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This Month at a Glance

With the start of summer coming this month, we will be toning down on our preschool themes and spend as much time as we can playing outside. The children will have access outside to a writing, art and reading center's outside, so they are able to continue to draw, paint and read if they would like to. I also have a table we set up outside for any art activities I would like to do during the summer.

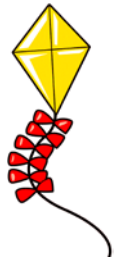
I will be taking July and August off from monthly newsletters. Newsletters will start up again in September.

If there is anything you need to know, I will post it on the bulletin board.

Please note that child care is closed on Friday June 17th.

~June Special Days~

- Dairy Month
- Great Outdoors Month
- Potty Training Awareness Month



June 1	Noah's Birthday
June 5	National Gingerbread Day
June 6	National Yo-Yo Day
June 10	Ball Point Pen Day
June 13	Weed Your Garden Day
June 14	Flag Day
June 15	Fly a Kite Day Power of a Smile Day
June 16	National Fudge Day
June 17	Child Care Closed Eat Your Vegetables Day
June 18	International Picnic Day
June 19	Father's Day
June 20	Ice Cream Soda Day
June 21	First Day of Summer
June 23	National Pink Day
June 26	Sue's Birthday
June 29	Camera Day

“IF YOU CAN READ THIS, THANK
A TEACHER.”

- ANONYMOUS TEACHER

Father's Day Fun Facts



Father's Day is one of the most awaited holidays in the world. It represents the day when we tell our dad how much he means to us and how lucky we are, to have him in our life.

Though you don't need a special occasion to convey all this to him, telling it on Father's Day can make your daddy feel all the more special. While all of us know that Father's Day is a day dedicated to dads across the world, not many people are aware of the

fact that it originated in the United States of America, that too owing to the efforts of Sonora Smart Dodd. Apart from this, there are many other interesting facts related to Father's Day, almost all of which have been listed in the lines below. Go through them and increase your knowledge about the special day!

Interesting Trivia On Father Day

- In most of the countries around the world, like USA, UK, India, Canada, China, France, Greece, Japan and even Hong Kong, Father's Day is celebrated on the third Sunday of June.
- In Australia, the first Sunday of September is observed as Father's Day, while Finnish people celebrate the festival on the second Sunday of November. In Thailand, 5th December is observed as Father's Day every year.
- The person credited for inventing the concept of Father's Day is Mrs. Sonora Smart Dodd, an American whose father had raised his six children single-handedly.
- Father's Day originated in America. The first Father's Day celebration (unofficial) was held in Spokane, Washington, on 19th June 1910.
- One of the most common gifts associated with Father's Day comprises of a necktie, followed by flowers.
- Rose is the official flower for Father's Day. Wearing a red rose signifies a living father, while white one represents deceased father.
- Greeting cards make up the number one gift item on the occasion of Father's Day.
- It has been estimated that more than one-third of the cards sold on Father's Day are funny in nature.



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National Accreditation Observation

During the month of June, I will be having my National Accreditation Observation. This will happen without no notice. They will arrive one day in the morning and will observe Sue and myself for 4 - 5 hours.

Currently in the state of MN, there are 13 accredited providers. To read about what National Accreditation means, you can visit <http://nafcc.org/>

Quick Notes

~ **Bath Suits.** I would like to have a bathing suit/trunks and a towel brought and left at child care for your child/ren. This will give us the opportunity to do water play when the days are nice.

~ **Sun Screen.** I am asking parents to apply sun screen to their child/ren in the morning before they come to child care. You can also supply sun screen to be kept in your child/rens bin, and I will apply to the children in the afternoon.



Special Days for Summer

- June 1st - Noah's Birthday
- June 17 - Child Care Closed
- June 26 - Sue's Birthday
- July 1 - Child Care Closed
- July 2 - Henry's Birthday
- July 4 - Independence Day - Child Care Closed
- July 22 - Dominic's Birthday
- August 5 - Malachi's Birthday
- August 19 - Child Care Closed



Just a quick note of special days during the summer. Please note the days that child care is closed.

Please mark these days on your calendar. I will also post a reminder on the dry eraser board in the entrance.