

Celebrate Week of the Young Child - April 14-20, 2013

The School City of Hobart and area preschools are pleased to announce *Week of the Young Child*. This week will focus on our youngest citizens in Hobart. Join us in celebrating children by participating in activities at home or attend one of the participating local preschools. Registration is required to participate and attend local preschools.

WOYC Description	WOYC Activities	Register at Participating Schools
<p><u>Bubble Making Monday</u> Promote creative arts and play to support your child's social and emotional development, including their interpersonal skills. Go for a nature walk and talk about what you see, hear, smell, and hear. Write or draw pictures about the experience together.</p>	<p><u>Websites:</u> http://www.readingrockets.org/extras/stem_series/ http://www.readingrockets.org/article/40703/</p>	<p>-Jack and Jill Academy Dawn Wolf dawn@jackandjillacademy.com (219) 789-7127</p>
<p><u>Turn Off TV Tuesday</u> Have a play date with your child without the TV. Make it a game night and play your favorite board games together. Enjoy "Lap-time" with your child where you talk, sing, rhyme, and read together.</p>	<p><u>Article:</u> http://www.readingrockets.org/article/20035/</p> <p>10:30 a.m.- YMCA Story Time</p>	<p>-Brickie Kidz Cheryl Bunch cbunch@hobart.k12.in.us (219) 942-8521</p> <p>-Jack and Jill Academy Dawn Wolf dawn@jackandjillacademy.com (219) 789-7127</p> <p>-YMCA Miss Sharon & Miss Christy starry@hobart.ymca.org 942-2183 ext. 12 or 14</p>
<p><u>Workout Wednesday</u> Promote good health! Stress the importance of exercising every day. Go to the park, play sports, run or even go for a walk. Keep the body moving and set a positive example for your child!</p>	<p>12:30 p.m.- YMCA Exercise Time</p>	<p>-Brickie Kidz Cheryl Bunch cbunch@hobart.k12.in.us (219) 942-8521</p> <p>-Jack and Jill Academy Dawn Wolf dawn@jackandjillacademy.com (219) 789-7127</p> <p>-YMCA Miss Sharon & Miss Christy starry@hobart.ymca.org 942-2183 ext. 12 or 14</p>
<p><u>Thankful Thursday</u> Practice using good manners by saying please and thank you. Everyone loves</p>	<p>Lucky Lessons -Brickie Kidz -Jack and Jill Academy -Kids 1st -YMCA</p>	<p>-Jack and Jill Academy Dawn Wolf dawn@jackandjillacademy.com (219) 789-7127</p>

<p>compliments! Tell your child what you love about him/her and what makes him/her special. Let each family member share!</p>		<p>-Brickie Kidz Cheryl Bunch cbunch@hobart.k12.in.us (219) 942-8521</p>
<p>Fun with Food Friday Teach your child healthy eating habits. Show him/her what makes a healthy plate when eating (protein, fruit, vegetable, dairy, grain).</p>	<p>Grocery Store Activities: 11:00 a.m.- YMCA Food Fun Nutritious Recipes:</p>	<p>-Jack and Jill Academy Dawn Wolf dawn@jackandjillacademy.com (219) 789-7127</p>