Newsletter August 2022

Program Director's Corner

July was an exciting month just loaded with water play, sunny days and fun here at The CDC. Both of our summer camp and our child care classrooms have been enjoying this summer! Snocones from Aloha Snow have helped! Thanks to all who have participated! We hope your families have been able to enjoy the summer - despite all the heat July brought with it. Whatever you did/do in the remaining weeks, we hope your family it is wonderful, too! We will soon be ushering in the new school

A new budget (and new tuition rates) will be approved this month in preparation for September 1st—BOLO! As well as center wide transitions are going to be happening the week of 8/15/22, our teachers have already started to prepare for this and the upcoming year. They are very excited about getting to work with the transitioning children. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out—Let's make the 2022-2023 year the best yet! We are so excited!

year—as it is just around the corner.

Your Administration Team, Ms. Carman & Ms. Kim

Save the Date

• Water Days Until 8/12/22

Mon.—Snail

Tues.— Cricket &

Grasshopper

Wed.—Inchworm

Thurs.—Infant Rooms

Fri. — Dragonfly/Butterfly

- August 5th—Spirit Day
 Pajamas or Mismatch
- August 12th—Spirit Day—Sunglasses Day, Last day of Summer Session
- August 15th—Fall Session at The CDC Begins , Full Day SACC available until 8/23/22
- August 19th Spirit
 Day—Twin Day
- August 22nd—First Day of School Eastern York
- August 24th—First Day of School for CYSD
- August 25th—First Day of School for YSSD
- August 26th—Spirit
 Day Favorite Cartoon
 Character Day



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CONSIDER JOINING OUR PPC!

The Parent Partnership Committee—
Meetings will resume in September. If
you're interested, check out the blurb on the next
page, or please speak with/email us! We would be
glad to have you—ALL are welcome!







Parent Partnership Committee

ent Partnership Committee (also known as the PPC) wants to engage our families in events/opportunities/fundraisers to get to know one another and both build/strengthen community. Members of the PPC help to run/plan fun events to get everyone more involved around the center—to make it the best place ever! We welcome you to participate and be involved as you are able. If you are interested in joining the partnership please contact Ms. Carman or Ms. Kim. Meetings will resume this September 2022 – May 2023, and are held in person in the evening, more information to come!!!

Top Talent Teachers

The CDC prides itself on having a team of teachers composed of the top local talent. Thank you again, teachers for your time, dedication and patience. We are all so very grateful for you and what you continue to do for the children.



During the month of July we had <u>5</u> staff members nominated for ToTM by parents/colleagues! A special note of Thanks & Congratulations to all our stupendous honorable mention/nominees — YOU ROCK! (Those nominees were: Ms. Anne, Ms. Jennifer, Ms. Vicky & Ms. Jackie.

The outstanding team member and winner of this month's Teacher of the Month title is Ms. XXXX! She has been recognized for her passion, patience and dedication to the children in her class and our center. the Dragonfly classroom. Ms. XXX has become a staple to our center, and we're so grateful

as she is wonderful & has a
terrific smile to share with
you! Ms. XXX—your team,
the parents, your
classroom...the whole center
appreciates you and your

contributions to our program. We celebrate you and all you do! Congratulations, to you, our August 2022 "CDC Teacher of the Month!!"









Can you believe it? Summer is almost over and we will all be in "back to school" mode. Time flies by way too quickly! Here at the Child Development Center, we are busy planning for Fall and Fall Session.

Teachers are gearing up for the new friends who will be joining their classrooms—during this time there will not be the customary 2 week transition process, as a majority of the children moving will do so together. There will be introductions to the new room/teachers prior, however, the move will be done as a large group—all at once to make it easier on the children so that new lessons to be taught. The team is ready to greet those little smilling faces. It is always exciting to start a new school year and to kick off Fall Session—we can all hardly wait. FYI—a budget has been proposed, and New Fall rates will be decided on by the Board sometime very soon, please look for the correspondence via email.

Heading into end of the summer months we wanted to remind you of a few important Center wide policies...

- If you need to make a program change please be sure to provide the center administration with written communication at least <u>2 weeks in advance</u>. This applies to schedule changes as well as any disenrollment notifications.
- Both administration and the classroom teachers would like to kindly ask that families arrive prior to 9AM and the start of our day any arrivals after 9 AM without prior notice (Appointments with note from Dr, etc.) may result in your child being turned away. After breakfast the children begin to transition into their day and the classroom's morning activities (center time learning activities, water play, morning meetings, etc.) having unexpected late arrivals disrupts the entire classroom and the learning taking place. We thank you in advance for your understanding and respect of all classroom learners.
- Lastly, please ensure that your child's toys and personal belongings remain at home
 while they are here at the Center. Not only can these become a distraction from
 the day, not to mention we want to prevent misplacement and/or to prevent
 having special items accidentally being broken.

Share your positive moments!

Do you positive you want to our staff/ so, we want want others hear/share



have any moments share about program? If (and we looking) to them! Send

us an email, leave a comment on our Facebook Page or if we really did well, PLEASE leave us a review! (Google, Yelp, etc...) You can try these fun songs out at home.

August

Sung to the tune: I Love You, You Love Me

A-U-G-U-S-T

31 days for you and me Warm, Sunny days and back to school we go.

August is the 8th Month, Whoa-Hooray!!! Oh Mister Sun, Sun, Mister Golden Sun, Please shine down on mel

Oh Mister Sun, Sun, Mister Golden Sun, Hiding behind a tree...

These little children Are asking you To please come out So we can play with you

Oh Mister Sun, Sun, Mister Golden Sun, Please shine down on me!





CURRICULUM CORNER

The children will be exploring the following units throughout all of August:

Infants/Young Toddlers— All about me

**Our Infant plans are individualized for the needs of each specific child

Toddlers & Twos — Getting to know you/All about me/Back to School

Preschool & Pre-K— All about me/Getting to know

you/Back to School

Summer Camp Themes— August's Themes

Week 9: Decade Day **Week 10: Closing Activities**

School Resumes: Aug. 22-24-25th* ** Each classroom will have their weekly lesson plan is available for you to request. This can help families to be in the know, and be conversation starters at home, as well as be a means of reinforcing what we are working on



Happy Birthday, to all the August Babies! Arianna—8/1 Emelia & Milah—8/28

Cashlynn—8/4

Liam & Cora—8/11

Shaina—8/20

Riley & Mila—8/21

Madison—8/31

And if your birthday is in

August and we miss you.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

Happy Anniversary!

Ms. Hailey — August 1st

Ms. Meg — August 13th 4 Years

Ms. Carman — August 19th 3 Years

Ms. Jessica — August 30th 1

Ms. Vicky-August 30th

We appreciate & Thank you!!

