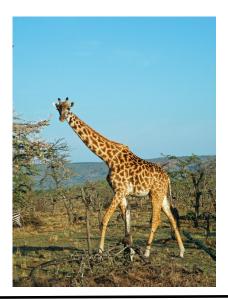


Adventurous August!

During the month of July our students learned about Space (ages 3-6) and Nursery Rhymes (ages 18 months-2). The older children were captivated learning about the sun, moon, stars, planets, space stations, astronauts, and meteors. Children collected data at the space station and built rockets and space shuttles. Our younger classes read and sang many Nursery Rhymes and made art projects to represent the rhymes. Each class enjoyed their Teddy Bear Picnics and Water Days!

This month we are headed to Africa to learn about wildlife in the African Desert & Rainforest. Children will learn about the different animals' traits and their adaptations for living in their unique environments. Students will create their own interpretations of giraffes, lions, and snakes.

In celebration of the end of summer, we will be having Pajama Days on August 18 & 19. The children will be making a special s'mores snack both days. Please let your child's teacher know if you would like your child to have something other than a s'more for snack. We use Honey Maid graham crackers, Kraft jetpuffed marshmallow cream and Hershey's chocolate.



Dates to Remember!

- AUGUST 1ST-7TH—
 TUITION DUE
- August 18th & 19th—
 Pajama Days
- SEPTEMBER 5TH—
 SCHOOL CLOSED
 LABOR DAY
- OCTOBER 5TH—
 SCHOOL CLOSED
 FARM FIELD TRIP OPTIONAL

We will miss all of our TK and Kindergarten students as they head off to their new schools. Our staff is honored to have worked and cared for your child and family during this special time of rapid developmental growth. We appreciate your trust and patience this year as we were met with ever-changing challenges. Working together, we were able to foster learning and development while keeping each other healthy.



Teacher Highlight

This month, we would like to highlight our toddler teacher Ms. Sarah! She has been teaching at Newbury Oaks Preschool since the day we opened, September 1, 2009. In the past thirteen years Ms. Sarah has taught in our two-year old class, Kinder Camp and now teaches our Toddler Component Program.

She was born and raised in Niles, Ml. and graduated from high school. She attended Lake Michigan Community College where she earned her Associates Degree in Arts. Ms. Sarah then attended Indiana University at South Bend and received her Associates of Science in Early Childhood Education.

Ms. Sarah has been married to her wonderful husband, Tom, for 28 years. She has two fantastic (adult) daughters, Victoria and Valerie, who both attend California State University, Long Beach. Ms. Sarah loves to play tennis and between matches and the girls busy lives, the family is constantly going around the clock!

Sunscreen & Diaper Cream

Please apply sunscreen to exposed skin before school. If your child stays at school past 3:00PM, we do apply sunscreen after nap time. Please hand your child's sunscreen to his/her teacher with your child's



name on it and sign the permission form regarding these matters. If you need a permission slip, you can request one from the office in person or via email. If your child requires diaper cream for any portion of the day, please follow the same procedure.

Home/School Connection

A wonderful way to gain a better understanding of the majestic creatures we are learning about this month is to visit a zoo. The Santa Barbara Zoo is located 50 miles from Newbury Park and maintains a mild climate throughout the year. Children can



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enjoy play areas as well as the exhibits inhabiting 500 animals. Reservations are required to purchase tickets at this time due to the pandemic. Most exhibits are outdoors. Visit the zoo's website for more information www.sbzoo.org.

It's a Stay at Home Day!

If your child is vomiting, home is best.
He should also skip school with a rash on his chest,
Or a rash on the rest, if he's got nits or lice,
'cause to send him to school really wouldn't be nice.
If he's running a temp of a hundred degrees,
And his glands feel like lumps when you give him a squeeze,
When he's got a sore throat,
When his eyes start to drain,
If he's got diarrhea or stomach ache pain,

If he tells you, "Oh Mommy, I just don't feel good!"
Then please keep him home like you know that you

NOTICE TO ALL PARENTS:

The State of California Department of Social Services sets certain standards for the safety and well being of all children. The current requirements from this agency refer directly to the Sign-In/Out sheets that are on the clipboards outside each classroom. The state is requiring that the adult signing the child in or out do so by signing their <u>full legal name</u> and enter the <u>time of day</u> the child is accepted into the school and the time of day the child is released from the school.

These sheets are legal documents and are the only required record of the children placed in our care for the day. It is EXTREMELY important that you sign your child in and out. In case of an emergency and evacuation, these clipboards are our only means of knowing which children are attending school or if anyone has been picked up early.

The Department of Social Services collects a \$100.00 fine per unsigned child in a facility. In the event that we receive such fines due to lack of signatures, we will have to collect the fine from the appropriate families. Please help us keep our children safe by signing them in an out correctly. Thank you for your continuous help in this matter.



TUITION REMINDER:

Tuition is due the first of each month.

Tuition rates for 2022-2023 school year effective July 1, 2022:

Preschool Rates 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. M-F \$770.00 MWF \$560.00 TTH \$385.00

Toddler Rates 9:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. M-F \$800.00 MWF \$575.00 TTH \$400.00 Extended Day Rates 9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M. M-F \$1000.00 MWF \$ 750.00 TTH \$ 525.00

Extended Toddler Rates 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. M-F \$1075.00 MWF \$795.00 TTH \$565.00 Full Day Rates 9:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. M - F \$1150.00 MWF \$ 810.00 TTH \$ 570.00

Full Day Toddler Rates 9:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. M - F \$1200.00 MWF \$ 850.00 TTH \$ 600.00



Morning Care Flat Monthly Rates 7:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. M-F Five Days per Week \$200.00 MWF Three Days per Week \$120.00 TTH Two Days per Week \$80.00

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2022-2023 List of Planned Closures

SUMMER BREAK
LABOR DAY
IN SERVICE
THANKSGIVING
WINTER HOLIDAY
MARTIN LUTHER KING
PRESIDENTS' DAY
IN SERVICE
SPRING HOLIDAY
MEMORIAL DAY
SCHOOL YEAR ENDS

July 1-8, 2022
September 5, 2022
October 5, 2022
November 24 & 25, 2022
December 23-January 2, 2023
January 16, 2023
February 20, 2023
March 17, 2023
April 7 & 10, 2023
May 29, 2023
June 30, 2023 (half day)