

# **A Caring Place**

## **Parent Bulletin**

### **December 2024**

#### **Dates to Remember:**

**December 10<sup>th</sup> - Parent Teacher Conferences no students  
(Infant Toddler Center open)**

**Friday, Dec. 20 Children's Christmas Party**

**\*\*\*\* 11:30 Dismissal All Programs\*\*\*\***

**Monday, Dec. 23 - Jan 6 School Closed Winter Break**

**Tuesday, Jan. 7, Students Return**

As the year comes to an end, we would like to take the time to let you know that we have enjoyed the opportunity to care for your children over this past year. Every one of them is so special and it's always a pleasure to watch them grow and develop.

#### **Christmas Party**

On Friday December 20, we will have our annual Children's Christmas Party. To further promote literacy and a love for reading, we will be doing book gifts from Santa. We are asking every parent to bring in an age-appropriate book, gift wrapped **for your child from Santa**. We will have our party, then sit and open the gifts. All gifts must be in the office by December 18. We do not want Santa to forget anyone. Don't forget all programs will be closing at 11:30. **NO LUNCH WILL BE SERVED THAT DAY.**

#### **Laulima Giving Program**

We would like to encourage the spirit of giving this holiday season. The Laulima Giving Program is a great way to help support those in need. You can donate a dollar amount or sponsor a family. For more information and to donate, please visit [laulimagivingprogram.org](http://laulimagivingprogram.org).

## Infant Toddler

Can you believe it's December already! It's hard to believe another year has come and gone so quickly. We hope everyone enjoyed their Thanksgiving.

We will be having our holiday party on Friday December 20. Also, we will be doing book gifts from Santa. Please make sure to bring in a book for your child **NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 18**. It should be wrapped and clearly marked with your child's name from Santa. We will open them during our party on December 20. Don't forget all programs will be closing at 11:30 and **NO LUNCH WILL BE SERVED THAT DAY**. There will be a special snack sign up on the Class Dojo if you would like to sign up.

*Have a safe and Happy Holiday!  
Miss Steph, Miss Annette, Miss Ashley, & Miss Izzy*

## Toddler Too

The children had a wonderful time learning about community helpers and the important roles they play. One of the children's favorites was the firefighter. We learned safety rules in case of an emergency and practiced our fire drill. Another favorite was the garbage collectors. We were able to see our sanitation workers in action when they came to empty the trash at the school.

For the month of December, we will focus the theme of Holidays and the spirit of giving. We will be busy singing Christmas carols, reading holiday stories, and creating special art projects. We will conclude the month with a party for the children on Dec. 20. For our celebration, we will be doing book gifts from Santa. Please make sure to bring in a book for your child **NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 18**. It should be wrapped and clearly marked with your child's name from Santa. There will be a special snack sign up on the Parent Board if you would like to sign up.

*We wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!  
See you all next year!  
Miss Renee, Miss Ruby, & Miss Kas*

## Montessori 3-6

During the month of December, we will be focusing on the holiday theme of Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and the spirit of giving. We will also be talking about Santa's list of who's been naughty and who's been nice, so we all need to be on our best behavior. We will be busy singing Christmas carols, reading holiday stories, and creating special art projects. We will conclude the month with our Holiday Party on Friday December 20. It is 11:30 dismissal that day for **ALL PROGRAMS**. There will be a special snack sign up on the Parent Board if you would like to sign up.

To further promote literacy and a love for reading, we will be doing book gifts from Santa. Please make sure to bring in a book for your child **NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 18**. It should be wrapped and clearly marked with your child's name **from Santa**. We will open them at circle time during our party on December 22.

*Wishing everyone a joyous and fun filled Winter break!  
Happy Holidays!  
Miss Liz, Miss Sarah, Miss Alysha, & Miss Clinenne*