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#### Teacher Appreciation Week!

Thank you for all the gifts, words of encouragements snacks and surprises during teacher appreciation week! We truly appreciated all the love.

#### No Limits Summer Camp—Sign Up Today !!!



Looking for something new this summer? Tired of the same old Park District and Day Camp summer programs? Then the Children's Center have just what you're looking for. Sign up for the No Limits STEAM Summer Camp! The program is for children 6yrs -13yrs of age. A program where your child will learn while having fun! The program will run Monday-Friday, 8a - 4p, June 25th - August 17th. The fee for the entire summer is \$500 (cash paying par-

ents only!!). Before and After camp available for a small fee (6-8a and 4p-6p). A \$100 non-refundable deposit is due by Friday, May 31st. Parents must sign-up their children to participate in the summer program. Action for Children accepted. SPACE IS LIMITED, SO RESERVE YOUR SPACE NOW! If you have any questions, please see the main office or call (773) 264-5171.

Have you reserved your spot for the Fall yet! Remember the Children's Center goes year round, So if your child is going to be out for the Summer, please inform the office to reserve your spot for the Fall.

#### Awards & Graduation Ceremony

Our end of the year Graduation & Awards Ceremony will be held Thursday, June 14th from 5:30pm—7:30pm the location will be at **Palmer Park**, **201 E 111th St**, **Chicago**, **IL 60628**. Ceremony fees are \$60.00 for all graduates. Graduation fees cover rental cost, refreshments, class trip, Graduation Caps & Tassels and printing fees. Our Kindergarten and 3rd grade students will be our 2018 graduates! We will also conduct our End of the Year Awards Ceremony. Children ages 1yr and up will be awarded certificates for their accomplishments throughout the school year. This is an open seat event, there are no tickets. Thank you in advance for your support and participation.

### **End of the Year Party!**

The end of the year party will be held Friday, June 22nd. Parent's are asked to see your child's teacher pertaining to items needed in order to make the party a success.



Children's Center, Inc. has gone **GREEN!** In February we introduced ProCare Kid Reports! Join our online family today by making sure that we have your correct email and current cell number on file. You can update your information on <u>MyProcare</u>. Our transition began Monday, February 5th.



Children's Center is proud to announce that we will partner with Muzicnet, School of Music to offer music lessons for children ages 6-13 during our No Limits Summer Camp. Campers can sign up for Drum or Piano lessons. The cost is \$10 per week for a 30 min semi-private lesson. Lessons will run the entire Summer and payment plans are available. Sign Up Sheets are available in the main office or through your

#### Make the Connection!

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Keep up with important school information, deadlines, school closings and more!

## **ENROLL TODAY!**



Our kindergarten program is a comprehensive, skill based program designed to prepare your child for first grade and

future success in school. Enroll your child today in the Children's Center Academy!

Program Features Include:

- Small Classroom size
- Christian based curriculum (ABEKA)
- Experience and qualified teachers
- Affordable tuition
- Before and After School Care

# To the Jeam!

Ms. Bennett



The way to get started is to quit talking and begin doing. - Walt Disney

monthly newsletter email.

# What's Happening Next June 2018 HEALTH & SAF

#### **Date** 07 Parent Meeting—5:00pm 14 4:00 pick-up! End of the Year, All Class Awards and Graduation Ceremony. 5:30-7:30pm, Palmer Park! 15 **End of the School Year Party**

End of the 4th quarter

**Last Day of School** 

## **EDUCATION:**

15

22

25

July 4

Read together every day and talk about the story.

**No Limits Summer Camp Begins** 

**School Closed - Independence Day** 

Point to words as you read them aloud, especially words that are repeated.

Point out and name letters in alphabet books. Read rhyming books. Encourage children to give the last word in a rhyme.

#### **NUTRITION:**

Following are some basic guidelines that can help you encourage your child to eat right and maintain a healthy weight:

Control the supply lines. You decide what foods to buy and when to serve them.

From the foods you offer, children choose what they eat or whether to eat at all.

Quit the "clean-plate club." Let your child stop eating when feeling he/she has had enough. When children have and respond to feelings of fullness, they are less likely to overeat.

Soda and other sweetened drinks add extra calories and get in the way of good nutrition. Water and milk are the best drinks for children. Juice is fine when it's 100%, but children don't need much of it ... 4 to 6 ounces a day is enough for preschoolers.

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY:**

Health: Why is childhood obesity considered a health problem?

Doctors and scientists are concerned about the rise of obesity in childhood and youth because obesity may lead to the following health problems:

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY (Cont.):**

Heart disease caused by: High cholesterol and/or high blood pressure Type 2 diabetes Asthma Sleep apnea Social discrimination

Safety: Keeping children safe is an important job for parents. You want your child to respect and trust others, but you also need to teach your child to be careful. Following are some simple rules and ways that you can start a conversation with your child about different safety issues -

If you aren't sure, ask me.

If an adult asks you to do something that you are not sure is okay, always ask me first." I won't get mad at you for asking."

No secrets.

Certain body parts are private.

If we get separated, find a security guard or police officer.

When you take your child to a crowded place, look around and point out the person who is there to help if you do become separated

### Recipe of the Month

MINI **PEPPERONI PIZZA** 

**WAFFLES** 

Ingredients

- 8 frozen homestyle waffles (4 inch), toasted
- 1 can (8oz each)
  - Hunt's® Tomato Sauce with Basil, Garlic and Oregano
- 1 cup shredded part-skim mozzarella cheese

3/4 cup mini pepperoni slices

#### Directions:

Preheat oven to 400°F. Place wire rack in large shallow baking pan. Place toasted waffles on rack. Spread tomato sauce over waffles: sprinkle evenly with cheese and pepperoni.

Bake 10 minutes or until waffles are crisp and cheese melts.

# Black History Facts 365

June 13, 1967

Thurgood Marshall, U.S. solicitor general, named to the Supreme Court by President Johnson. He was confirmed by the Senate on August 30 and became the first Black Supreme Court iustice.

#### June 11, 1967

Nelson Mandela sentenced to life imprisonment for allegedly attempting to sabotage the white South African government.

#### June 12, 1991

Michael Jordan lead Chicago Bulls in win over L.A. Lakers in five games to capture his first NBA Championship.

# College Facts 365

There have been many celebrity commencement speakers over the years, one of the most interesting, however, was Kermit the Frog-he spoke at Southampton College in 1996.

# Happy Birthday

Bailey Alston Eddie R Beckom Jr. Amari Diffay Isaiah J Dortch Kristian T Dortch Alayna M Gladney

**Trinity Morris** James Nunn **Da'Varion Prewitt** Emarion L Ross Lesean Simmons Arianna Smith

George E Gordon III Olivia Ilenikhena Malaki Jackson Amber Little Destiny A Marshall Kylee Mcmillion

> Cor'laysha Smith Kaniyah Smith Jordan E Smoot Makayla M Sudor Jayden J Watkins Eyana J Wooten

## Staff Birthday's

Germaine Vaughn --- 6/9 Lolita Flowers —6/25

