



The Spotted Zebra Learning Center

July 2024



Reminder:

- Spotted Zebra will be closed July 4
- Special Education Programming July 8-August 16

Happy Summer!

Thank you all for a wonderful graduation week! Despite the high temperatures and humid air, we loved seeing all of you and were so grateful we got to celebrate everyone's growth together!

As you may notice when coming into the Spotted Zebra building, construction is in full swing! We are very excited to share the fruits of the project with you, but for the time being please excuse our dust and tape. As always, the safety of the children is at the forefront of our minds so please rest assured that all actual construction is being done on the opposite side of the building from the classroom with protective plastic shielding in place to prevent dust or other detritus from entering the areas where children are going about their day.

Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns and know that the comment box is always open in the back vestibule! Have a great July!

We would like to welcome Ms. Juli, Ms. Wendy, and Ms. Victoria, and welcome back Ms. Kenzie and Ms. Jenna!

Ms. Sheri, Mr. Matt, Ms. Shannon, and Mr. Derek

What is Happening in the Classrooms...



VIOLET ROOM NEWS

Happy Summer! Graduation was wonderful and we are so proud of all of our violet room graduates and the hard work they put in practicing for their big day! We would like to thank everyone for attending. The Violet Room teachers have had a wonderful time with all of your amazing kiddos, and we are so appreciative of your support, kind words, and gestures through the school year.

We are sad to say goodbye to Teddy C., who will be attending another summer program, then moving on in the fall to a new school. We will miss you Teddy! We would also like to welcome some new friends joining us this summer: Carter, Brody, Everly W., and Navy. We are so excited to meet you!

July will be a fun filled month! We will be exploring themes such as The Beach, Summer Sports, Camping, and Summer Fruits. We will soon begin sending out information regarding water play this summer, so be on the lookout! Please remember to dress your child in playground-appropriate footwear, i.e. sneakers or shoes. We will be spending a lot of time outside, weather permitting, and appreciate your cooperation with playground-safety. If you have not yet, please be sure to send in warm weather clothing. We will send home more information regarding water-play necessities as this time draws near.

Finally, we would like to wish a very Happy Birthday to Ms. Laura (1st) and Reid (28th).

Ms. Brittany, Ms. Laura, Ms. Terry, and Ms. Allison



Blue Room News

Happy Summer! June was a very exciting month for us. We want to thank you for coming to graduation and making it such a success! We have had a wonderful year with all children and have truly enjoyed getting to know and spend time with them. As the school year wraps up, we are looking forward to our summer program.

In July, we will be covering the theme of Ocean, ABC's and 123's review. The first week of program the children will be choosing topics they would like to learn about this summer. We will introduce Character traits for our Buckets of Kindness. The character traits we are going to present are Friendship, Cooperation, Compassion, Patience, and Encouragement.

During the summer, we will be going to our side yard to play in the sprinkler. Please look out for more information in the next week or so. The children will need their bathing suits, water shoes, towel, and a change of clothes. We really appreciate your cooperation to make outside play go as smoothly as possible!

Welcome to the Blue Room!!!!

Liam, Greyson, and Enzo

Thank You,

Ms. Katina, Ms. Maria. Ms. Sunita



Bizzy Beez News

Happy summer, families!

We hope everyone has had a relaxing and restful 2 weeks off after graduation! Our littles worked so hard and we could not be more proud of their performance at our graduations at the end of June. Bizzy Beez would like to thank our families for their attendance and support, making for a very special celebration for all.

Our 6-week summer program kicks off on Monday, July 8th. Over the next 6 weeks, we will focus on all things summer-themed! During the month of July, we will learn about some of the fun activities that our families may engage in during this season, like swimming, the beach, fishing, and camping. In addition to discussing summer activities, we will discuss summer foods, as well as get to prepare and taste some of our own warm weather snacks! As always, we will be incorporating sensory play, science experiments, and exercising our creativity through arts and crafts. During the warmer months we enjoy water play and getting outside as often as we can for some of these activities, so we may be getting messy! Please make sure your child has a set of extra clothes on hand at school so that we can change them out of their dirty clothes if necessary.

This month we would like to wish our friend Lily and our amazing teaching assistant, Ms. Christiana, a very happy birthday!

See you all soon!

Sincerely,

The Bizzy Beez Team



Green Room News

Summer greetings! Graduation Day could not have been more perfect. We are so proud of your kiddos and all their hard work. Thank you for joining us and helping to make it such a special day and as always, thank you for your continued support, we truly had a great year.

We are looking forward to a fun-filled summer program in the Green Room with lots of extra outside time. We will be welcoming four new friend this summer- Elliot, Bennett, Matteo and O'Shea!

We wish Sonny, Addison, Skylar and Riley Lyons a great summer and good luck in the new school year!

July will be all about summer! Our first week we will have some camping fun that will include fireflies, boating and rafting, woodland animals, and camping foods. Our camping unit will lead us into a week of summer foods. This theme gives us the opportunity to make and taste lots of homemade treats. After, we will move on to explore the beach, which will lead us into exploring the depths of the ocean. We have so many fun activities planned for the summer so be on the lookout for pictures on our Homeroom App.

We will be using the sprinkler this summer, please be on the lookout for more information on when will be starting and what our days are. We will also schedule additional times for special activities throughout the summer. Please send in a labeled swimming suit, towel, water shoes and a set of spare clothing (including underwear) at the start of your child's school week. Thank you!

We want to wish Kelsea a very happy birthday this month!

We wish everyone a fun filled summer!

Mr. David, Ms. Elle, and Ms. Lauren



Orange Room News

We are so excited to get summer camp started! Our class will be outside as much as possible, we plan daily walks and water play 3x a week. The Superflex curriculum for summer camp will focus on building skills in identifying emotions, teamwork, friendship making, and problem solving. Our classroom will also use a warm and fuzzy jar to earn special treats or a class party. Students can earn warm and fuzzy's when they practice kindness or show respect in our classroom. During the month of July our themes will be Welcome to Camp, Camping, Summer Olympics, and Ocean. Each week will be full of crafts, team games, play, and fun!

Let's get summer started!

Ms. Meghan, Ms. Chris, Ms. Paige

Meet the Spotted Zebra Herd!

Therapists and Special Educators

Ms. Juli	Psych
Ms. Marlis	OT (BB)
Ms. Shawna	Speech
Ms. Emily	Speech
Ms. Kaylyn	Speech (G, O)
Ms. Charlotte	SEIT
Ms. Megan	PT (BB)
Ms. Rachael	Speech (Blue)
Ms. Caitlin	OT (B, O)
Ms. Nicole G	Speech
Ms. Kathleen	PT
Ms. Rachel	Speech (BB)
Ms. Susan	PT
Mr. Peter	OT
Ms. Rachel	Music
Ms. Carla	OT (V, G, O)
Ms. Abigail	PT
Ms. Allison	Speech (Violet)
Ms. Nicole S	SEIT
Ms. Emilie	Speech
Ms. Sarah	PT
Ms. Wendy	Speech

Floating Teachers

Ms. Lauren B
Ms. Chantal
Ms. Mollie
Mr. William
Ms. Emma
Ms. Alaina
Ms. Tristyn
Ms. Nakisha
Ms. Kenzie
Ms. Jenna

Admin Team

Ms. Sheri
Mr. Matt
Ms. Shannon
Ms. Amy
Ms. Brenda
Mr. Derek
Ms. Victoria