baking sheet and spread with a knife or spatula until you have a smooth layer.
- Swirl on the peanut butter and sprinkle on the mini chocolate chips. You may need to liquify the peanut butter by microwaving it for a bit. Slice the remaining banana and place it on top of the yogurt. Don't skimp on the toppings!
- Place the baking sheet in the freezer for at least 5 hours. Take the baking sheet out of the fridge and break the yogurt bark into chunks with your hands. Store leftovers in airtight container in the freezer for up to a month.

**Enjoy!**

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