Notes From the Office:

Hello Families,

As the weather continues to warm up, we kindly encourage you to send your child to daycare with a labeled water bottle to help them stay hydrated throughout the day.

Please also take a moment at pickup to ensure you're taking home the correct water bottle, as many children have similar ones. Clearly labeling your child's bottle helps prevent mix-ups and keeps everyone healthy and safe.

Thank you for your cooperation! Miss Bott

Birthdays

We'd like to take a moment to wish a very Happy Birthday to the following students and staff members!

May your special day be filled with joy, laughter, and lots of fun.

Happy 2nd Birthday to Slone

and



Weather

Summer is Here!

With the arrival of summer, please ensure your child comes to daycare dressed in weather-appropriate clothing to keep them comfortable during outdoor play. We also recommend sending a spare set of clothes in case of spills or accidents. Feel free to pack hats and/or sunglasses to help protect your child from the sun while they're enjoying time outside.

Thank you for helping us keep your little ones safe and comfortable this season!

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The Year Ahead!

Here are some future dates to mark on your calendar:

Thursday, June 5th - COTL Pre-School Graduation at 6pm Tuesday, June 17th - Water Day Friday, July 4th - Closed Tuesday, July 8th - Water Day Tuesday, August 12th - Water Day Monday, September 1st - Closed Thursday, November 27th - Closed Friday, November 28th - Hours change to 7am-5pm Friday, December 12th - Christmas Concert at 6pm Wednesday, December 25th - Closed Thursday, December 25th - Closed

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Infant Room

Dear Duckling Families,

Welcome to the month of June! As the days get longer and warmer, we're excited to dive into summer with your little ones. This month brings new opportunities for growth, play, and discovery. Here's a peek at what's coming up in our classroom!

What We're Learning

We'll be exploring the five senses with sensory bins, outdoor walks, music, and stories. Expect lots of textures and sounds to help stimulate curiosity and early cognitive development.

We're also encouraging:

• Gross motor skills with tummy time, crawling, cruising, and outdoor play.

• Language development through songs, rhymes, and story time.

• Fine motor skills with grasping toys, finger painting, and sensory bags.

Special Activities

• Bubble Play – We'll have outdoor bubble fun on sunny days!

• Father's Day Crafts – We're making a sweet surprise to celebrate all our wonderful dads and father figures!

A Note of Thanks

We are so grateful for the trust you place in us every day. Your babies bring so much joy to our classroom, and we love watching them grow, giggle, and discover the world around them. Thank you for being part of our little family!

Warmly, Mrs Konopacki

Toddler Room

Hello Turtle Families!

During the month of May, we created a special craft to celebrate all of the wonderful mothers. We also took full advantage of the beautiful weather by spending lots of time outside on the playground, where the children had fun running, climbing, and playing together.

Looking ahead to June, we will be making a special craft in honor of all the fabulous fathers. We will also continue to enjoy the outdoors by going on walks and spending time on the playground. Being outside not only allows us to get plenty of fresh air, but also helps the children build important social and large motor skills through active play.

Miss Nalett



Christine Konopacki Infant Teacher



Heather Nalett Toddler Teacher

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Tree Frog Room

Hello Tree Frog Families and hello June! It's crazy to think that May has come and gone already - let's recap it!

May was a little bit different as I got sick, and was not here as often as usual, but we still had another month full of learning and fun! We got to see pictures and videos about farm animals, we played in the sun, watched the rain, and we enjoyed several Laura Numeroff books (such as, "If You Give a Mouse a Cookie").

May also held several special events! First off, we had our spring concert! The kids did an amazing job, and it was so fun to see all the families together and have the opportunity to get to know each other.

Next came Teacher Appreciation Week. You all were so kind, and I know I truly felt your appreciation! Thank you for your kind words and gifts!

That same week is also Nurse Appreciation Week, and so we made some cards for the parents in our daycare who are nurses! Thank you for all you do!

Next came Mother's Day! We hope you had a wonderful time celebrating with your families and that you enjoyed the cute craft some of my fellow teachers helped your kiddos to make while I was gone.

Finally, I hope you all had a good Memorial Day Weekend, remembering those who gave it all to give us freedom.

That brings us to the end of May, where we welcomed a brand-new friend to our classroom. Welcome Henry! Our classroom is getting quite full, so Miss Sargent and other teachers have been assisting me as needed.

As always, if you have any questions, please reach out to me or Mrs. Hunter - either in person or through the daycare email. It is truly a privilege to teach your children - they are such a blessing from the Lord! I hope June finds you happy and healthy!

Tiger Room

We've had a wonderful month filled with learning, laughter, and LOTS of hands-on fun. Your little Tigers have been so busy exploring, creating, and growing each day — we're so proud of them!

Springtime Art Fun

This month, our Tigers have been extra creative! We made beautiful spring-themed artwork, crafted special gifts for Mother's Day, and created patriotic projects in honor of Memorial Day. Right now, the children are hard at work on a surprise for Father's Day — we can't wait to send them home soon!

Outdoor Adventures

Now that the weather is warming up, we've been soaking up the sunshine with more outdoor time. We're still enjoying our daily circle time with songs, stories, and learning but now we're balancing that with more active play outside. The kids have loved running, digging, riding, and pretending in our outdoor space.

Learning Through Play

This month, we've focused on springtime themes, talking about flowers, bugs, and weather changes. We've also practiced important preschool skills like taking turns, using our words, counting, color recognition, and more — all through games, songs, and hands-on play.

Thank you for all your continued support — we love spending our days with your sweet Tigers!

With care, Mrs. Culligan



Jasmine Green Twos Teacher



Courtney Culligan Threes Teacher

Love, Miss Green