

May has flown by! We are looking forward to the summer months and to all of the fun that comes along with them!

Thank you to all the Moms and Mother figures who celebrated Mother's Day with us. We had so much fun at our Tea Party. More importantly, it was so nice to have parents celebrating with us on these special occasions. This month, we are celebrating Dads and all Father Figures in our lives. We invite all Dads, Grandpas or Father figures to join us for Floats with Fathers on June 14th at 3:30pm.

We are so thankful to all of our families that helped us make our Teacher Appreciation week one to remember. We thank each of you for being a part of our community. It has been 7 years since we opened our doors. In that time, we have seen the area grow by leaps and bonds. We are so thankful to everyone. We look forward to many more years with our amazing staff and families.

Splash Days begin June 3rd. Please check with your child's teacher for any special instructions. More information about Splash Days is on page 2 and 3. Please review as soon as possible.

Our School-Age Summer Camp begins Tuesday, May 28th. Please be aware that permission slips must be signed in order for your child to participate in our filed trips. If you have not received a Summer Camp packet, please stop by the front desk for everything you need to be ready for summer. This is applicable to School-Age children only.

You're Invited:

Calling all Dads, Grandpas or Father figures.

Friday, June 14th at 3:30pm

Join us for Floats with Fathers!

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SPECIAL DATES

- 6/1 Dinosaur Day
- 6/5 World Environment Day
- 6/7 Sunny Day
- 6/11 Superhero Day
- 6/13 Disney Day
- 6/14 Floats with Fathers @ 3:30pm
- 6/17 World Croc Day!
- 6/19 Juneteenth Day
- 6/21 Summer Solstice
- 6/25 UFO Day
- 6/26 Stitch Day!

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- Pre-K Summer Camp visitor: Mariachi band
- School Age Summer Camp: First Field trip on May 28th.
- June 22nd is Kinder / APK graduation for all children who will be attending public kindergarten in the Fall 2024

SHOES

As the summer months begin we want to remind you that closed-toed shoes are a requirement for all children. We know that sandals and flip-flops are the preferred attire for these hot days; however, they are a hazard on the playground. We ask that you please provide appropriate closed-toed shoes for your child's safety.



OUTSIDE TIME

Summer is here and it is going to get hotter. As the temperature rises it will mean an end to afternoon outside time. On days when the temp is over 99 (feels like temp) degrees, we will not attempt to go outside. On other days, we will be outside for short periods of time. All children in care should be able to be outside during the summer months. Unfortunately, we do not have availability to place your child in another classroom during outside time. If your child is unable to participate in all scheduled activities, please keep your child home.

ABSENTEE CREDITS

With the holidays coming up, and vacation plans revving up, we wanted to explain how absentee credits are applied.

Absentee Credit:

Each child who attends **FULL TIME** *(**RESTRICITONS APPLY**)* receives 5 Absentee Credits a year. (enrollment year)

Credits are applied when your child is out 3 or more days within the week consecutively and our closure dates do not apply to those 3 days. For Example, we will be closed Christmas eve and Christmas day. Those days do not count towards your 3 consecutive days of absences.

How it works:

Parent fills out an absentee form and submits before the dates of the absences

Parent must pay for the absentee week at 60% ahead of time

Account is billed for full amount of tuition

Account is given a 40% deduction

**RESTRICTIONS:

Children ages 6 weeks to 12 months do not receive this credit

Part time children do not receive this credit

School-Age children do not receive this credit (summer campers are billed weekly)



WHAT'S COMING UP!

- 6/3 Dinosaur Day: wear your favorite dinosaur shirt / outfit
- 6/5 World Environment Day: we will create recycle projects today.
- 6/7 "Sunny Day": wear your favorite Sesame Street outfit.
- 6/11 Super Hero Day! Wear any superhero outfit.
- 6/13 Disney Day: wear any Disney outfit.

6/14 Floats for Fathers! Join us at 3:30pm for a fun afternoon. Ice cream, root beer and assorted toppings will be served.

6/17 World Croc day! Wear your crocs!

6/19 Juneteenth: We will celebrate by creating a project that incorporates all of our diversity.

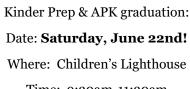
6/21 Summer Solstice: Wear a rainbow or any colorful shirt / outfit

6/22 APK / Kinder Prep Graduation!!!

6/25 World UFO day: wear a fun alien inspired outfit

6/26 Stitch Day! Wear anything crazy, silly, weird or unique

GRADUATION—JUNE 17TH @ 10:00AM



Time: 9:30am-11:30am

Kinder Prep and APK classes have been working so hard on their graduation routine. They are ready to show off their talent. Graduation will be on Saturday. On the day of graduation, we ask that your child arrive by 8:30am in order to get into a gown. The event will be held at our school. Bring the whole family!! Refreshments will be served after the ceremony.

Congratulations Graduates!



What you need to know...

Splash Days begin week of 6/3/24

Only cream style sunscreen can be used. We apply sunscreen AFTER NAP ONLY.

Your child must have water shoes to participate, a change of clothes and a towel.

Swim diapers are required for all children not potty trained.

Class	Day	Time
Guppies	Friday	9:45
Sea Turtles	Friday	10:30
Sharks	Tuesday	10:00
Sea Horses	Wednesday	10:30
Squids	Thursday	10:00
Whales	Wednesday	10:00
Dolphins	Thursday	12:30-2:30
Summer Camp	Friday	12:30-2:30

FATHER'S DAY

JUNE 14, 2024

To celebrate Father's Day, we will have "Floats with Fathers" on Friday, June 14th. Come join the fun at 3:30pm in your child's classroom. We will have ice cream, root beer and assorted desserts for all our fathers and father figures.



PAYMENTS & LATE FEES

We bill accounts on Monday for the week. Payment is due by Tuesday of each week. Our new accounting system will automatically add a late fee to any account with a balance on Wednesdays of each week. To avoid late fees, please provide payment on Tuesdays or sign-up for our Tuition Express auto draft system. Tuition Express drafts payments from any account on Tuesday mornings. Thank you for being part of Children's Lighthouse.