

CRAYON TRIBUNE

Monthly Newsletter of Children of the Lord Daycare & Pre-School



FEATURED THIS MONTH:

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JULY BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday to...

Declan turning 1,
Mia, Ophelia, and Chase turning 2,
Alice turning 3,
and
Jaylynn and Henry turning 5

as well as

Miss Smith, Mrs. Culligan, and Mrs.
Hunter

GENERAL REMINDERS

Here are a few dates to keep in your
calendar:

Monday, July 4th Closed for Independence
Day

Friday December 2nd at 6pm, COTL
Christmas Concert (2-5-year old's)

DUCK'S

Infants 1

Hello parents!

The days continue to speed by, and here we find ourselves once again at the start of a new month – and the beginning of the next half of the year. Boy, did these babies grow in June! Right now, we have: one avid crawler/explorer, two fantastic sitter uppers, and a few amazing army-crawlers + wiggly roller-overs! We will also be gaining one more baby in July which will make our room complete! Welcome Baby Nora! We've also seen many of our babies take the leap from only eating bottles, to including baby foods, and they've done so well! It's so fun to see each child's growth as they discover new and exciting things – every child is unique, and it's such a privilege to help them along as they continue to learn and grow.

We hope all of you fathers had a great Father's Day and enjoyed the crafts we made for you, and we wish you all a Happy Independence Day! We look forward to all the good things that are in store for us in July! May the coming month be overflowing with joy for you all!

– Miss Green

CHICK'S

Infants 2

Hello Chick Families,

I can't believe it is already July. June brought many fun activities and two special birthdays in our classroom, as well as multiple milestones within the room. This past month we celebrated, Taevyon's 1st birthday! As well as Graham turning 1 too! We had many friends who started to be able to stand up all on their own for multiple seconds. We even had one child start to take small steps YAY!! Another milestone that happened this month is we had another child start to eat solid foods, so we have 5 eaters in the class. It's so exciting to watch each of your children grow!

This past month was very warm, so we only made it out a few times for a stroller ride, but with it being warm we had a water day!! Only four children in the class got to participate, but they all enjoyed the water and the sun! Hopefully the rest of the class is able to join the next one in July. This past month we did various things, within the classroom from art, to sensory play, to being able to play with some new toys. Every child is starting to love all our sensory play, with paint, water, and string.

This next month we are looking forward to introducing shaving cream into the new sensory play bin! As well as hopefully having all the children join in on water day. However, this next month three of our friends move up, we will miss them! But we are excited to be a smaller class where we can focus more on playing with one another.

Have an awesome month of July, and Happy Independence day(:

Miss. Scott



TURTLE'S

Toddler 1
Hello

We have really enjoyed the month of June. We love going outside to the playground when it's not too hot out. We have been doing some fun art projects and sensory activities as well!

Water day was very fun for us! Most of our friends loved playing in the sprinkler and splashing in the puddles. We can't wait for our next water day in July!

Lastly, we are enjoying our last couple of weeks together as a small class of 4, as we will be getting 4 new friends the first week of July!

-Miss Krogan

SNAIL'S

Toddler 2

Hello

My name is Caitlin Sargent, and I am the lead teacher in the Toddler 2 room (The Snails). I grew up in Onalaska, WI but moved to La Crosse when I was in middle school. I have one little brother and one sister that works here with us! I enjoy spending my free time outside when the weather is nice. I love working with all the kids every day!

Miss Sargent

TREE FROG'S

2's

Hello, Tree Frog Families!

It has been a busy month in the Tree Frog room. We welcomed our new co-lead teacher Mrs. Hansen on June 6th and she has been wonderful to have! We are starting to get a new routine down with teaching your Tree Frogs potty training skills, listening skills and cleaning up after stations. We also helped your Tree Frogs make the cutest Father's Day cards for all the great dads the kids have! The Tree Frogs have been working hard on singing our ABCs and learning the colors of the rainbow. In July we are looking forward to the 4th of July and doing a few special crafts with the Tree Frogs to help celebrate America's Independence Day! We will also have another water day on July 12th. We will continue working on our colors and counting! We are going to focus on sharing and being kind to one another this month. Lastly, remember, as we enter the hottest months of the year, please send your child with a water bottle! Happy Summer!

-Ms. Barrette and Mrs. Hansen



TIGER'S

3's

Hey there from the Tiger room!!

We are excited to welcome some new students to our room, who have moved up from the Tree Frog room. New students in the classroom have caused a new dynamic that I am still trying to figure out. We have had some hard behaviors I am trying to work through and figure out what the best plan of action is. We love to test boundaries in the Tiger room and that is fine as long as we are all staying safe. If you have any tips or suggestions that help your child, I would greatly appreciate any advice. We enjoyed having a water day this past month. I will write out a reminder on our my day sheets for the next water day coming up in July.

We are working on mastering our colors and shapes. We are working on using our words to communicate what we want instead of just screaming. We are also working on standing up for ourselves and expressing how we feel to others by using our words. We are going to have lots of fun this month doing summer crafts and activities. Thanks for checking in and we will see you next month.

The Tigers
-Mrs. Garcia

PENGUIN'S

4-5's

Hello Penguin Families,

I'm Courtney Culligan. I was born and raised in La Crosse. I went to school at the University of Wisconsin Superior. I am married and have two wonderful children who are also at the daycare. In my free time I love to read and spend time with my kiddos. I have also attended Living Word Christian Church my entire life and am so blessed to be here and to get to teach your wonderful children.

We have been having a wonderful summer so far! We have enjoyed playing outside and having our first water day! We have also been learning a lot, we have learned about dinosaurs, Father's Day, Flags, and we are also working hard on recognizing letters from the alphabet when they are out of order.

I also wanted to take a moment to say how excited I am to be back and teaching your wonderful kiddos! I look forward to so much more fun and learning the rest of this summer before the school year starts.

Mrs. Culligan

