



May 2018 Newsletter

**Center is CLOSED
Monday, May 28th
for Memorial Day.**



Lighthouse News

And We'll Have Fun, Fun, Fun...

School is almost out and the summer days are moving in! Thank you to all of the families who re-enrolled their child for the 2018/2019 school year. We have now opened our enrollment to the community.

Summer activity fees are due by May 30th for rooms 3-7, 9 (wrap-around families only) and 10-16. The summer activity fee is \$50.00.

Our summer field trip permission slip signing for the school age classes, will be on May 14th for rooms 8 & 17 from 4-6 p.m. and on May 16th for room 9 from 4-6 p.m.

Our Pre-K graduations are approaching quickly. Official invitations were sent home last month. Don't forget to celebrate your moms on May 13th for Mother's Day!

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Thank you!

SHOW YOUR TEACHERS SOME LOVE

*We are blessed with wonderful teachers here at Children's Lighthouse Learning Center of People of Faith. You can show your child's teacher some love the week of **May 7 – 11 during Teacher Appreciation week**. You are more than welcome to bring in gifts and goodies for your child's teachers during this week. If you have any questions, please feel free to stop by the front desk. Thank you!*



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IMPORTANT DATES

- May 7 - 11 ~ Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 13 – Happy Mother's Day!
- May 14 – School age Rooms 8 & 17 summer sign up 4p.m. – 6 p.m.
- May 16 – School age Room 9 summer permission slip signing 4:00p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- May 25– End of year program for 2's, 3's and young 4's (check w/ teacher for time)
- May 28 - Closed for Memorial Day

We have AWESOME FAMILIES that attend our Center.

FINAL Update on Donations for our 1st Annual Trike-A-Thon: \$2572. All donations came from The Candy Grams, Ducky Grams, Online Donations and Cash donated in the Classroom Jars.



Thank you to the FAMILIES that donated BOOKS to our ever growing classroom libraries. Our children

THANK YOU, THANK YOU & GOD BLESS YOU!

love reading and getting new books to read is so FUN!

INFANTS I, II & III - ROOMS 1, 2 & 3

Theme: Me

Color: Pink

Shape: Triangle

Baby Sign: Bib

Nursery Rhyme: Mary, Mary Quite Contrary

Song: If You're Happy and You Know It

Can you believe the month of May is already here? Spring is in the air, so that means we are seeing many allergies, runny noses and coughs. Please be mindful that you may get a call from us when your child is not feeling well, and rest assured, we will be washing hands all day long.



This month is all about "ME". We will be teaching your children all about themselves; their eyes, mouth, hair, nose, and much more. We are very excited!

A couple friendly reminders:

- Now that the weather is changing, please make sure all extra clothes in your child's cubby are weather appropriate and that they are the correct size.
- Please remember to take your child's blanket home to wash, each Friday, then please return them on Monday.
- If you would like us to apply sun block to your child, please fill out and return the permission slip as soon as possible.
- Please remember to update your child's monthly feeding chart by the first day of each month (rooms 1 & 2).
- Please remember to label all of your child's belongings (especially bottles).
- Teacher Appreciation is the week of May 7-11
- Happy Mother's Day on Sunday, May 13th!
- We will be closed on Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day.

Thank you all very much for your help,
Ms. Bibi, Ms. Carmen P., Ms. Danielle, Miss Tiffani. Ms. Jessica & Miss Bri



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TODDLERS - ROOMS 11 & 12

Theme: Me & My Body

Color: Pink

Shape: Triangle

Baby Sign: Bib

Nursery Rhyme: Mary, Mary Quite Contrary

Song: If You're Happy and You Know It

Summer is almost here- We can't believe the school year is almost over. For the summer we will be continuing with our current curriculum. We will also be participating in the summer activities that are happening throughout the center. We look forward to a fun and exciting summer!

We are amazed at how well the children are doing! They love singing and reading stories; they have all grown up so much!

A couple friendly reminders:

Please check your child's folder at the end of the day; it contains your child's art work, and important papers from the front office.

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Please feel free to let us know whenever you have a question, we will be more than happy to help you !

Sincerely,

Ms. Angie, Miss Kaydee, Ms. Jennay & Ms. Sherilyn



2'S - ROOMS 4, 5 & 13

Dear Parents,

As our curriculum comes to an end, the children will learn all about numbers 9 & 10, letters U, V, W, X, Y & Z. Our C.A.R.E.S. theme for May is plants & flowers, along with ocean and ocean life. We will explore water by using many different containers, tubs and droppers. We will use plastic fishing worms to count, explore what sinks and floats and use watercolors to make a fish.

As our summer program begins, we want to share how much we have enjoyed sharing this past year with your children. We could not be more proud of all they have accomplished in our two-year-old class.

- We will be closed on Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day.
- Rooms 5 & 13's end of the year program is on Friday May 25th- the program will begin at 10:00, followed by their end of the year party.

Sincerely,

Ms. Janice, Ms. Charkell, Ms. Sarah, Ms. Kelly & Miss Kaydee





HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Coralyn H. 5/1 5 yrs. old
 Catherine R. 5/1 4 yrs. old
 Emily E. 5/4 5 yrs. Old
 Nahla N. 5/6 3 yrs. old
 Bridie C. 5/6 10 yrs. old
 Charlotte S. 5/9 2 yrs. old
 Christian V. 5/13 3 yrs. old
 Elena L. 5/15 4 yrs. old
 Michael C. 5/15 5 yrs.
 Old
 Elodie N. 5/16 4 yrs. old
 Amelie M. 5/16 3 yrs. old
 Blake M. 5/18 2 yrs. Old
 Marcos R. 5/18 2 yrs. old
 Keegan J. 5/18 5 yrs. Old
 Savanna D. 5/18 11 yrs.
 old
 Emily C. 5/22 2 yrs. old
 Savannah C. 5/23 2 yrs.
 old
 Juan Francisco G. 5/23 7
 yrs. old
 Finn B. 5/25 1 yr. old
 Kolton R. 5/24 5 yrs. Old
 Olivia W. 5/24 3 yrs. old
 Daneliz V. 5/25 6 yrs. Old
 Zechariah C. 5/27 10 yrs.
 old
 Samantha W. 5/30 10 yrs.
 old
 Joey C. 5/31 7 yrs. old
 Amelia M. 5/31 5 yrs. old

3'S - ROOMS 14, 15 & 16

Dear Parents,

As our curriculum comes to an end, the children will learn all about numbers 11 - 15 and letters U, V, W, X, Y & Z. Our C.A.R.E.S. theme for May is plants &



flowers, along with ocean and ocean life. We will explore water by using many different containers, tubs and droppers. We will use plastic fishing worms to count, explore what sinks and floats and use watercolors to make a fish.

The classes will be showing off all they have learned during their end of the year program, which is on Friday, May 25th. Programs will take place in your child's classroom at 10:30 a.m. Classroom end of the year parties will take place after their programs.

We wish you a safe and happy summer!

Thank you for a wonderful school year, and if you ever have any questions, please feel free to ask us!

Sincerely,

Ms. Rosie, Ms. Shantel, Ms. Heather, Miss Katelyn, Miss Tiffany & Miss Kristy

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YOUNG 4'S & PRE-K 4 - ROOMS 6, 7, 9 & 10

Dear Parents,

As our curriculum comes to an end, the children will learn all about numbers 20-25, review their blend ladders, finish their reading groups and explore all about the ocean and ocean life. This year the classes have explored consonants and vowels, as well as many character values. The children can recognize numbers 1-25, continue to build their reading skills and so much more. Amazing!

Room 10 will show off all they have learned during their end of the year program, which is on Friday, May 25th at 10:00. This will be followed by their end of the year party.

Each of the Pre-K 4 classes will have their own graduation. A formal invitation went home in April. The graduations will be followed by end of the year parties.

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Sincerely,

Miss Jenna, Ms. Sheryl, Ms. Christina, Ms. Ratisha, Ms. Carmen G., Miss Amanda J., Ms. Kris & Ms. Jasmine



SCHOOLERS - ROOMS 8, 9 & 17

Dear Parents,

For the last month of school, we will be studying the rain forest. The world's greatest variety of living things are found there. However, tropical rainforests are endangered. Past and current human actions have harmed rain forest plants and animals and their environment. This month, we will be making a rain forest in a jar, create rain forest animals, learn about recycling paper, along with other group discussions about how the rain forest plays an important role in our world.



Our summer permission slip signing for rooms 8 & 17 is on Monday, May 14th and on Wednesday May 16th for room 9 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. Parents will be able to sign all field trip permission slips at this time, as well as receive your summer shirt, if you have paid your activity fee. The summer activity fee is \$150.

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Please let us know if you have any questions regarding summer.

Sincerely,

Ms. Indira, Miss Dami & Miss Erica

Character Value: Kindness
"Instead, be kind to each other and compassionate,
forgiving one another, just as God through Christ has
forgiven you" Ephesians 4:32

TEACHER'S BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Happy May Teacher Birthdays to...

Ms. Kris 5/1, Ms. Heather 5/4,

Ms. Carmen P. 5/21 & Ms. Rosie 5/22

Happy Anniversary to...

Ms. Deanna, 13 yrs., Ms. Christina 9 yrs., Ms. Mimi 8 yrs.

& Miss Bri 2 yrs.

CHILDRENS LIGHTHOUSE

Our mission at Childrens Lighthouse is to provide safe, quality, loving care and educational services. We aspire to promote the positive development of young children in all areas of growth including social, emotional, intellectual, physical, and creative. We commit to the most comprehensive educational materials available. Childrens Lighthouse offers a nurturing environment designed to foster security and happiness. Our staff is dedicated to giving parents "peace of mind."

PEOPLE OF FAITH NEWS

Families of the Lighthouse...

MOTHER'S DAY is approaching!

We invite you to join us for worship on May 13th, as you will have an opportunity afterwards to have a **family picture taken**. We encourage you all to **dress up** and our very own Juliann Sidaboutar – worship leader extraordinaire - (you can see her work via her Instagram handle @juliannsidabutarphoto") will be photographing families outside on our **scenic tree-filled property**.

This would be a great opportunity to get the whole family together for this expression of love for mom.

Don't miss out! See you on the 13th!

God bless you and thanks again for trusting Children's Lighthouse with your most precious gifts – your kids.

Pastor Rick



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