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June 2021 News from the Office...

Two big announcement this month—

*The center will be allowing parents to pick up and drop off from their child's classroom! For those of you who have never seen the entire center, here's your chance! There will be a few stipulations however.

*Only one person will be permitted to drop off/pick up a child

*Time in the classroom is to be minimal. We will assist your child with their jacket if applicable. The same is true for the afternoon pick up—keep your time to a minimum.

*Temperatures will still be taken upon arrival and guidelines for high temperatures will remain in place.

We are going to try this out and see how it goes. If there is a spike in COVID cases, or if classrooms become too crowded, we may re-evaluate our decision. We will not, at this time, resume family involvement events.

****An amended Communicable Disease/Parent Handbook addendum will be emailed to all families with this newsletter and it must be signed and returned to the office prior to June 7th.**

The second big announcement is a staffing change. Please refer to the attachment in your email for this very exciting news and please pass along your congratulations to the staff members listed.

Congratulations goes out to our very own Miss Lexi on the birth of her baby boy, Wesson! He was born on May 10th, weighing 8 pounds, 13 ounces—yes, he's a big guy! Also congratulations to our Miss Angel as well, who welcomed a baby girl, Josephine, on April 7th. We can't wait to meet our two new friends!

June Themes

China
Eric Carle
Camping
Zoo Aquarium
Dairy Month

June Birthdays

Jet B.	3
Cooper D.	3
Diem L.	3
Gavin O.	4
Kailyn K.	7
Isaac K.	8
Jackson G.	3
Miss Brittany	
Miss Shelli	



Welcome to June and the start of summer! We are looking forward to plenty of sunshine, outside time and fun activities. Remember to switch out your child's extra clothes for the warmer weather and send in shoes and sunscreen for the walkers that go outside.

The older infants have been working on their fine motor skills during craft time. They love to play with brushes and sponges and they really love when we get out the glue and glue pieces on their project!

Congratulations to Maddox, Kayd, Vivienne, Lincoln, Skylar and Cohen, who have been working hard on counting 1,2,3 with their fingers and then trying to jump! They've also been learning the motions to Itsy Bitsy Spider and Patty Cake! Our little girls, Brinley and Riley, are trying to keep up with the others and are crawling, pulling themselves up and getting into EVERYTHING! Our three youngest, Lilly, Gavin and Beck are getting so big! They're working hard on sitting up and reaching for toys. It won't be long and they will all be crawling!

Our themes this month will be Beach, Disney, Summer & Erin Carle. Our student of the month will be Beck! Welcome back Miss Angel, and her new baby girl, Josephine!

Happy Father's Day to all our amazing daddies!!



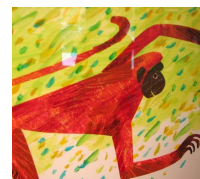
Miss Lexi —Toddler I News (Miss Sophia)

HELLO FAMILIES! I'D LIKE TO INTRODUCE MYSELF, I'M MISS SOPHIA! I AM THE CURRENT TODDLER I TEACHER WHILE MISS LEXI IS ON MATERNITY LEAVE. WE HAVE A LOT OF FUN THINGS COMING UP IN JUNE. WE WILL BE FOCUSING ON FATHER'S DAY AND FIELD DAY.

AS THE WEATHER GETS WARMER, MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS WEATHER APPROPRIATE CLOTHING ON AND ALSO HAS EXTRAS FOR THOSE LITTLE MISTAKES! FEEL FREE TO START BRINGING IN SWIMSUITS, TOWELS, WATER SHOES AND SUNSCREEN, WE HOPE TO BE PLAYING OUTSIDE IN THE SPRINKLER ON THOSE HOT SUMMER DAYS.

THANK YOU TO ALL IN ADVANCE. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, FEEL FREE TO ASK. LET'S MAKE JUNE A GREAT MONTH!

OUR STUDENT OF THE MONTH WILL BE AMELIA H.! WAY TO GO MILA!



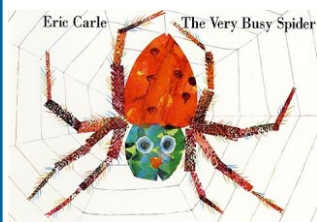
Hello Families! We're excited for another new month and what's to come!

Our student of the month will be June A. June just started with us around the beginning of May but we're all excited to get to know her better!

During June, we will be exploring themes like ice cream, summer and of course, Father's Day. We'll be sending home a special gift for dad so keep an eye out for those!

We are excited for warmer weather but just a reminder to bring in weather appropriate clothing/bathing suits/water shoes/towels/and sunscreen.

Thank you!



Miss Mandy—Toddler III News

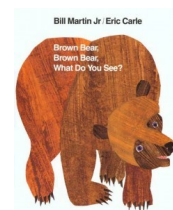
Wow, it's June already! We have a lot going on in Todds 3! Three birthdays this month—Happy 3rd Birthday to Jet, Jackson and Diem! I can still remember when a couple of you were in the baby room—time is just moving way too fast! Hope you all have a great birthday!! Also in June we wish our daddies a Happy Father's Day!

We are going to start off week one of June with Ice Cream Week. We're going to learn how ice cream is made and do lots of fun art projects. We are even going to make our own ice cream cones and have fun eating them!

Next, we will focus on a Summer theme. Hopefully, the weather will be "summery" so we can participate in more outside activities. We will then move onto our Dads week, making Dad a great gift. For Flag Day on Jun 14, please dress your child in red, white and blue as we will be discussing Flag Day (social studies). The next week, we'll imagine we are at the ocean!

The last week of June, we will talk about the 4th of July and our independence (social studies). We will be making our own fireworks and 4th of July streamers.

Our student of the month will be Lucy S. Lucy is quite a character, she is very sweet and loves playing outside and with the baby dolls. Way to go Lucy!!



Miss Jamee— Preschool 3's

HELLO JUNE! HELLO SUMMER! I AM VERY EXCITED FOR SUMMER FUN WITH THE PRESCHOOL KIDDOS! WE WILL KICK OFF THE MONTH DISCUSSING EVERYONE'S FAVORITE SUMMER ACTIVITY—CAMPING! THE CAMPING THEME IS A BLAST FOR THE KIDS, BECAUSE WE DO IT ALL; FROM DRAMATIC PLAY WITH A TENT AND CAMPFIRE, TO CREATIVE COOKING WHILE MAKING OUR OWN DELICIOUS S'MORES!

THE KIDS WILL THEN TRANSITION TO COVERING OTHER FUN SUMMER TOPICS SUCH AS BEACH DAYS, SUMMER CLOTHING, BIKING, PICNICS ETC. THE KIDS WILL ENJOY MORE SAND AND WATER PLAY IN THE CLASSROOM AS WELL AS OUTSIDE.

OF COURSE, WE WILL SPEND TIME TALKING ABOUT FATHER'S DAY. WE WILL MAKE FATHER'S DAY CRAFTS IN THE CLASS AND THE KIDS WILL SHARE INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT THEIR DADS WITH ALL OF THEIR CLASSROOM FRIENDS.

WE WILL FINISH THE MONTH WITH ALL THINGS ERIC CARLE! EVERY DAY, WE WILL EXPLORE ONE OF HIS WIDELY POPULAR BOOKS AND USE IT TO FOSTER FUN, CREATIVE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR US. FROM LEARNING TO GROUP AND DAYS OF THE WEEK WITH THE HUNGRY CATERPILLAR TO EXPLORING DIFFERENT ANIMALS AND SOUNDS WITH BROWN BEAR, BROWN BEAR. WE WILL ALSO PLAY AN ERIC CARLE ABC BOARD GAME WHERE THE KIDS WILL WORK ON THEIR UPPERCASE AND LOWERCASE LETTER RECOGNITION.

WE ARE STEADILY MEETING OUR SPRING GOALS. A LOT OF MY FRIENDS ARE DOING A MUCH BETTER JOB AT TRYING TO WRITE THEIR NAMES AND TRACING! WE ARE ALSO, AS A CLASS, PERFECTING HOLDING SCISSORS AND CUTTING WITH ACCURACY. WE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK ON THESE GOALS MOVING FORWARD.

OUR STUDENT OF THE MONTH FOR JUNE IS LEO M.! LEO IS WORKING REALLY HARD AT WRITING HIS NAME, AND IS STARTING TO DO THINGS INDEPENDENTLY. LEO LOVES PLAYING OUTSIDE AND HELPING HIS MOM SERVE LUNCH.



MISS ADRIANNA—PRESCHOOL 4'S

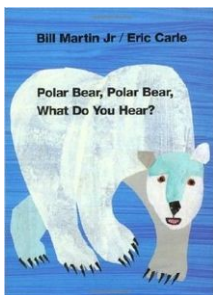
As you may have already learned by reading page one of the newsletter, Miss Brittany has been promoted to assistant administrator! She assisted in training her replacement, and we are happy to welcome Miss Adri as our new preschool II teacher! Miss Adri has a strong background in art education, and is excited to put her own unique style into the preschool world.

This month, we will focus on one of our favorite children's authors—Eric Carle. We will be reading all of our favorite Eric Carle books: "The Very Hungry Caterpillar", "The Very Lonely Firefly", "The Tiny Seed" and of course, "Polar Bear Polar Bear What Do You Hear". We are hoping to explore some of the art in Mr. Carle's book and apply it to some of our June projects.

We are also excited to be having a picnic at school on June 11th! Rain or shine, we get to pack our own lunches (with no peanuts or peanut products of course!) and we get to eat with our friends picnic style—super cool!

On June 25th, our schoolage friends will be hosting a center wide field day for everyone so that's bound to be a good time.

A big happy birthday goes out to Gavin O. this month—the big 4!! Gavin will also be our student of the month for June. He is a very sweet little guy, who has a huge propensity for playing hockey (of all things). Gavin is a great skater and recently scored 4 goals all on his own! Sounds like a future Walleye player! Way to go Gavin!



Miss Sarah—Pre K I News

IT IS JUNE IN THE PRE K ROOM, AND IT'S FINALLY STARTING TO WARM UP. WE REALLY ENJOY PLAYING OUTSIDE AS OFTEN AS POSSIBLE. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS WEATHER APPROPRIATE CLOTHING AND AT LEAST ONE COMPLETE CHANGE OF CLOTHING IN THEIR CUBBIE BASKET. THIS MONTH, WE WILL BE FOCUSING ON THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

JUNE 1—4: AUTHOR OF THE MONTH—ERIC CARLE WEEK

JUNE 7—11: CHINA WEEK

JUNE 11: CENTER WIDE PICNIC DAY

JUNE 14: FLAG DAY

JUNE 15—18: FATHER'S DAY WEEK

JUNE 16: SCHOOLAGE BAKE SALE

JUNE 21—25: BUG WEEK

JUNE 28—JULY 2: RED WHITE AND BLUE WEEK

THE LETTERS OF THE MONTH ARE Q AND H, SHAPE IS AN ARROW, COLOR OF THE MONTH IS TEAL, AUTHOR OF THE MONTH IS ERIC CARLE. THE COUNTRY OF THE MONTH IS CHINA. THE NUMBER IS 17. OUR STUDENT OF THE MONTH WILL BE MAKAYLA! CONGRATS MAKAYLA KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!



Miss Elaine's Pre K News

Welcome to the month of June! Summer will finally be here soon! This month, we will focus on the author of the month, Eric Carle, with a variety of fun learning activities that are associated with the many stories by Eric Carle.

As we begin to read his stories, we will learn about how he creates the images of the pictures along with bright colors. Eric Carle also uses science and nature to create his stories with one of our class's favorite book, "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" along with "Little Cloud", "Papa Please Get the Moon For Me", and "A House for Hermit Crab". We will also review our Math skills with counting forward and backward with the books "10 Little Rubber Ducks" and "Rooster's Off To See The World". Eric Carle also teaches us about our social/emotional skills with feelings with the stories of "The Mixed Up Chameleon", "The Grouchy Ladybug" and "The Very Lonely Firefly".

The week of June 14th, the children will be making a special Father's Day gift for that special DAD in their lives.

As the month of May ends and June begins the 2021 graduating class will start to prepare for more challenging learning experiences to help transition them into the formative school years. I wish all the graduates the best of luck in kindergarten.

The student of the month for June is Nevaeh! Nevaeh is the fashionista of the Pre K room! She enjoys playing in the dramatic play area with the kitchen and babies. She also likes building with the magnetic tiles.

Happy Father's Day!

-Miss Elaine



****June Points of Focus****

Letters of the Month: Q and H

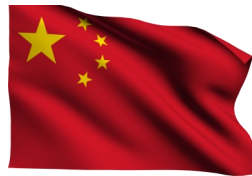
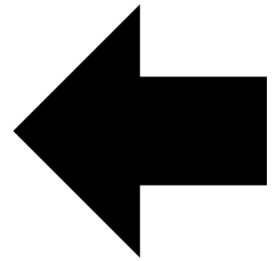
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Miss Vanessa's Schoolage News

Hello to all returning friends and new friends here at Little Village! I am so excited for this summer and all the fun things we have planned for our School-Age Summer Program! From zoo trips to Zumba classes and to our annual summer bake sale. This summer will be filled with stimulating activities that will enrich the minds and body. Our friends will also be partnering with the public library for the summer reading program! Kids may bring books from home as well use the books we have here at Little Village to complete the reading program. We will be going to parks and having picnics with our friends and getting to get some summer sun and fun! Our special county of the month for June is China and we will be exploring the beautiful culture that it has to offer. This month is going to be packed full of thrilling activities and make sure to bring their bathing suits for some water fun with our sprinklers.

