



KID'S HAVEN

CHILD CARE & PRESCHOOL

Parent News

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-NEWS AT THE HAVEN-

NATIONAL BATH SAFETY MONTH

Rub a Dub Dub! Our kid's bath time can be both relaxing and fun. But, during January - National Bath Safety Month, the American Academy of Pediatrics warns that drowning is the **LEADING** cause of unintentional injury-related death for children ages 0-4. Many parents don't realize the risk that bath time holds for their little ones. Of the child drownings occurring in the house, nearly half of the children had been out of sight for less than five minutes prior to the incident. And, more than two-thirds drown in less than 2 inches of water. In addition to drowning, the bath tub holds many other risk to your children including extreme water temperatures and slipping/falling. Here are a few tips we've put together for our families:

- ALWAYS have an adult within arms reach
- Never leave another child to supervise
- Learn CPR
- Set your water heater to a maximum of 120° F
- Wait until the tub is finished filling before putting your child in (temperatures can change)
- Add anti-slip mats to the floor of the tub/shower

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-REMINDERS-

- Please bring your hats, mittens, gloves and snow boots.
- Please keep your child(ren) home if he/she are not feeling well.
- **STOP for school buses!**
As you see daily there are multiple buses dropping and picking up children at Kid's Haven. We want to ensure safety in the parking lot. Therefore, if you see a bus in the parking lot or at the bus stop, we need you to stop your vehicle, and not move until the bus has left. Please make sure you allow enough time in the mornings and afternoons to be able to ensure our children are safe as we get them on and off buses.

-EVENTS-

- 01/01 : New Years Day
- 1/13: Take a walk around the school to find light sources around the school (preschool & school-age)
- 1/14: As a family explore different handheld light sources- how they turn on and off
- 1/17 & 1/31: Cat's Kids Yoga at Kid's Haven- must sign up to attend (preschool)
- 1/17: Bubble Day (toddlers)
- 1/17: Take a walk around the school to look for emergency lights or signs around the school (preschool & school age)
- 1/23: Picnic by candlelight (preschool)