



July 2017



Toddler/Preschool Newsletter - Ladybugs
Miss Susan, Miss Ja'net, Ms. Francine

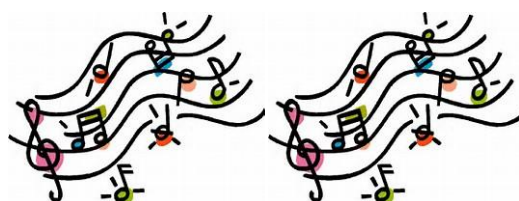
Dates to Remember



Center Closed	July 4 th
Joshua's Birthday	July 4 th
Nathan's Birthday	July 15 th
Music w/Miss Stephanie	July 11 th & 25 th
N.E Aquarium visit	July 6 th
Curious Creatures	July 27 th

Teacher Vacations

Miss Francine July 5th - 7th
Miss Susan July 18th-20th



Good Luck Ms. Diana

Welcome Ms. Stephanie

The Ladybugs wish Ms. Diana safe travels and good luck as she relocates back to her home in Buffalo, NY. We wish you all the best!

We would like to give a warm welcome to our new music teacher Ms. Stephanie. We look forward to our music classes with you! ☺



Sunscreen

Please remember to apply sunscreen and bug spray to your child every morning. Teachers will reapply it every afternoon before going outside!



Leader of the Day

Parents will find a "Leader of the Day" calendar in their child's mailbox at the beginning of every month. The "Leader of the Day" is welcome to bring in a special book and a few pieces of fresh fruit to share with their friends during snack time. The "Leader" also gets to be line leader and special helper!! ☺

Cubby Check

Please check your child's cubbie to make sure he or she has extra well-fitting summer clothing.



LABEL

Please remember to label all your child's belongings. This avoids mix-ups as children become increasingly independent!

Curriculum

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	Wk of 07/03 Summer Fun	Wk of 07/10 Summer/Beach	Wk of 07/17 Beach/Ocean	Wk of 07/24 Beach/Ocean Animals
English Language Arts <i>Language Development</i>	Sing "Mr. Sun" at circle	Read <u>Sea, Sand, Me</u> at circle.	Talk about all the animals that live in the ocean	Read <u>Fidgety Fish</u> at circle.
Mathematics <i>Cognitive Development</i>	Use sea shell counters.	Beach and Ocean Puzzles.	Count and sort sea animal counters*	Make blue playdough and use ocean animals with it.
Science & Technology <i>Cognitive Development</i>	Touch and describe what sandpaper feels like*	Digging for sea shells in the sand table.	Jellyfish in a bottle (using plastic bag with eight legs cut out).	Ocean Animals in water buckets.
History and Social Science <i>Cognitive Development</i>	Talk about summer safety (beach, pool, etc.)	Children help sweep up sand after sand art activity.	Read Rainbow Fish	Ocean Animal Hunt Hide toy animals and give clues related to location & direction to find.
Health Education <i>Physical Health Social/Emotional Development</i>	Running and climbing on the playground.	Digging for shells in the sand table*	Use pincer grip to pick up tissue paper for rainbow fish	Movement Patterns Imitate movement patterns during "Slippery Fish".
The Arts <i>Cognitive Development</i>	Sand paper art with chalk.	Giant paper popsicle craft.	Make a paper plate Rainbow Fish using tissue paper and glue.	Sunny skies foam craft*
Preschool D.O.E	Science & Technology P25 #23 Explore/describe wide variety of natural and man-made materials through sensory experiences.	Health Education P33 #8 Strengthen hand grasp and flexibility.	Mathematics Connect many kinds/quantities of concrete objects and actions to numbers	The Arts P43 #18 Use age-appropriate materials to create 2- and 3-dimensional artwork.
Toddler D.O.E	<i>Cognitive Development</i> CD62 Toddler asks questions and develops inquiry skills.	<i>Physical Health</i> PW36 Toddler controls small muscles in hand.	<i>Cognitive Development</i> Toddler asks questions and develops inquiry skills,	<i>Cognitive Development</i> CD66 Toddler explores with sensory art materials and uses them to create visual effects.

