



## May Newsletter

**Tumbleweeds:** April was such an eventful month. We learned about Easter, Earthday, and Spring. We are thrilled to jump into May and learn about transportation. We are also going to work more on tummy time, handling our own bottles, and turning pages in books. We would like to welcome our new friend, Rooney! She is 2 months old and is so excited to be here. Happy May everyone! ~ Miss Cyndi, Miss Paola, Miss Summer, & Miss Amy

**Bluebirds:** We learned all about Spring in April! Flowers, rain, and gardening! It was so much fun! In May we are going to be talking all about transportation! We will be really focused on cars, trains, bikes, and most importantly our feet! We are so excited about the weather warming up! With warmer weather comes harsher UV rays. We will be providing and applying sunblock to all the students. However if you would like to provide your own sunblock you are welcome to do so, just make sure to fill out a Topical Products Consent Form up front with Carrie or Brittina. ~ Miss Amberly Miss Yavelly Miss Erika & Miss Celeste

**Wolves:** Hello Wolves parents! Wolves have been learning so much this April! We learned all about butterflies and caterpillars! We now have 4 butterflies in our classroom our kiddos have been caring for. Wolves also are growing their own grass and are learning all about gardening. We have a few changes in the wolves, Miss Erika is now part of the Bluebirds. Although we are sad to see her go we have Miss Aracely that has taken over the middle class of wolves. Miss Mariela is now the Big Wolves teacher! We are so excited about the month of May and all the exciting transportation related things we will be learning. May will be filled with shapes and colors related to traffic signs and learning all how to GO. ~ Miss Mariela, Miss Aracely, Miss Kacidee, Miss Kelly, & Miss Corinne

**Rattlesnakes:** We had so much fun learning all about Spring and welcoming in the new season. Now, for the month of May, we will be learning about all the different types of transportation! Everything from walking to flying, we will cover it! We will also be celebrating all the mothers on the Friday before Mothers Day with a breakfast provided by us! Don't forget that the first Wednesday is PJ day and the last Friday is spirit day! A quick notice to all the parents: our schedule has changed slightly. If you would like a copy, we can provide one or there is always a copy on the parent board in our classroom. Happy May! ~ Miss Eden, Miss Kamrynn, Miss Sandra, & Miss Maggie

**Foxes:** Dearest fox family! Our kits are ready for May's theme the month! Everything on transportation is going to be a favorite for our little ones. Not only do we learn about different variations of moving around, but we get to focus on the important jobs our mommies have while raising us. We are anxiously waiting to give our gifts to our fabulous mother during our special event. Our moms are often talked about during class time, so spending that extra time with them during our special event will be a treat! Enjoy our Spring weather, we can't wait to listen to all the memories our kits have of mommies during our class time! ~ Miss Caitlyn, Miss Cassie, & Miss Cassandra

### Keeping those precious packages safe!

Leaving a child younger than seven in a vehicle without proper supervision (someone at least 12 years old) is considered a misdemeanor and in doing so endangers the child's health and safety. The state also considers leaving a child in a situation where physical or mental harm may take place (due to abuse or neglect) to be child endangerment.

- U.S. heatstroke deaths of children left in cars, 2015 (as of July 18): 10
- U.S. heatstroke deaths of children left in cars, 2014: 31
- U.S. heatstroke deaths of children left in cars, 2013: 44
- U.S. heatstroke deaths of children left in cars, 1998-present: 645

**Average U.S. child heatstroke deaths per year since 1998:**  
37





**Director's Corner:**

We have started several new upgrades this month, if you haven't noticed yet. We have started to paint the interior of our center, and we have new carpet for all rooms coming at the end of May. There is a fence added on the toddler playground to create a safe place for our non-walkers and beginner walkers, and finally we are redoing the preschool playground with new surface and equipment! Please bare with us as we may have to move children around a bit this month to get everything done, but it will be so worth it!

Just a reminder it is against the law to leave your child in the car alone even for a minute and its getting hot so lets not take any chances. If you have multiple children and need help getting them to the car please ask someone at our front desk.

As the weather warms up we need to run through few reminders:

\*if you do not want us to put our sunscreen on you child please provide your own.

\*Children between the ages of 2-6 are natural curious about their bodies and others' bodies, please put shorts on under dresses so girls can flip and roll with out feeling embarrassed.

\* We encourage each child to bring a labeled small water bottle each day to ensure they get enough to drink.

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**Mustangs:** Hello Mustangs families! Welcome to May! We are so excited for what this month has to bring. The theme for our preschool this month is "Transportation". We will be discussing different modes of transportation, incorporating this theme within our language focus, science, math, and art! We are proud to say that very soon we will have many Mustangs going on to Kindergarten, how exciting! They have come such a long way and it has been a pleasure working with you as a team to develop the great little learners they are! Happily yours, Miss Tausha, Miss Shannon, Miss Kate, Miss Jaci, & Miss Keegan

**Kindergarten:** Happy May Kindergarten families! We are just 6 weeks away from finishing! We are working hard on becoming fantastic readers and writers. Keep working on those sight words, we should know 150 by the time we graduate. We have almost mastered addition and subtraction to 10 and our short vowel word families. This month we will focus on blends, digraphs, and vowel pairs. We will also learn about 3D shapes and measurement. Graduation is quickly approaching. Mark your calendars for Thursday, June 8th at noon! This is a half day for your kindergartener. On Friday June 9th we will have a super fun field trip day. ~ Mrs. Tate



*May 2017* Shape: Octagon/ Color: Blue/ Letters UuKkHhPp

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Uu	1	2	3 PJ Day	4	5 Cinco De Mayo	6
7 Kk	8	9	10	11	12 Mothers Day Tea and Cookies	13
14 Hh Mothers Day	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 Pp	22	23	24	25	26 ELC Spirit Day	27
29 Review	29	30	31			