

Young Navigator

May 2018

Hello parents and friends!

May is going to be such a busy and fun month for us here at Children's Lighthouse. Before we get to that, I would like to take a moment to go over a few housekeeping items.

- ◇ Please make sure that you are utilizing the parking spots available. We understand that sometimes, drop off is a rush but please be courteous and make sure that you are not blocking others, the fire lanes or using the handicap spots if you do not have a sticker .
- ◇ After-Schooler parents, please make sure to call the center by 12noon to let us know if your child will not be on the bus that afternoon. We will begin enforcing the \$10.00 non-notification fee if we are not notified beforehand.
- ◇ Please make sure that you are signing in and out your child(ren) everyday. This is an important tool to ensure the safety of all the children in our care. We also use this as a way to individually communicate with our parents should we need to, so if you are not signing in and out, you will miss those important messages.
- ◇ When dropping off and picking up your child(ren), please make sure that you are dropping off and picking up at the classroom door.
- ◇ Also, please make sure to utilize the side door at the end of the hallway if your child's class is outside. This is to ensure that the classrooms are not disrupted.
- ◇ Tuition is due by the end of the business day every Tuesday. A late fee of \$25 will be added to the account on Wednesday and an additional \$10 each day after until the amount is paid in full.

**Children's Lighthouse
at Grand Mission**

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May

**PARENTS' NIGHT
OUT CORNER**

5/24/2019
7:00pm-12:00am

Cost: \$25 per Child
\$20 each addition child.

**Note: Parent Account
Must Be At Zero Balance**

May events

- * May 24 - Parent's Night Out
- * May 6-10 - Teacher Appreciation Week
- * May 10 - Mother's Day Breakfast
- * May 13-17 - Parent Appreciation Week
- * May 31 - Graduation Night for Room 8 & Room 9 at Seguin Elementary
- * May 27 - Closed for Memorial Day
- * May 15 - Parents' Summer Field Trip Meeting (Mandatory if your child will be going on field trips)



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Around this time last year, we took a moment to inform our families that Ms. Sherry will begin her journey and fight against stage 4 Nodular Melanoma Cancer. It is with such a heavy yet grateful heart that we reflect back on that time in her life and in ours. It was a stressful and scary time for us and much more so for her. But it also showed us how close we all are and how much we all truly care for each other. There were so many supportive outlets for Ms. Sherry that it was almost overwhelming but we were grateful. All the support flowing in for her, her positive attitude, strong will and resiliency built the foundation for her victory. It was a wonderful day when we received the news that Ms. Sherry has overcome the cancer. She came back to us quickly and has not skipped a beat. We are blessed to have Ms. Sherry a part of our Lighthouse family! Thank you for embodying the “family feel” that we strive for here at Children’s Lighthouse and throughout the month, please take the time to congratulate Ms. Sherry on her victory. We are more than just an early learning center, we are family.



Infants Room 1, 2 & 3

Room 1 Teachers: Ms. LaVerne, Ms. Jessica & Ms. Amber

Room 2 Teachers: Ms. Gladys, Ms. Lesly, Ms. Christi & Ms. Audrey

Room 3: Teachers: Ms. Fabien, Ms. Jill & Ms. Maricela

This month's theme is "ME"! We will learn all about our bodies and emotions. Our color for this month is "Pink" and our shape is "Triangle". We will also learn the rhyme "Eye Winker, Tom Tinker" and the song "Are You Sleeping?". And last but not least, our baby sign for this month is "Bib".



Toddler Room 4

Ms. Erika, Ms. Angel & Ms.

For the month of May, Room 4's

theme is going to be "Me & My Body". The children will learn the baby sign for "Bib", the color "Pink" and the shape "Triangle". The children will also learn the song "Here They Are" along with the nursery rhyme "Thumb-in-the-Box".

Toddler Room 5

Ms. Shauna, Ms. Natalie, Ms. Ja'Nell & Ms. Juanita

Our theme this month is "Plants and Flowers". So our room will be a garden wonderland! We are also learning about "Ocean Animals". We will explore this new environment and just who the creatures are that call the ocean their home. Lastly, our character value for this month is "Kindness".



Room 6 & 7

Room 6: Ms. Elyshia, Ms. Melissa & Ms. Silvia

Room 7: Ms. Janiah & Ms. Baylee

As we are getting ready to close out our school year with our plants and ocean animals theme, please be on the look out for some great projects and fun and easy ones to do at home! We will be reviewing all the alphabet letters and numbers 1-20, please remember homework is on Tuesday/Thursdays and are due back the next day.



Room 8

Ms. Aisha, Ms. Kortnii & Ms. Alexis

May is one of the most important months for Room 8. We are currently finishing up our curriculum. This month we will focus on flowers, plants and ocean animals. In addition to the monthly theme, we will continue to practice sight words, word families, simple math equations, and of course mastering our handwriting. The character value of the month is "Kindness" and we will learn the importance of being kind to others. The most exciting part about the month of May is our graduation, which will take place on May 31st at 7:00pm at Alexander Elementary. Please make sure that you arrive at Alexander Elementary no later than 6:30pm dressed and ready back stage. If you have any questions, please let us know.



Room 9

Ms. Marissa & Ms. Gennie

This is it! We are in the home stretch. As work starts to dwindle down, we will be reviewing all the words from the entire year. Graduation is around the corner so be on the look out for information going home. We will wrap our year up by learning all about Ocean Animals, Flowers and Plants.

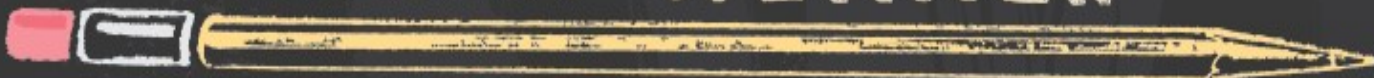


Room 10

For the month of May our character value of "Kindness". We will talk about being kind and showing kindness to others without being told. Our team time will be focusing on the Rainforest. We will learn interesting facts about the Rainforest and what kinds of animals live there. I want to wish all of my mothers a "Happy Mothers Day!"



★ **TEACHER APPRECIATION
CONTEST WINNER**





Employee of the Month
May 2019



Ms. Marissa

Thank you Ms. Marissa for all the work you do in Room 9. You are always helpful where help is needed especially during center wide events. Your creativity is boundless!

Family of the Month

May 2019



The Johnson Family

Thank you Johnson Family for always partaking in
our events and showing our school such support.
You guys are awesome!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Hunter C.	5/12	Madeline C.	5/19
Kachi M.	5/12	Chioma O.	5/26
Ms. Janiah	5/14	Jesse M.	5/26
Ms. Emily	5/16	Lily S.	5/27
Tucker T.	5/17	Daphne C.	5/30
Tucker T.	5/17		



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2  Star Wars Day	3
6 Superhero Day 	7 Wear sunglasses 	8 Dress like your teachers! Maroon and Black!	9 Dress like a nerd day! 	10 Wear tie-dye! 
Teacher Appreciation Week				
13	14	15 Wear Blue for Ms. LaVerne 	16 Wear Purple for Ms. Emily's birthday 	
Parent Appreciation Week				
20	21	22 	23 Beach Day! Wear beach gear but please no swim suits!	24
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