

A Caring Place

Parent Bulletin

May 2017

Dates to Remember:

May 7- Potluck Family Picnic
May 29- School Closed Memorial Day
Wednesday, May 31- Last Day of this School year
Thursday, June 1- Summer Session Starts

Please Mark your calendars with the above dates

Breakfast

Breakfast is not included with our program. The children may bring breakfast with them each morning. In the Infant and Toddler classes, breakfast may be brought in and served before 8:00am. In the Toddler Too and Montessori 3-6 classes, breakfast must be completed by 7:30am. If you arrive with breakfast right before or after these times, you will be instructed to stay with your child until they are finished.

Children's Personal Belongings

All items brought to school must be clearly labeled. Our lost and found increases daily, especially the slipper and shoe baskets. Please check these areas weekly. Please do not ask the staff to search for missing items. Each class has an area where the children are instructed to place these items when they are not in use. Also, foot wear is not required except on excursion days. We encourage the children to have independence and along with that comes responsibility for their belongings.

Child's Last Day

As a reminder if your child will be exiting the school, a notice of withdrawal form needs to be completed and returned to the office 30 days prior to your child's last day. You can pick this form up from the office.

Our Monthly Bulletins and Lunch Menus are available online at
acaringplacekailua.com

Infant & Toddler News

Just a few reminders this month:

- Summer weather is approaching and we will be doing lots of water play. Please make sure your child has extra clothes in his or her cubby.
- Please remember to label ALL your child's belongings so nothing is lost or misplaced.
- Please take notice of any comments written on your child's daily chart or any posted announcements; important information is put there.
- Please be sure to sign in & out daily.

We hope to see everyone at the Potluck Family Picnic on Sunday May 7th at the Kalama Beach Club from 10am-2pm. If you haven't RSVP'd, please do so ASAP. Lastly, we would like to wish all our mothers a very Happy Mother's Day!

Toddler Too

It's hard to believe how quickly the school year has gone by and summer is approaching. In April, the children had a wonderful time learning about farm animals and the foods that grow on the farm. They also tasted some dairy products which included milk, yogurt, cheese, and chocolate milk, which they loved! We ended the month with the story of Stone Soup. Once again, a big thank you to everyone who brought in vegetables for our delicious soup.

This month we will learn about one of the children's favorite topics - Zoo Animals. We will mainly focus on lions, giraffes, monkeys, elephants, and zebras. As always, we would appreciate any story books or materials relating to our theme.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Miss Renee, Miss Annette, & Miss Crystal

Montessori 3-6 class

It's hard to believe it's the last month of the regular school year, and summer is just around the corner. May will conclude our journey around the world with the cold and isolated continent - ANTARCTICA. We will be learning about some of the different animals that can survive Antarctica's cold climate such as the Emperor Penguin and the Weddell Seal.

By learning about the different continents, we hope that the children have gained a better understanding and appreciation of the many different kinds of people and animals inhabiting the earth. We also hope they have learned that despite our differences we are all connected to the Earth, and it's up to all of us to take care of it.

Sadly, with the end of the school year nearing, it is also time to say Aloha to some of the children who are leaving for kindergarten. We will miss all of them and wish them success in their journey ahead.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

Miss Liz, Miss Kalei, Miss Steph, Miss Shantelle & Miss Cinthia