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"As The Seasons Change" *A Seasonal Newsletter from Four Seasons Daycare*

Welcome to Four Seasons Daycare, a licensed facility that is committed to providing the best possible care for you and your children. The intent of **"As the Seasons Change"** is to keep our center families informed about upcoming events and on-going happenings at the center. We hope you find this newsletter both entertaining and informative. Should you have any questions, concerns or suggestions about this publication, or any other aspect of your child's care, please feel free to speak to the center's director, Ms. Debbie.



News From The Office

Just a few reminders...

- Payments are due Friday, and are considered late as of 6pm Monday.
- Please make sure you keep your contact phone numbers up-to-date so that we know how to get in touch with you daily.
- Please walk your child ALL the way to their classroom each morning.
- Please remember to stop for all school buses and watch for children in the parking lot.



Upcoming Events

- August 11- Last Day of Summer Camp
 - August 14- First Day of KGCS
 - August 30- Open House for New Students
 - September 1- KGCS Early Dismissal
 - September 4-Center Closed- Labor Day
 - September 5- First Day of Preschool
 - September 12- First Day of Gym Fun
 - September 15- Pizza Fundraiser begins
 - September 21 KGCS K-6 Early Dismissal- center open
 - September 22- Scholastic Book Orders Due
 - September 22- Back to School Breakfast 7-9am
 - September -29 Pizza Fundraiser ends
 - October 11 4yo Classes -Field Trip to Belvedere Farm
 - October 12 KGCS K-6 Early Dismissal- center open
 - October TBA-Fundraiser Pick-up (week of 10/16/17)
 - October 23-Life Touch Pictures- Infants, Toddlers, 2s
 - October 23- Life Touch Pictures- 3s, 4s, 5s, siblings
 - October 27- Fall Fun Day
 - October 27- Scholastic Book Orders Due
 - October 31- Halloween Parade and Class Parties
 - November 7- KGCS Early Dismissal-Election Day
 - November 10- Center Closed
 - November 17- Thanksgiving Luncheon
 - November 17 Scholastic Book Orders Due
 - November 22- KGCS Closed- Center Open
 - November 23-24 Center& KGCS Closed Thanksgiving
 - November 29- Parent/Teacher Conferences
 - December 1- Parents Night Out
 - December 6- Holiday Music Program
 - December 6- 4yo Class Trip- Heritage Hall
 - December 15- Classroom Holiday Parties
 - December 20-22- Center open, KGCS Closed-Holidays
 - December 25-26 Center and KGCS Closed-Holidays
 - December 27-29- Center open; KGCS Closed Holidays
 - January 1- Center and KGCS Closed Holidays
 - January 2- Center open-KGCS Closed Holidays
- ** From time to time, changes need to occur to our projected calendar. Should other important dates arise or changes occur, info will be posted at the parent information desk in the center. KGCS will also notify you of changes directly.

News Flash



Welcome to a new school year!! Although the summer was relaxing and filled with fun, we, here at Four Seasons are eager to get back into the more structured routine of the school year! The teachers and administrators have been diligently preparing for all the center's new and returning students, planning exciting lessons designed to peak each child's interest in learning! More specific information will be sent home in your child's "Welcome To My Class" packet the first week of school.

In addition to the packet, a "Back to School" breakfast is planned to help you become familiar with your child's new class and teachers on 9/22/17 from 7am-9am. Parents are encouraged to eat breakfast with their child on that day and visit their child's classroom. Other special days are planned throughout the school year. Check the "Upcoming Events" portion of this newsletter to stay on top of all the happenings at the center!

Keeping up with the latest happenings becomes especially important when winter weather is upon us! While it seems far off, I thought I'd take a moment to make you familiar with our closing policy. First of all, our center independently decides whether to open or close based on many factors, the greatest, of course, being the safety of the children and our teachers. If the

weather seems to be an issue, please check Four Seasons' voicemail, our website, your email or follow us on Twitter for up-to-date closure information. You can also tune into B101.5 or 95.9 for weather related announcements. Please make someone in the office aware if you are not receiving emails so that we can update our distribution list.

Thank you for continuing to allow us to love and care for your most valued treasure! We are all looking forward to another great school year and are glad that your child will be joining us! Check out the latest news from your child's class below...



A Word from the Crib

Oh Baby!!! Look Out!!! We have walkers, crawlers, scooters and rollers in our room! Right before our eyes, your little ones have become mobile and are on the go, conquering new milestones each day!! It is so exciting for Ms. Michelle, Ms. Kacneis and Ms. Carolyn to watch them change and grow each day!! The Infant Room staff would like to remind all parents to check their child's supplies weekly and replenish diapers, wipes, food, and formula in a timely manner. In addition, we encourage you to look at all the fun developmental activities the teachers have planned daily and invite you to participate in special events planned for you and your child at the center! One new special event planned monthly throughout this school year is our

"Mystery Reader Program". Look for more information in September about this fun opportunity for you to spend time in your child's class.



Toddler Talk

Ms. Sheila, Ms. Cindy, and Ms. Carolyn are planning lots of wonderful activities for our toddlers this Fall! Look for your child's daily "Cuddlegram" for information on your child's day and the weekly folder to keep you up-to-date on the happenings in the classroom. More information about this room's policies are included in our classroom welcome letter. Please pay particular attention to **our** classroom's rules about "bringing in food from home" and "pick up and drop off times" as they are different from the infant classroom's policies and understanding them will help our room run more effectively. As always, check your child's cubby each day and replenish supplies as needed. We are looking forward to partnering with you to help your child have a great school year!



Tales from the Twos

Potty Training, Potty Training, Potty Training! Ms. Kelly, Ms. Sasha and Ms. Brittany are eager to help each child entering their class succeed in this very important developmental milestone and are extremely proud of the progress the current students have made mastering this skill! To help your child be successful in this endeavor, please remember to dress them in easy to remove clothes and

keep plenty of pull-ups, wipes and extra outfits at the center. Once your child is ready, we will share information about wearing underwear to school, at which point following up at home will be essential! Beyond potty-training, lots of fun, educational activities are planned for the two's class this school year. Please make sure to check your child's folder each week for details about upcoming events and to see some of the fun they are having in our class. We are looking forward to working with your child over the course of the school year and are excited to watch them learn and grow. Thanks for sharing them with us!



Moving and Grooving with the Threes

There will be lots fun going on in the 3 year old room this year, as Ms. Tangie, Ms. Rose and Ms. Brittany have been working hard this summer and have tons of exciting activities planned for this school year! Weekly lesson plans are posted in the classroom for you to view on our "Today we... White Board", located just outside of the classroom door, will give you a good idea of the day's activities. Please check your child's Friday Folder each week and return it on Monday. Sign-up sheets for special classroom events will be posted if you would like to join in or contribute! Mark your calendars for our Back to School Breakfast in September to kick off a wonderful new school year journey! We

are so excited that your child will be part of it!

Preschool News



WOW! Ms. Brie, Ms. Jess, Ms. Paula, and Ms. Valerie are anxiously awaiting their new Pre-K students! They have been working hard all summer on lots of fun, learning adventures for their new students to explore this school year and are excited to get started! Weekly activities will be noted on the classroom calendar. The PreK teachers encourage each child to bring in a "show and tell" item weekly that begins with the letter of the week and would like to remind parents to check their child's Friday Folder each week and return it to school on Monday mornings. More information about classroom policies are included in the PreK classroom welcome letter. Sign-up sheets for special classroom events will be posted if you would like to join in or contribute! It's going to be a terrific year! We look forward to watching your child learn and grow in our classrooms!

school year begins Mr. John, Ms. Valerie and Ms. Taylor. will be on hand to make sure your child starts and ends their school day right! Homework help is available each day. Please remember that **parents and students** are responsible for checking all work and ensuring assignments are complete. Please note the upcoming events calendar for planned KGCS closings. The teachers at Four Seasons are looking forward to a wonderful school year!



'Till Next Season



School-Age Happenings

It is hard to believe that summer camp is over!!! Lots of fun was had by all, as the teachers and students explored parks and museums, swam in the pool, participated in the classroom games and activities! As the