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KOALAS: 5 YEAR OLDS

Happy Summer Parents! What an exciting month for our Koalas. Graduation was such a blast! Thanks to the children for all their hard work. And thanks to the parents who helped during practices, made t-shirts, decorated the hall, and attended graduation in support of our class.



The month of July is going to be a fun start to our summer schedule. During this month, we will learn about: different landmarks in America, landmarks around the world, and summer sports. Awesome projects will be accompanied with our themes.

Parents please be sure to update your child's cubby with appropriate summer attire and update contacts. Also please apply sunscreen on your child in the morning before coming to school. Finally, girls must be dressed in closed-toe shoes. No flip flops. If you have any questions or concerns please see me and I will be happy to help. Thank You and Let's Have a Great Summer!

BEARS: 4 YEAR OLDS:

To recap our month of June activities, we covered the opposites of on/off, inside/outside, short/long, as well as celebrating summer. We also celebrated Father's day, beach day, and graduation for two of our classmates. We enjoyed playing outdoors more with the start of summer and longer days.



For the month of July, we will continue reviewing our opposites by discussing back/front, top/bottom, up/down and also continuing to enjoy water play as well as outdoor play. It should be a great month!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

"Where Your Child ALWAYS Comes First."

CLOSING DATES:

- Monday, July 4th: Closed for Independence Day!
- To know if we are closed due to the weather, please refer to this website: <http://toddlertownchicago.com/register-for-weather-emergency-updates/>

REMINDERS:

- Notify the daycare if your child is ill with a contagious illness immediately so that we can do our part at the daycare.
- Please see your child's teacher to update your contact numbers.**
- Wash your child's hands upon arrival.
- If Koala parents haven't done so already, please be sure to see Mr. Robert about a leave date for your child.
- Chocolate Fundraiser Money due ASAP!
- Tuition Payments need to be made on time or your child will not be able to stay in school.
- If your child will no longer be attending TTDC, as mentioned in the enrollment application that you signed, you must give the director a 2 week advance notice to avoid a \$300 fee.

THE EXPLORERS: 4 YEAR OLDS

For the month of June, the Explorers explored the topics of Fathers and Frogs and their habitats. For Father's Day the children made clay hand prints and a T-shirt card. Thank You to our parents for making our camping day a success!

In the month of July, the Explorers will learn about Independence Day, the beach, bugs, and enjoy a Picnic day if weather permits.

Parents please remember to update your child's cubby with appropriate summer attire. Also take your child's blankets and pillow cases home every Friday to wash. Again, if there is a particular day that you do laundry let me know and I will be more than happy to have the bedding waiting for you at pick up. If you have any questions please feel free to see me. Lastly, for your child's safety NO SANDALS or your child will not be able to play outdoors.

Don't forget we will be closed Monday, July 4th!!!



BUMBLEBEES: 4 YEAR OLDS

What a jumping month of June it has been! The Bumblebee Classroom jumped into the tree of letters: Chicka Chicka Boom Boom; and circus was our focus for the month of June. Recognizing and writing letters was so much fun. Learning about different animals in the circus was even more fun along with the cool games we played relative to our theme. The children also did some cool art projects that are displayed around the classroom or were taken home.



During the month of July these are some of the things your child will be learning: Independence Day, the circus, the summer season, writing our first and last name, learning the spelling of our name, and recognizing and remembering different letters. We will also be experimenting with rulers and measuring tools. We will even be learning to clean up after ourselves and putting things away correctly.

BUTTERFLIES: 3 YEAR OLDS

June was so much fun as we worked on summer art projects, enjoyed fun science projects, and focused on the letters S and T along with projects related to those letters. We also talked about dads and created Father's Day gifts for our fathers. We even enjoyed more of the outdoors. We also welcomed new friends to our class!

July will be so much fun as we will enter the month with a fun 4th of July Independence Day party! In doing we ask that you please dress your child in red or blue colors.

Also for July we will continue to focus on the first letter in our names, tracing our names, being more independent, and using our words and manners. We will also discuss aquatic animals accompanied by fun art projects. Transitions will also be happening. Don't forget: to put sunscreen on your child before coming to school, update your child's cubby with appropriate summer attire, and that we are closed Monday, July 4th for Independence Day.



TOUCANS: 2 YEAR OLDS

As summer approaches, we would like to share some of the activities we have planned for next month. We will be starting our camp called "Camp Wild Things". Our camp will involve exploration and experimentation. We started our unit on insects mid-June. Starting July we will study the lifecycle of the butterfly or frog. We will also begin our unit on camping. Throughout the month we will do side activities to celebrate festivities like the fourth of July.

We have worked so hard this past month that we are proud to announce that our Toucan garden was planted. The children were able to explore the soil, seeds, and plants that were used. The children also watered the plants and watched them grow. When the vegetables are ready, we will eat them. Thank you to all the parents who contributed to this project. We are ready for more fun!

