

# May 2011 Newsletter

## School Closed:

We will be closed on Monday, May 31 to observe Memorial Day.

We will also be closed Friday, June 18 from 7am-3pm for Teacher In-service & Prep Day before we begin our Exciting Summer Program! Please check your Parent Mailbox for Summer Program Registration Packet. The hours for June 18 will be 2:30-6:00pm. We will pick-up Trabuco Elementary school kids at 2pm on this day.

## OPEN HOUSE:

Wednesday, May 26 5:30pm – 7:00pm will be our Open House – The Schoolager's will host a Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser. The money we earn will go towards the School-age Summer Program expenses. The cost will be \$5 for dinner & \$1 for drinks. Please invite friends, family, and neighbors. This is the time to see what the kids have been up to, meet the staff, see the place, and what's in store for the summer.

## Preschooler's Mother Day Tea:

We would like to invite all of our Preschool Mother's to join us on Friday, May 6th at 11 am for a very special Mother's Day Tea.

## Preschool Parents:

Story Hour with Ruth Loc from Silverado Library on Tuesday, May 10 at 10am. Everyone is welcome to join us!

## Harvest of the Month:

This is a curriculum we have started to use at SCC. This month we will talk about Avocados & Strawberries.

## Summer Program:

It is hard to believe that our fall program is almost over and it is time to start planning for the summer program. Our summer program will be from June 21- September 4. Turn in your \$45 early bird registration fee for the summer program by May 20. The registration fee will help cover cost of art supplies, special visitors, and bookkeeper's fees. Please check your "Parent Mailbox" next week for your Registration Packet. If you have any questions please see Chay or Aimee.

## Parent Workshop:

Mark your calendar: Saturday, May 21, 2011 Back to the Nutrition Basic Workshop at SCC. Cost \$10. Please let us know if you plan to attend.

## Volunteer Hours:

Each family is required to volunteer once a month at the Center. The amount of volunteer time is based

on which program you are enrolled in. Full day preschool program(7am-6pm) is a min. of 3 hrs., ¾ day preschool program(9am-3pm) is a min. of 2.5 hrs., ½ day preschool program(9am-1pm) is a min. of 2 hrs., and Kindergarten & School-age program is a min of 2 hrs. Parents are encouraged to take on tasks suited to their unique skills and strengths. A parent sign-in sheet for volunteer hours is posted in the main office. Parent's who don't complete their volunteer hours will be assessed a fee of \$10 per hour to their bill.

Parent Room:

Remember to check your parent mail boxes weekly. You will find the parent mail boxes (the folders by the chair) and books you may check out and many other useful information.

WISH LIST:

Due to being a non-profit center we greatly appreciate any items you can donate. We are in need of: mop, push broom, dust pan, tri-fold paper towels, Lysol, bleach, liquid dish soap, empty spray bottles, bubbles, baby wipes, grass seed, baby wipes, in-door plants and hanging plants for outside.

If you go to a garage sale and/or Thrift Store we could also use the following: wind chimes, food processor, rice cooker, wheel barrel (large or small does not need to be new) and magnet board.

Mckenna is working on project for our playground she is looking for 2x4's wood flat, any and all kinds and PVC Pipes. If you could help please let her know.

We are also looking for volunteers to help us mow are weeds in the driveway and to weed our front entrance. If you can help with this please see Aimee or Chay.

- Reminder donation of supplies can count as part of your volunteer hours.

We are very thankful to all of you that continue to donate your time and items to the Children's Center. We greatly appreciate it.

- SCC Staff

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