

# BEGINNINGS AND BEYOND

## August 2019

### HAPPENING IN August....

#### Things within the center...

Our surveys came in from families! An action plan was put into place and emailed. If you didn't receive an e-mail please let us know.

We are still needing some Ages and Stages questions completed for some children. Please complete both surveys, the links were sent via e-mail! Any questions please contact the office.

#### Special Events

**\*\*Water day and Ice cream day! (This is every Friday until August 30th)**

**\*\*New mulch has been put down on the playgrounds - a \$3,000 purchase,**

**August 6th- Dover AFB Museum. This is for Pre-K only - from 8:30am-10:30am and the bus will arrive back in time for lunch!**

**August 21 -There will be an On-Sight performance for Ages 2 and up - 'Anna' from the movie Frozen - 9 am**

**Lions Club Vision Screening will be August 16 at 2:45 pm for ages 3 and up**

**\*FYI- Miss. Danielle will be out of the office July 29<sup>th</sup> through August 9<sup>th</sup>.**

### AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

August 2<sup>nd</sup>-Miss Kira

August 7<sup>th</sup>-Miss Angel, Miss Mavis

August 22<sup>nd</sup>-Bailey Hargraves

August 28<sup>th</sup>-Ian McDowell

August 31<sup>st</sup>-Alyssa Brown

Please help us congratulate

Miss. Jamie

With 2 years of service.

#### **Water DAY!**

Continuing through the end of August: Please have your child ready to go with a towel, bathing suit on, sunscreen applied, and water shoes every Friday morning. Also don't forget a change of clothes.

#### **Pre-K Graduation**

August 14<sup>th</sup> 3:30 PM

American Legion

Tuition should be paid and up to date by the 13<sup>th</sup> and all completed forms must be done and turned in to the office in order to participate. They will be going by bus to the American Legion Hall and Parents can be there for 3:30 start time (not before)!

#### Hello's and Goodbyes!

We are saying goodbye to Miss Samiyah, who is leaving some time in mid August, as she will be going back to school. Miss Rhyan will be leaving as well for college and moving out of state. Her last day is the 16<sup>th</sup>. Miss Mavis will be leaving our center as well to pursue her college education. Her last day will be August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please welcome Miss Thalia, who started with us July 22<sup>nd</sup> as a Floating Teacher, working 3 to 6. She will be in the two year old room at the end of the day, replacing Miss Rhyan.

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## CURRICULUM CORNER

### Social Emotional

Trust develops when a child's experiences show that the world is safe, reliable, and responsive to his or her needs. Infants who receive consistent and loving care learn to trust. Mistrust develops when infants cry and get inconsistent responses, are not always fed when they are hungry, and are not comforted when they are hurt. Autonomy, or independence, is acting with will and control. It involves a sense of one's power that is built on the foundation of trust described in Erikson's first stage of development. Children develop autonomy when adults give them a chance to do things on their own. When adults make excessive demands or criticize in ways that devalue children's efforts, children learn to doubt their abilities. Developing initiative means responding positively to challenges, taking on responsibilities, enjoying accomplishments, and becoming purposeful. In this stage, children direct their energy toward tasks and begin to develop a sense of future possibilities. Children with initiative are eager to try new materials and ideas. Guilt can set in when adults belittle children and their work

