

August 2016

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A Busy Child Preschool

Online Family Resource Area

NEW PHOTOS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO SHUTTERFLY & FACEBOOK: ALL MONTH LONG! 😊

SHUTTERFLY:
<http://abusychildpreschool.shutterfly.com/pictures>

FACEBOOK:
<https://www.facebook.com/babetuesdaycare>

Don't forget to share with your friends & family!



Closures

We will be closed on Friday, August 19th – (Paid Personal Day)

VACATION REMINDER: Just a reminder that we will be closed **October 3rd - October 7th** for vacation. This is a **paid vacation**, and tuition for the week of October 3rd is due by **Friday, September 30th at Drop-off.**

Summer Camp Schedule

We have had an absolutely WONDERFUL and full summer, and we are very sad to see it end! However, **Friday, August 12th** will be our last day of summer camp. We return to our regular schedule on **Monday, August 15th** and the new school year on **Monday, August 22nd.**

All summer camp items (swim suits, towels, etc.) should be brought home the week of **AUGUST 15th.** **Please remember to continue to apply sunscreen to your child every day for the whole month! THANK YOU!**

Welcome to new families!

We will be welcoming new students on **August 15th.** We are excited to begin a new school year, and look forward to working with your children. The first few weeks we will be working with the children on routines and becoming comfortable with myself, Miss Lakeyia, and new friends. 😊

Kindergarten Goodbyes ☹️

My heart is heavy as we will be saying good-bye to a few of our friends. This month, we will say good-bye to Bianca, Braden, and Luella as they venture off to Kindergarten. We will MISS YOU, and wish all of the school-agers a **fantastic school year at their new schools!**

August Birthdays

Happy Birthday to Isaac! Isaac will turn **4 years old** on **Sunday, August 14th!** Children are welcome to bring in treats to celebrate their special day with friends. 😊

Facebook & Shutterfly

To all our new families, we're on Facebook and Shutterfly! Add us as a friend for school updates and information, and LOTS of videos and pictures of the kids! Search for **"A Busychild Preschool"**. **On Shutterfly, visit us at:**
<http://abusychildpreschool.shutterfly.com/pictures>



August Lesson Plans

2016-2017 Curriculum Outline: I will be sending out our curriculum outline for the new school year in the next week or two. For our eighth year in a row, we will be using the Zoo Phonics program to teach the children letter sounds and recognition. First we will introduce the lowercase letters, and then present the uppercase letters. Please let me know if you have any questions or suggestions throughout the course of the year.

- **Letters: (Sept)**
- **Shapes: *Review All***
- **WELCOME TO SCHOOL**
- **LEARNING TO USE MATERIALS**
- **Numbers: (Sept)**
- **Nursery Rhyme:**
- **GETTING ACQUAINTED**
- **Learning Routines**

Field Trips, Field Trip Fund, Music Class & Yoga Class

Our music teacher Mr. Scott, and our yoga coach Miss Amy, will return for classes mid to late August. We can't wait for their return!

I highly recommend a 'field trip fund' for your child to cover your child's field trip fees every few months. How it works, is you 'deposit' \$10-\$20 into your child's field trip account and I apply the money to each field trip we take. I place a 'checkbook register' with the child's daily sign-in sheet and record funds used so that the parent can see their child's remaining field trip balance. When the account is running low, you provide me with another deposit. This is very helpful as it helps the parent to not forget the field trip fees when needed. I highly recommend the Field Trip Fund to all families, to help make life a little easier.

Scholastic Book Clubs

Scholastic Book Clubs will be available again beginning in September. Please look for the catalogs to come out with our September newsletter. Scholastic offers great prices on many favorite books! When you order from Scholastic, it helps our classroom earn free books!

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ACTIVITIES & EVENTS CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Picnic @ the Park Depart @ 9:15 a.m. Great Plains	2 SWIMMING @ Apex Depart @ 9:00 a.m.	3 Cherry Creek Res Depart @ 9:15 a.m.	4 Movie @ Harkins Depart @ 9:00 a.m.	5 Elitch's Depart @ 9:15 a.m.	6
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14 Isaac's Bday	15	16	17	18	19 CLOSED	20
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