



Soapy surprise

By **Mizuki (Explorer Club)**

I had a cup with dry ice, soap and hot water. It made lots of bubbles. The bubbles came out of the cup and I popped them all.

Mixing with milk

By **Natalie (Preschool)**

Milk. Red. Blue. Green. Soap.
It mixed like a snake.





Play dough in a glove gets a big hand from artists

By **Sophia (Explorer Club)**

We made blue play dough. We put it in gloves. It felt smooshy when I pushed the play dough into the fingers. I held a glove in my hands. It was heavy and felt smooshy.



Dry ice in a glove gets a big hand from scientists

By **Alexander (Adventure Club)**

We did experiments with dry ice. It is frozen carbon dioxide. It looks like an ice cube but it is much colder. It is -78.5°C . You will get frostbite if you touch it. We put dry ice inside vinyl gloves. Nothing happened at first with my glove. A few minutes later there was sublimation - when dry ice turns from a solid into a gas. As the solid became smaller, the gas increased. My glove got bigger and bigger. Some gloves popped like balloons but others like mine had leaks. It was a pretty unusual sight for a kid but I do not think it was unusual for a scientist!

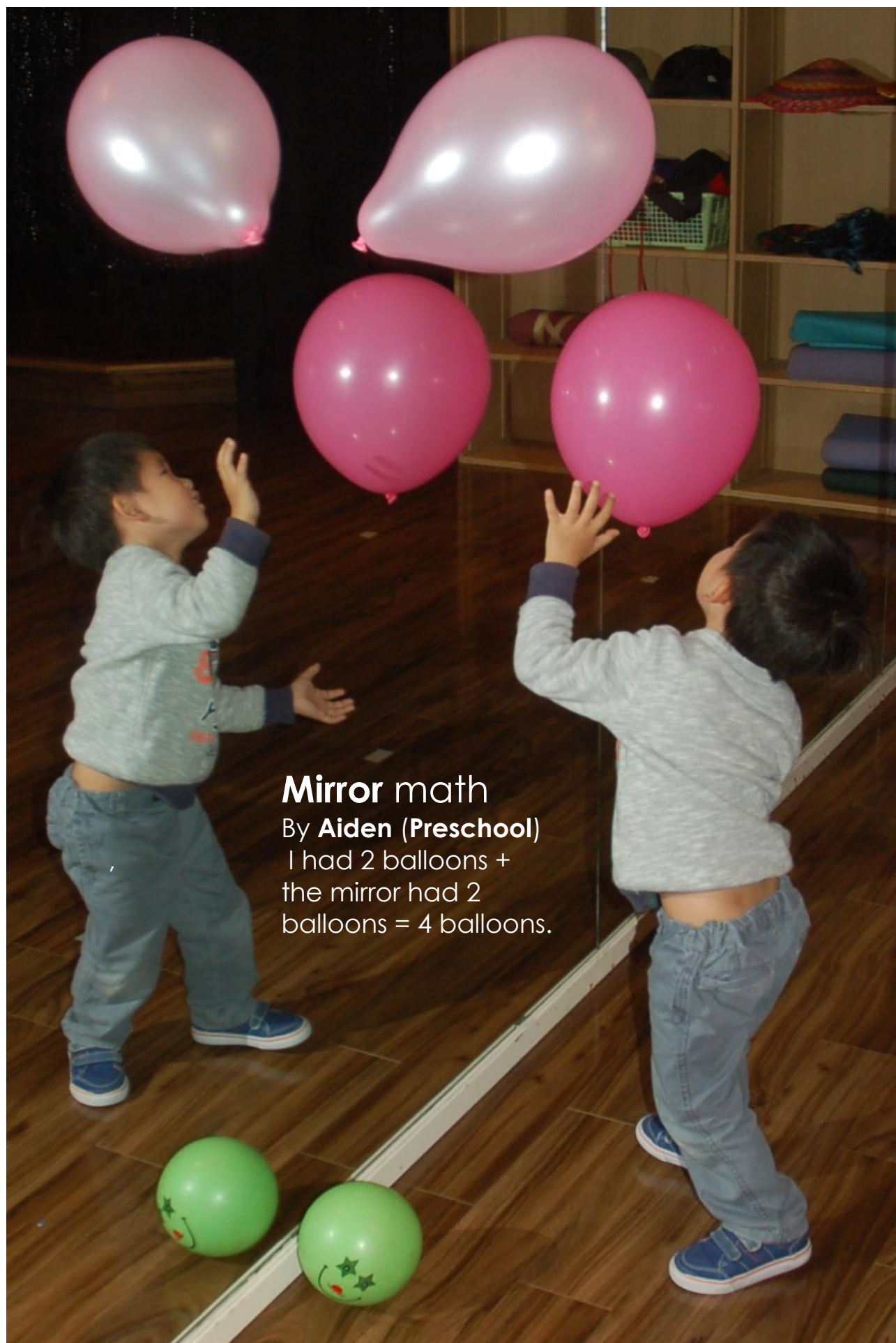


Web walk woes

By **Crystal (Safe Base)**

Imagination Station was turned into a spider web. It was very hard to go

over and under the web without touching the string. It was especially difficult to do while wearing a skirt.



Mirror math

By **Aiden (Preschool)**

I had 2 balloons +
the mirror had 2
balloons = 4 balloons.



Tipsy tower

By **Ariana (Discovery Club)**

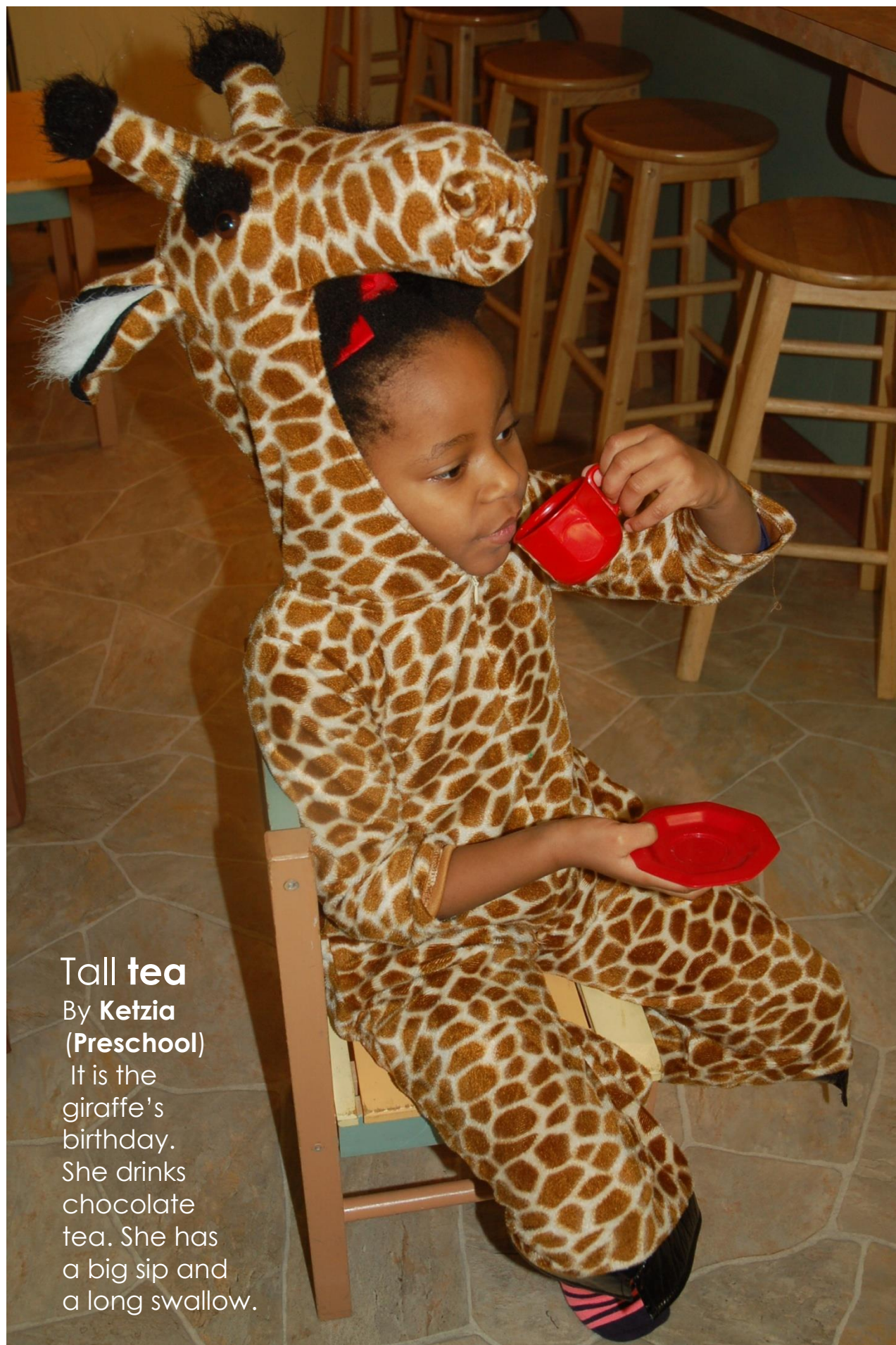
When I play Jenga I look for a loose piece. If the piece is tight I don't take it.



To feed birds in need with winter seed is a good deed

By **Marley (Explorer Club)**

We put shortening on pinecones. We spooned on seeds. We took home bird feeders.



Tall tea

By **Ketzia**
(Preschool)

It is the giraffe's birthday. She drinks chocolate tea. She has a big sip and a long swallow.



Doctor says 'An apple a day keeps the princess away'

By **Olivia (Explorer Club)**

One day Princess Madison swallowed a brown banana. She felt sick.

"I have a disease," she said. "Call the doctor. Tell him to come at 1 o'clock."

The doctor said, "I have an appointment with Johnny-the-Knight. I will see you tomorrow."

The next day the doctor used a special flashlight to look inside Princess Madison's throat. He saw a smooshed banana, a smooshed mango and a smooshed pear.

"You don't have a disease. You are full of fruit!" he said. "You don't need medicine. You need an apple."

Princess Madison went home and ate a green apple. It tasted sweet. She felt awesome.

Photo: **Abhiyan (Discovery Club)**, Olivia.



Sweat for sweet

By **Harry (Discovery Club)**

A fast elf visited at Christmas. It was hard but we managed to catch him. He gave everyone who tagged him a sticker to trade in for a candy cane.

Walking the dog

A stroll at 1350 West 67th Avenue in January 2016 revealed:

Adventure Club played vintage Battleship from 1971. The rules are still the same: C-2 it that you sink all of your opponent's ships B-4 your fleet is sunk.

We got "real" mail with a stamp: "I was thinking about you the whole year...I miss you guys. I will never forget you guys. Never forget me. See you some day. Be sure to check the playground. And only check on good days like not rainy days..." Save a sunny, touch-the-sky swing for **Jane** (ex-**Discovery Club**).

Many people are waiting to hear if there are plans to repair DLG or build a new school. Meanwhile, **Nicholas M (Adventure Club)** is promoting his own construction of a hotel to replace Spare Time. It will be high and hi-tech. The "boss" is taking applications for those who want to work as a bellhop.

The indoor basketball hoop was moved to Imagination Station. Now there's dance...drama...dunks.

There are two ways to complete the marble maze: rotate the plastic ball to move the steel marble along numbered paths or move the marble with a magnet. Patient skill or shortcut science. Photo: **Claire (Adventure Club)**.

