

April 2018 Discover and Share Newsletter

From the Director

Spring is in the air and new life is all around us. We are so looking forward to all the amazing activities we have planned this month. We would also like to remind all families that we do safety drills monthly and so should you. With spring often comes turbulent weather. Do you have an action plan in place? Rest assured we do. Share with your children so they too can be prepared.

I just wanted to touch base on tuition fees. We bill on Fridays for a Monday due date. Tuition is due no later than Tuesdays close of business. If it has not been received your account will be charged a \$15 fee. If you fail to communicate with us regarding the delay, on Thursday of that week we reserve the right to not allow your child to remain with us until your account is in good standings.



LITTLES CHEF'S FRIDAY, APRIL 6TH

We will be planting seeds!!! Your little one will be mixing up chocolate pudding for the soil and planting mini M & M's for our seeds. You can imagine what their little faces will look like!!!

FRIDAY, APRIL 20TH

We will be making Bright Butterflies!!! The children will cut a pineapple slice in half for the wings, cut a large pretzel stick in half for the body, scoop lemon yogurt into the half circles and decorate with sprinkles to make a one of a kind Butterfly!!!

Parking Lot

Our parking lot has become very busy! We would like to remind everyone that children are not very patient and want to come in or exit at a high rate of speed. **Please, please be careful and SLOW.** Enter our parking lot from south and exit to the north. Please park within the lines.

Calendar of Events

Mr. David Puppets and Music Show

4/11 and 4/25

Art Appreciation

Tuesdays

DS Little Chefs

4/6 and 4/20

Spanish

Thursdays

Group Keyboards

Wednesdays



Up Coming Events

Breakfast with Mom on Friday, May 11th from 7:30-9:00 am. Mothers or any other special person may join their child/ren for breakfast.

Mark your calendar for May 25th for the big event of the year, our annual Jr. K graduation!!!

Gardening Week April 2-6

The children will be learning all about the bounty and beauty of gardening. They will be sprouting beans in bags, growing grass on sponges and learning about the parts of the plants. We will bring color into our rooms with beautiful paintings, finger print flowers and sensory bottles galore. Our biggest experience will be working in our new raised flower beds on our School Age playground. We will plant flower seeds in one and rosemary, mint, lettuce and radishes in the other. Each class will take turns to weed, water and harvest!!!

Bugs and Butterflies April 9-13

This week we will learn all about the creepy crawler as well as the difference of a moth and butterfly. The sensory bins will be filled with grass (shredded paper) and bugs galore, magnifying glasses, tweezers and bug catchers. We will watch caterpillars turn into cocoons and surprise us with butterflies. Oh, the magic of nature!



Week of the Young Child April 16-20

What a week we have planned!!!

Monday- Music day where we will sign and show off our dance moves. Be on the lookout for videos on FB.

Tuesday- Fitness day where we will be starting a new trend of movement on the playground as well as the classroom.

Wednesday-Working together with math and science activities.

Thursday- Artsy! Time to think, problem solve and create something new.

Friday- Family! Why yours is special.

Our Earth Week April 23-27

To a child, our Earth is Texas. This week the children will learn about what helps and hurts our Earth. We learn to recycle in our classrooms to reduce our footprint on Earth. We will be creating villages and robots with recyclables we collect during the week and what we can have brought in!!! So look around and if you have that something you think will look good in our creations please bring it in!!!

Happy Birthday!

Havish J.	4/7
Lucas R.	4/15
Arjun P.	4/20
Maryam A.	4/24
Daxton J.	4/24
Olivia J.	4/25
Andrew F.	4/26



What the Teachers
want you to help
with.....

Please **do not allow** your child to bring in toys with them. Things get taken, broken or just cause a disruption in the classroom.

Please bring in a change or two of clothing for your child. That includes underwear, socks and extra shoes for ALL AGES. **We will charge your account \$3 for new clean underwear.**

Nap time blankets need to be no more than the size of your child (approximately 48"x30").

