



# Edgewater News



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## DATES TO REMEMBER

### School Closed



School will be **CLOSED, Wednesday July 4th**, in honor of Independence Day.

### Splash Days

We will begin incorporating splash days into our summer curriculum. On the designated splash days, please send your child to school with their bathing suit under their clothes, a towel, and **don't forget to apply Sunscreen!**

Pixies, Sprites & Munchkins = Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup>

Pixies, Chipmunks & Muskrats = Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> and Thursday the 19<sup>th</sup>

## TRANSITIONS

As you know, it is time for some children to start transitioning into the next classroom. Visiting allows for a slow and easy transition. Visiting and transitions may vary based on the needs of the child. Some of the younger children may remain with their current classroom and some may require longer transition periods. After transitions are complete, the children's cubbies will be moved to their new classroom, and their sign-in sheets will be moved to the appropriate classroom folder. Children who will be transitioning to the next classroom will be in their new classes by September.

## VACATIONS

With summer upon us, some of the staff will be taking a much deserved time off for vacation.

\*Lindsay out July 26<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>

\*Gersonita out July 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>

Do you have any vacations planned? We know things can get a little relaxed and at the same time hectic during the summer, so please remember to let us know ahead of time about planned days off. Knowing this will help us grant some families' requests for extra days; and time off for staff. You can stop by the office send an email informing us of any planned days off.



## LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

You may have noticed our "Little Free Library" right in front of the school walkway. The concept is easy: "Take a Book, Return a Book." We hope you and the community enjoy it! This is an effort to encourage and support the love of reading. These books can be for both children and adults, and we are currently in need of both kinds to fill our library! *Please remember, these books are not for the school; they are for you to enjoy at home.*

## CURRICULUM

This month we will have special outdoor activities for the children, including carnival week, camping, prehistoric, and sports/movement week, filled with games and themed activities including Splash days. The children will be exposed to a variety of science concepts when playing with water and creating giant bubbles!

**\*Attached you will find our July Summer Fun Curriculum with all the activities scheduled this month.**

## REMINDERS

\* The sun is getting hot! Don't forget to apply sunscreen on your child in the morning before leaving the house. Please see the office if you would like

a copy of our sunscreen policy.

\*Children go outside each day. Please, check to see that your child's "extra clothes" are weather appropriate. Borrowed items must be washed and returned promptly.

\* Core children must be picked up by 3:00pm. If your child attends any time after 3:05, it will be considered "extra hours," See parent handbook for associated fees.

## THANK YOU!

Due to your referrals and good words regarding our school, we have been able to keep enrollment to capacity, and we have a long waiting list in all preschool classrooms. Unfortunately, many families will not be able to get in for the next school year. We would love to be able to expand our program to accommodate everyone, so if you know of a building appropriate for a preschool or a great realtor, please let us know!



## LOOKING INTO AUGUST

**\*Back to School Night = Thursday, August 30<sup>th</sup>**