

The Lighthouse Beacon

March 2019

Oh! The Places They Will Go!



Did you know that our C.A.R.E.S. preschool curriculum is also accredited through our corporate headquarters? Dr. Kristi Smith is our Corporate Education Director and our teachers have quarterly trainings on updates and best practices in the classroom.

eX-STREAM

Summer Camp

Summer is just around the corner! What plans do you have to let your school-ager have a great

time? SHHHHH....Don't tell them that they will still be learning new things through fun and creative STEM activities. With themes such as

GAMES PEOPLE PLAY, Readers

Checker, Show Me the Money and Jedi

CAMP we have lots of fun trips, in-house visitors and exciting events planned to keep them busy all summer.

Early Bird Summer Camp Registration is until April 1st, 2019. NO FOOLIN' Pay \$125 instead of \$150 if registered for Rooms 9 & 10 by April 1st.

Check out the calendar and ask about Come & Go.



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Collins 3/1 Gavin 3/6

Elliot 3/10 Harper T 3/19

Sloan 3/19 Melania 3/21

Aarna 3/25 Ryder 3/26

Cameron 3/26 Ethan 3/26

Olivia P 3/27 Brock 3/30

Andrew 3/30 Jonathan 3/21

Teachers

Mrs. Dayna 3/27



Anniversaries

1 yr Miss Averi 3/12

2 yrs Miss Tori 3/17





LISTEN 360

FAMILY SURVEYS

Childrens Lighthouse is dedicated to quality in care, education and customer service and to maintain our distinction in this field we conduct ongoing surveys to newly enrolled families, currently enrolled families and even families who have dis-enrolled. As a school we benefit from the positive accolades as well as the constructive criticism given when our families complete these surveys. I often share the wonderful comments made about our teachers at staff meetings as I feel they need to know how much our children and families love and appreciate them. I also evaluate our program structures when given negative comments so that we can make the necessary changes to make things better. As always, my door is open to my families and staff alike when issues arise and I put a considerable amount of thought into how to best correct the issue.

When you receive the invitation to complete the Listen 360 Survey, please do so honestly and remember to leave comments to help us be a better school. Our current completion percentage is less than 50% and as the surveys go out to random families and on a sporadic schedule, we do not know when or who will receive these surveys. Therefore, I ask that if you see it come across your email, please take a moment and complete it so we can raise our family participation to 100%!

Jennifer Felger



Busy Please make changes

to your contact/address information as needed. Go online or in the office.



We will have spring pictures day March 26-28. pictures and graduation pictures will be taken as well.

Week of The Young Child

April 8-12, 2019

Monday: "Music Monday"- Bring an

instrument for our music parade

10:30 am

Tuesday: "Tasty Tuesday"

Making insect snacks

Wednesday: "Work Together

Wednesday"

Making our garden grow

Thursday: "Artsy Thursday"

Create Art Outdoors

Friday: "Family Friday" - Family Picnic

Lunch (Bring your lunch)



Kindergarten is just around the corner!

Our experienced teachers are prepared to teach the children this school year with our ADvanc-ED Accredited **Curriculum**. Our goal is to nurture the development of each child's full potential—intellectually, emotionally, socially, and physically— in an atmosphere of safety and trust and prepare them for future learning success.

PRE-K ROUND-UP

We will hold Prekindergarten Round-Up on Thursday, April 4th from 5:30-6:30pm. Come meet the teachers and see our Prekindergarten and Advanced Prekindergarten C.A.R.E.S. Curriculum that preps our students for public school kindergarten and beyond. If your child will be going into kindergarten fall 2020 and has a fall birthday turning 5 by Dec. 31st, they will attend the APK class, other children attending kindergarten fall 2020 will be in the PK class.

NEW MDO FOR FALL 2019!

Prekindergarten C.A.R.E.S.
Curriculum, Spanish, Music &
meals included.
Tues, Wed, Thurs Program
from 9am-1:30pm.

For children entering kindergarten Fall of 2020.

Silver Anchor

Teacher of the Month



Línda Duckett

Ms. Linda will be celebrating 4 years with our school next month. She has given her love to our infants since 2015 and will watch some of her babies graduate our Prekindergarten Program this year. We are so thankful for her wonderful work ethic and dedication to our school and families.

March Curriculum Overview

Infants & Toddlers —Rooms 1, 2 & 3

This month we will be learning about "Senses"

We will focus on the shape **clover** and the colors **green**.

We will be singing "Baby Bumble Bee" and "Clap, Clap, Clap Your Hands"

The Sign Language focus word for this month is: hot.

Toddlers Curriculum Overview—Room 4

This month we will be learning about "Fruits & Vegetables"

We will focus on the shape **clover** and the colors **areen.**

We will be singing "Grow Little Seed" and "We Planted a Little Seed"

The Sign Language focus word for this month is: hot.

<u>Twos' through Four's Curriculum Overview —</u> <u>Rooms 5-9</u>

Character Value: **Humor**Curriculum Theme: **Nutrition**

Science & Nature Focus: Fruits & Vegetables

Math & Manipulatives Concepts: Measuring & Patterning

Alphabet Focus: **Kk**, **Qq**, **Vv**Literacy Focus: **Dr. Seuss books**APK: Sight Words: was, is, at, that, it, on

Word Family: -ing, -ick, -ack, -eep

School-Age Track-Room 10

Theme: **Plants**Character Value: **Humor**Community Project: **Food Drive**



Saturday, April 27 6:00pm-11:00pm



CLOSED GOOD FRIDAY ANNUAL TEACHER CONFERENCE

We will be closed all day Friday, April 19th and will reopen for regular business hours on Monday, April 22nd. We take this opportunity to send all of our teachers to our annual training conference.

If you would like to donate door prize items such as gift cards, gift baskets, spa services, or teacher themed shirts, mugs etc. Please see the office management.



Please make sure your child has a weather appropriate change of clothes and a jacket in their cubby at all times.

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Pre-K and APK graduation is set for May 21 @ 7pm at Snyder Elementary.
Watch for more details!