

JULY 2026 CHILD CARE NEWSLETTER



Now that summer is here, please remember to put sunscreen on your child if they arrive after 9:00 a.m. or if your child's classroom is already outside. (If you have a school age child and they are going on a walking trip, be sure to also apply insect repellent to your child before they arrive).

TINY TOTS CLASSROOM 4TH OF JULY PARADE

The children will parade around our parking lot to some festive music and show off their festive artwork at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 2nd! Parents are welcome to watch.

HOLIDAY REMINDER

We are closed on Friday, July 3rd in observance of Independence Day. Please let us know if you plan to take off any additional days. We hope you have a safe and enjoyable holiday! Below are some tips to keep all your family members safe during fireworks.



- 1) Never give fireworks to small children, and never throw or point a firework toward people, animals, vehicles, structures or flammable materials. Always follow the instructions on the packaging.
- 2) Keep a supply of water close by as a precaution.
- 3) Make sure the person lighting fireworks always wears eye protection.
- 4) Light only one firework at a time and never attempt to relight "a dud."
- 5) Store fireworks in a cool, dry place away from children and pets.

More pets go missing on the 4th of July after fireworks than any other day of the year. Only a small percentage of them ever make their way back home. Plan ahead to keep your pet safe! Keep them at home in a safe, comfortable, escape proof place.

RESOURCE EVENT-CLIMB THEATER

Climb Theater will be here on Thursday, July 16th to perform interactive plays for the children.

They will perform "Rory's Raging Roar" for the Toddler and Purple classes at 10:30 a.m. Students learn how to identify big emotions like anger and sadness, and how to turn those feelings into something "paws-itive."

For the School Age class, they will perform "Once Upon a Beanstalk" at 11:20 a.m. This program teaches ownership and regulation.

BOOK OF THE MONTH



This month's recommended book is "The Bear Ate Your Sandwich. " Head over to our blog for all the info: [Book of the Month](#).

PARENT EDUCATION

This month check out the YouTube Video called "[What is Peaceful Parenting?](#)" by Dr. Laura Markham.

Peaceful Parenting helps children develop the emotional intelligence, self-regulation, and self-discipline that lasts a lifetime, rather than focusing on controlling behavior.