



# Cherubs Chat



#### Message from the Director

#### THANK YOU!

For all of your generous support during Staff Appreciation Week! The front hallway was beaming with wonderful words of appreciation and our luncheon spread was amazing!

As you can see when you walk into our front hallway, our bottle cap wall mural is well underway. We can't wait to see our finished rainbow!

Let the summer fun begin! Grab your bathing suits and water shoes and let's have a blast! Please make sure that your child has a bathing suit, towel and close-toed water shoes or old sneakers (not flip flops, crocs or open toed sandals) here during the week for water play. ALL items need to be <u>CLEARLY LABELED</u>.

Our Pre-K Graduation will be held on June 20th. We have a graduating class of 13! Congratulations to the Class of 2014; Lily, Riley, Remy, Sean, Benjamin, Isabella, Molly, Malia, Addison, Logan, Cooper, London, Ava.

Progress reports will be distributed this month. Please make sure that you sign the original and we will give you a copy. If you desire a conference, please set up a time with your child's teacher.

The third session of Spanish and Zumba are set to begin the week of June 6th. Spanish is on Mondays and Zumba on Wednesdays. Both are in the morning from 11:15-12:00. Zumba is for ages 2 and up and Spanish for ages 3 and up. Please sign up at the front desk if interested. Payment, to Angela, is due by the first class.

Ice Cream Truck visits for the summer have been scheduled! The cost is \$3 per visit and he will arrive around 10:00 with his music going! All of the children get so excited for "the ice cream man"! Wed 7/9, Thurs 7/24, Fri 8/8 and Tues 8/26.

#### WARM WEATHER REMINDERS

- For safety purposes, sneakers or appropriate water shoes only on the playground. Shoes with any type of holes or openings are not good for the playground. Those pesky woodchips sneak right in!
- If your child does not have sneakers or water shoes for the playground they will not be able to join their friends outside.
- Please put an ice pack in your child's lunchbox to keep everything cold and fresh.

#### Please remember:

You need to supply sunblock and bug spray.

If your child arrives to school AFTER 9:00, please make sure that you apply sunblock before they come to school (except infants). If your child arrives before 9:00, the teachers will apply sunblock before they go outside. The teachers will reapply in the afternoon.

Thank you!

## Cherubs Child Development Center

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#### **Birthdays**

Ben S. 6/5/13

Allie 6/30/13

Jaclyn 6/29/10

Miss Beth 6/25

#### Dates to Remember:

6/20 Pre-K graduation

Our summer programs will begin the week of June 30th! Children ages 18 months - 6 yrs. are invited to join us! Please help spread the word. There are brochures at the desk if you would like to pass on the information!

Thank you!

## Discoverers I and II - The Infant Suite

In May, we celebrated Ava's 1st Birthday! We also welcomed 2 new members to our infant family; Keegan and Quintin. We are so happy that you and your families have joined us! Don't forget to look around the room and take a peek at our cute lady bugs and spring color collages. What great artists we have!

This month we will be celebrating more 1st Birthdays. Ben and Allie will soon be joining Ava in the 1 yr. old club!

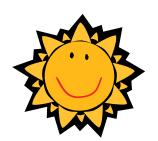
Please remember; bathing suits, hats, swim diapers, sunblock etc... so that everyone can enjoy the nice weather on the deck. Also, please check to make sure your child has an extra set or 2 of weather appropriate clothing.

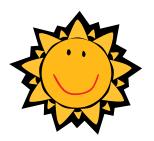
Have a great month!

Miss Gina Miss Meg

Miss Linda

Miss Fran Miss Denise





<u>Fiona</u>- is now eating lots of finger foods and can drink from a sippy cup.

<u>Olivia</u>- is trying to pull herself up to her knees and stand up. She thinks she is 7! We've named her "super baby."

<u>Luke-</u> has been doing lots of tricks like pulling up to his knees using the ball pit and somehow getting across the room to get what he wants!

<u>Cooper</u>-loves to stand up and take all of the balls out of the ball pit and throw them to his friends.

<u>Allie-</u> is now crawling everywhere! She loves to chase her friend Ava around.

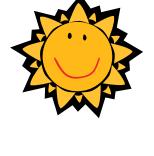
<u>Ben</u>- loves to roll around the room and play with his friends. He has been practicing getting up on his knees!

<u>Ava-</u> can walk all by herself! She loves to walk with the push toy while her friend Allie chases her.

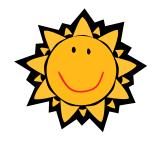
<u>James-</u>loves to watch his friends play and smiles at everyone. He is so friendly and sweetl

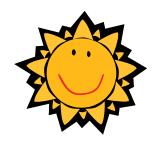
<u>Keegan</u>—loves to watch all the action. He especially loves to gaze at the butterflies and ball hanging in the classroom!

**Quintin-** is very happy and alert! He loves watching all the big kids.











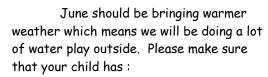
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## **Explorers**

May has come and gone so quickly. Last month we had so much fun. We made really cute projects with our feet; lady bugs and birds. Make sure you get a chance to see them hanging around the room before we change our projects. We also learned about zoo animals and insects. Making our special Mother's Day surprises was great. We hope you all enjoyed them!

This month we are looking forward to learning about fairy tales, nursery rhymes, and the beach. We will be making special surprises for dad too!

Sadly, we say goodbye to Gianna as she will be transitioning to the Adventurers II room at the end of the month. We will miss you and know you will have fun with the big kids!



Bathing suit

Water shoes

Towel

Hat

If you haven't done so already, please return the signed permission slip with sunscreen and bug spray for your child.

## EVERYTHING THAT YOUR CHILD BRINGS TO SCHOOL MUST BE LABELED! PLEASE AND THANK YOU!

Happy Sunny Days!

Miss Gretchen Miss Christine

### Adventurers II

May was fun filled with crazy projects and discovering new materials and activities. We hope our mommies enjoyed their special gifts, we had a lot of fun making them. Make sure to check out our cute art projects before they come down. There is so much to see; ducks, caterpillars, bugs and flowers.

June will be filled with summertime fun! We will be doing fun beach activities and learning about our 5 senses.

Sadly we said goodbye to Mya. We miss her and hope she is doing well. We will also say goodbye to Anna as she takes the summer off. We will miss you, see you in the Fall! We welcomed our new friend Isabella to our class. We are glad that you are here!

At the end of the month we welcome our friend Gianna from the Explorers class and we say goodbye to Conor, Ridley and Chalotte as they transition to the Achievers I class We are looking forward to a fun filled and warm summer!

Please make sure that your child has a bathing suit, water shoes, towel and sunscreen here at all times. Also please make sure to LABEL EVERYTHING!

Happy June!

Miss Beth Miss Shannon
Miss Taylor Miss Shannon K.



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### Achievers I

Wowsa! Another month gone already! May sure brought us enough rain to help our planting projects grow. We have been enjoying watching our "Hairy Harry's" grow and charting their growth. Pretty soon we are going to have to give them a haircut!

All of the children have been working really hard on learning number concepts. They had a lot of fun creating a paper plate number game that they all love to play! They are always counting how many children are in the classroom and recounting when someone leaves. Learning simple subtraction and they don't even realize it!

We hope you had a great Mother's Day and enjoyed your surprise gifts. Thank you to everyone for making us feel appreciated with your kind words, flowers and yummy luncheon during Teacher Appreciation Week.

June is going to be a busy month as we finish up our number curriculum with 9 and 10. We are eager to welcome summer with art projects focused on travel and the beach. We will also be making special Father's day surprises.

It is bittersweet to say goodbye to Amber, Jaclyn, Alexandra and Brenna as they transition to Achievers II at the end of the month. We are going to miss you girls, but you are so ready for Pre-K! Let's shout out a big welcome to Ridley, Conor, Charlotte and their families as they transition from the Adventurers II class at the end of the month. We are so excited to have you join our Pre-school crew!

Happy June!

Miss Kim Miss Rebecca



## Achievers II



We are so excited that June is here. We have been practicing our Graduation songs and enjoying the great weather (finally).

We started the month off learning about what animals make good pets and how to care for them in our classroom vet clinic. Our other themes this month were chosen by the children when they were asked what they would be most interested to learn about. So, the themes will be a vegetable week and a transportation week.

Our garden is continuing to flourish and will fit in great with the vegetable theme. We will also have a sign up sheet for veggies so the children can sample many different types.

The last week of June will be a transition week/fun week. Our friends Amber, Jaclyn, Alexandra and Brenna will be transitioning from the Achievers I room.

Welcome ladies! Meanwhile we say a sad goodbye to Veronica, Delaney, Remy and Josh. Have a great summer, we are going to miss you!

Pre-K graduation is Friday, June 20th! Congratulations to our graduating class of 2014! We are so proud of all of you! Please have your child here by 6:00 to prepare and put on their caps and gowns.

Lastly, it is water play time! Please make sure that your child has clearly labeled water play items; bathing suit, water shoes, towel, sunblock... here ready to go!

Have a great month!

Miss Nancy Miss Becky

Miss Donna Miss Sam

Miss Meredith



