



Dates Closed in 2019



Thursday July 4th, Indep. Day	Friday August 16th, Training Day	Monday September 2nd, Labor Day	Friday October 11th Training Day	Thursday November 28th, Thanksgiving Day	Wednesday December 25th, Christmas Day
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Thank you to all the families that participated in the parent survey. Later this week the results will be shared, look for that in your child's cubby.



Also a letter went home in May regarding a second day the center will be closed for professional development please note on Friday, August 16th **AND** Friday, October 11th the center will be closed for staff to be able to attend the Striver's Reading Literacy Grant training with Fargo Public Schools, Head Start and NDSU's Center for Child Development. If you missed your copy of the letter and would like one just notify Linda and a copy will be provided to you. Isakrismo@ywcacassclay.org



FYI The rooms have direct phone lines. Please still use Brightwheel but when a phone call is necessary please feel free to call:



- Infants: 478-2252
- Toddlers: 478-2253
- 2's: 478-2254
- 3's: 478-2255
- Preschool: 478-2256
- PreK: 478-2257
- School Age 478-2258

Please remember the rooms may be outside or busy within the room where stepping away to answer your call may be a safety concern. Please leave a voicemail and a teacher will contact you when available or call the center line at 298-8047.

Infant Room



As the weather gets hotter and the sun stays out longer and you want to be outside as much as possible don't forget the sunscreen for you and your child!

Sun Safety for Babies Under 6 Months

Babies under 6 months should be kept out of direct sunlight. Move your baby to the shade under a tree, umbrella or stroller canopy. Dress babies in lightweight clothing that covers the arms and legs and use brimmed hats that shade the neck to prevent sunburn. When adequate clothing and shade are not available, parents can apply a minimal amount of sunscreen with at least 30 SPF on infants under 6 months to small areas, such as the infant's face and the back of the hands. *Remember it takes 30 minutes to be effective.*

Sun Safety for Kids

The best line of defense against harmful ultraviolet radiation exposure is covering up. Stay in the shade whenever possible, and limit sun exposure during the peak intensity hours (between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.) Select clothes made of tightly woven fabrics. Cotton clothing is both cool and protective. Try to find a wide-brimmed hat that can shade the cheeks, chin, ears and back of the neck. Sunglasses with UV protection are also a good idea for protecting your child's eyes. Apply sunscreen with an SPF 30 or greater to areas of your child's skin that aren't covered by clothing. Before applying, test the sunscreen on your child's back for an allergic reaction. Be sure to apply enough sunscreen. Reapply sunscreen every *two hours*, or after swimming or sweating. If your child gets sunburn that results in blistering, pain or fever, contact your pediatrician.

Happy 1st Birthday to Henry (June 10th) and Layla (June 27th)! We say goodbye to Layla as she moves on over to the Toddler Room! A big welcome to Promise who joined the Infant room this month! Miss Brenda & Miss Samantha

Toddler Room



The toddlers did a great job making it through this long winter and welcoming the summer in style. We are more than excited to be outside discovering new sounds, smells, and testing our ability to climb and run. We have lots planned for the month of June as our toddlers will be celebrating their very merry Unbirthday! That's Right! This month's theme is Alice in Wonderland. In honor of this month's theme: we will be having a tea party on June 17th. This is a time for parents to come and have snack with their child. Invites coming soon!

Thank you: Unfortunately one of our slides did not make it through the rough winter. We want to give a huge shout out to Elijah's family for donating our new slide. We also are so thankful to Max's family for the outside toys and bubbles. Thanks to Clay's family for more bubbles. Thanks for your generosity!

Reminders: It is starting to get hot in the afternoon but cooler in the mornings. Please restock your child's cubby with: 2 Shorts, 2 T-shirts, 1 pair pants, 1 light jacket, 1 pair socks, swim suit, swimmer diapers and a towel. Optional: sun hats. We may be going on walks when the playground is wet in the morning. Yalonda's phone number will be posted. If arriving after 9:30am please put sunscreen on your child as it takes 30 min before sunblock is effective and our walks will start at 9:30.

Hello and Goodbye: Welcoming Anuva, Avery, Micah, and Layla to our classroom this month! We are so excited to get to know so many new friends. There will be lots to learn and to teach as we explore the world together. We are sad to say goodbye to Connor and Emma. Connor will be expanding his skills in two's room and we know he's going to be so excited to play with his besties again. Emma is leaving the center and we wish her the best.

Activity: Go for a walk and make it an educational tool for your child's development. Talk about colors, smells, sounds, objects, and animals that you see. They are fascinated with the world and learning all the new things that you see in summer.



Miss Yalonda & Miss Kim

Two's

The twos had a great time making mother's day gifts for their mom's , we might've gotten paint all over our teachers but it was a great time. The two's have enjoyed having picnics outside for snack, they really love watching the airplanes go by and listening to the dogs bark. We have enjoyed going on walks around the block, pushing trucks in the sand, painting on paper outside, coloring on the chalk board, helping to water the garden, coloring with markers, and running on the grass pretending to be animals. The two's can't wait for a little more warmer weather so we can bring out the sprinkler, play in the water tables and with spray bottles.

Hellos and Goodbyes

The Twos are sad to say goodbye to Kate & Maverick, but know they will do great in the 3's room. We would like to welcome Connor & Maliyah to the Twos room!

Birthday

We would like to wish Edison a Happy 2nd Birthday on June 26th!

Activity



Newspaper art: The twos love ripping, coloring or painting on paper so we give the children newspaper and they can rip, color or paint. Supplies needed: Old news paper, Pain, Makers, crayons, pens, Glue, If the children are ripping with their hands just make to wash with soap and water afterwards to remove the ink.

Miss Crystal, Ms. Danielle, Miss. Jen and the Terrific Twos

Three's

Hello ladies and gents! The 3's are so excited that the weather is FINALLY working in our favor to be outside all day long! We've been busy digging in dirt, sand and playing in the grass. Along with that we plan to do much of our art and fun activities outside. So you may see the art collections start to get less over the next couple months. This next month we have tons of fun dressing up days coming up, wacky outfit day, hat day and the all time favorite PJ day! Keep a look out for your parent calendars.

Just a friendly reminder with the weather warming up, if you would like your child to have a sun hat feel free to bring one. Also with the warmer weather comes the fun experience of water play. So if you could also bring a Swim suit, Swim shoes/extra shoes that can get wet and a towel.

Happy Birthday: Big Happy birthday to Samuel he'll be turning 3 on the 6th this month!

Hello and Goodbyes: This month we will be saying good bye to Caverro and Logan. We will miss you soo much, but we'll see you on the other side of the fence as they go up to Preschool. We would like to welcome both Kate and Maverick to the classroom! We can not wait to see how much you both grow and learn while in our classroom!

We would like to take this moment and welcome Miss Kayci in our classroom officialy! We are SOOOO happy to have her join our crazy group and she is so excited to be with us! Feel free to introduce yourself if you have a chance.

Activity: A fun activity that will keep the kids busy is spending as much time as you can outside in these warm months. Going to the parks and even catching a Redhawks game is a fun filled activity for everyone to enjoy!

Ta Ta for now Miss Megan, Miss Meggi and Ms Kayci



Preschool Room

Yay for warmer weather! We have been enjoying the warmer temps and getting as much outdoor playtime as we can. The kids have really been enjoying being scientists and digging for worms and bugs. We will soon be able to enjoy water play outside as the temps get warmer.

There will be a water play note going out soon!

This month's themes will be Community helpers, in which we will discuss all the wonderful people that work in our community and how they help make our communities great. Next will be a week on Fathers, we will be working on something special for all the dads. Then we will spend a week on Bugs and Insects, the kids will surely love to explore and pretend to be scientists. Finally we will go to Space, learning about our solar system and planets and all the types of space equipment. It will definitely be a fun filled month!



Birthdays: Lilly 3rd, Titus 27th

Welcome: We welcome Cavero and Logan from the 3's room! We look forward to getting to know them and their families.

Family Activity: Have a family outing to a local park and let your child climb and put those gross motor skills to use or visit the local zoo and see all the wonderful animals and have a learning experience together learning about the different kinds of animals we have.



Ms. Stacy and Ms. Katie

Pre-K Room

Here comes summer! June brings the hope of warm weather and outside fun. In the month of June we will be welcoming Apollo, Kylah, Isla and Skye from Pre-school as well as saying goodbye to Trenton, Colton and Roxie.

We will be exploring gardening and seeds. We hope to get some plants growing in our gardens on the playground, also we will be celebrating our fathers on fathers day.



Please share with us a family photo to put on our closet door. We like to look at them.

Please make sure that you have a swimsuit, towel, and swim shoes ready for water play on those really hot days. Also, extra clothes will be helpful too.

Please let us know what date and time will work for a parent teacher conference if we have not met yet.

Birthdays this month.

On June 11 Leif will celebrate his 5th birthday.

Parent/child activities.

Using active listening with your child lets him know that his feelings are being understood, even if he/she can't verbalize them. When your child displays a strong emotion active listening teaches him/her language that will help him/her eventually verbalize their feelings. When your child displays a strong emotion get down to their level. Make eye contact and a gentle touch to let him/her that you are listening. If your child doesn't verbalize his/her feelings give them words to use by describing what you see. If they do give a verbal response repeat what he/she said.

Ms. Pam and Ms. Amanda

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2	<p>3</p> <p>B- Cereal Fruit, Milk L- Lij smokies, Scal- loped pot., Pears, Bread, Milk S- Ritz Crackers, Cheese Slice, Water</p>	<p>4</p> <p>B-Eng Muffin, Fruit, Milk L- Sloppy Joe , Boiled potatoes, applesauce, Milk S-Whole Wheat Bun , jelly, fruit, water</p>	<p>5</p> <p>B-Pancakes , fruit, milk L--Chicken Stir Fry, Oriental Veggies, Fresh fruit, Brown Rice , Milk S- Turkey and Saltines, Water</p>	<p>6</p> <p>B- Biscuit ,Fruit, Milk L- Cheese Pizza, Carrots, Pineapple, Milk S-Animal crackers, fruit, water</p>	<p>7</p> <p>B-Cheese Omelet, Fruit, milk L- Fish nuggets, Broc- coli, Bread Slice, Man. oranges, Milk S- Whole Wheat Eng. Muffin Cream Cheese, 100% Juice</p>	8
9	<p>10</p> <p>B- Cereal Fruit, Milk L- Beef Hot dogs, Bun Baked beans, Fruit cocktail, Ketchup, Milk S-Graham crackers, fruit, water</p>	<p>11</p> <p>B- Cinn. Tst, Fruit, Milk L- Tator Tot Hotdish, Gr. beans, Bread Slice Peaches, milk S- Cheddar biscuits 100% juice</p>	<p>12</p> <p>B- Muffins Fruit, Milk L-French tst Sticks , Turkey sausage, Hash browns, Peaches, milk S- Cottage Cheese & Pretzels, Water</p>	<p>13</p> <p>B-Waffles,Fruit, Milk L- White Turkey Chili, Cornbread, Man. or- anges, Milk S- Goldfish, Fresh Broccoli, Ranch, Water</p>	<p>14</p> <p>B- English Muffin fruit, milk L- Bean and Cheese Enchiladas,grapes, Broccoli, milk S- Chex mix, fruit, water</p>	15
16	<p>17</p> <p>B- Cereal , Fruit, Milk L- Mini Chicken Corn- dogs , Baked Beans, Pears, Milk S- animal crackers, pineapple, water</p>	<p>18</p> <p>B- English Muffin, Fruit, Milk L- Turkey ala King, noodles, mixed veg- gies, fruit cocktail, milk S- Cheese Slice, Salti- nes, water</p>	<p>19</p> <p>B- French Toast Sticks, fruit, milk L- Soft Taco, Tortilla , baby carrots, Mandarin Oranges, Milk S- Cheez-Its, 100% Juice</p>	<p>20</p> <p>B- Biscuit, Fruit, Milk L- Spaghetti & Meat Sauce, Corn, Pineap- ple, Milk S- Carrots, Ranch, Oyster crackers, Water</p>	<p>21</p> <p>B-Cheese Omelet, Fruit, milk L- Fish Sandwich Bun , Peas, Ap- plesauce, milk S- Banana Muffin, fruit, Water</p>	22
23	<p>24</p> <p>B- Cereal, Fruit, Milk L- Chicken Alfredo, Cooked carrots, tropi- cal fruit, Milk S- Trail mix, 100% Juice</p>	<p>25</p> <p>B-Jelly Toast, Fruit, Milk L-Meatballs & Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Pineapple, Bun, Milk S- Broccoli, pretzels, Water</p>	<p>26</p> <p>B-Pancakes, Fruit, Milk L-Taco Casserole, Lettuce, Fruit Cocktail, Milk S-Yogurt and Granola, Water</p>	<p>27</p> <p>B- Muffin, Fruit, Milk L-Chicken Strips, Ric, beets, applesauce, milk S- Ritz, Oranges, Wa- ter</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Cereal Fruit, Milk L- Grilled Cheese , apple slice, corn, Milk S- Tortilla, Cheese Slice, Water</p>	29
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