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# A Busy Child Preschool

## Online Family Resource Area

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

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

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

### LOG-IN INFO:

Username: xxxxxx

Password: xxxxxx

## Upcoming Closures

We will be closed **Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup>** in observance of Memorial Day.

**Looking ahead to JUNE: We will be closed for vacation June 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>.**

## May Lesson Plans

- Letters: REVIEW A-Z
- Numbers: 1-26 +
- Shapes: Review All
- Nursery Rhyme: I Had A Little Nut Tree
- SPRING
- Mathematical Concepts

## Field Trips

### Gymnastics Class

Gymnastics class is \$5 per class – **PLEASE DRESS YOUR CHILD IN LOOSE FITTING CLOTHING AND SLIP ON SHOES FOR CLASS – No skirts, dresses, or tights please** (children must have bare feet so they do not fall off of the beams). Class is Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### Library

We will visit the Montbello branch library on **Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>**. We will depart here at **9:50 a.m.**

### Butterfly Pavilion

We will be visiting the Butterfly Pavilion on **Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>**. The admission fee is **\$3.50** per child and is due by **Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>**. We will depart here promptly at **8:20 a.m.**, and will return by **12:15 p.m.**

Please pack a **SACK LUNCH** for your child for this field trip, as we will be eating lunch at the Pavilion. As we are assisting 12 kids prepare their lunch, **please make sure your child has food items that are easy and quick to prepare.** Thank you!

## Preschool Graduation/Celebration

I have decided that we will be holding our Preschool Graduation and Celebration at Stapleton Central Park off of MLK Blvd (just west of Stapleton Rec Center) on **Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>** from **9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.** We will be over in the soccer fields for the celebration and then will walk down to the playground to play and have a picnic. For children who will be departing here with Amy and me, we will be leaving at **9:00 a.m.**

We're having a "Picnic" style celebration, so please bring a **SACK LUNCH** for your child, and also for your family if you will be joining us. I encourage you to bring blankets, folding chairs, etc. to make yourself comfortable. I will be providing cake, napkins, plates, cups, forks & spoons for everyone.

The ceremony will be from **9:45 a.m.** to approximately **10:15 a.m.** Afterwards, we will walk the kids over to the playground to play. Lunch & cake will be at **11:20**. Should we happen to have inclement weather, we will hold the celebration here (cross your fingers, and pray for good weather!! ☺). Feel free to bring outdoor games, soccer balls, etc.! Caps & gowns are in! Please let me know if you have any questions.



## May Birthdays

We have a quite a few birthdays this month! **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to...

**Jake!** Jake will be turning **4 years old** on **Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>**.

**Demari!** Demari will be turning **5 years old** on **Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>**.

**Blake!** Blake will be turning **4 years old** on **Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>**.

**As we have birthdays close together or on the same days, I'm going to let the parents choose when you would like to bring in treats for your child. We can certainly serve a treat in the morning and afternoon, or the next day if we need to. ☺**

## SUMMER CAMP IS AROUND THE CORNER!

If you haven't already, please be sure to take home your child's winter clothing (hats, mittens, snow pants) to make room for our summer items. Please also take a moment to change out your child's cold weather change of clothes for warm weather clothing.

**I hope to have our Summer Camp Schedule ready and out to all of you mid-month.**

*Any suggestions for low cost activities that are relatively close by are welcome! \*Please note, our summer schedule will change slightly, with later naptime/rest periods. I am excited for an awesome summer vacation with all of the kids. ☺*

**Planning ahead, your child will need the following items left here for the Summer:**

- Swimsuit (if possible, bright pink for girls, bright yellow for boys...???)
- **SMALL** towel
- Swim shoes (please no flip flops or crocs, swim shoes really work best – highly recommended as we will have water activities outside as well as visiting parks with a spray ground/waterfall)
- Hat if desired

Please bring these items in no later than **FRIDAY, MAY 31<sup>st</sup>**. Our summer camp will begin on **Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup>**. We may begin our summer camp on Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, but will be shorter field trips that week and naptime will be the same as well. I will have a definitive answer when I put the schedule out.

**\*Don't forget to apply a waterproof Sunscreen ALL OVER your child prior to arrival every day during the summer months May through August. A bottle of sunscreen will be located on the Parent Table for you to apply to your child should you forget in the morning.**

## ELITCH GARDENS SEASON PASSES

Just a reminder, the **\$74.95** for the Elitch Garden passes is due to me by **Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>**.

## Scholastic Book Clubs

**Thank You for supporting reading in our program! ☺**

I have included the May Scholastic Book Club catalogs along with the newsletter. You may also view and purchase from the catalogs online as well. Remember, your purchases help us earn **FREE** books for our classroom! You may also access the Scholastic Book Clubs Online Ordering from the protected Family Resource Area of the website.

[www.scholastic.com/parentordering](http://www.scholastic.com/parentordering)

**Class Code: xxxxx**

**All orders are due by Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>.  
Thank you for your support!**

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## ACTIVITIES & EVENTS CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5 Gymnastics Fee Due \$5.00→	6 Music Class @ 11:00 a.m.	7	8 BOOK ORDERS DUE	8 Gymnastics Depart @ 9:00 a.m.	10	11
12	13	14	15 Library- Montbello Depart @ 9:50 a.m.	16	17 Butterfly Pavilion Depart @ 8:20 a.m.	18
19 Gymnastics Fee Due \$5.00→	20 Music Class @ 11:00 a.m.	21	22	23 Gymnastics Depart @ 9:00 a.m.	24 Graduation Depart @ 9:00 a.m. (starts at 9:45)	25 ←Demari's Bday ←Blake's Bday
26	27 CLOSED: MEMORIAL DAY	28	29	30	31	

