



**FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
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### Early Learning Center News

August 2017 Edition



resume in October. Stay tuned for more information...



✓ Wacky Water  
Wednesdays will continue until  
Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>!

### Early Learning Center Meet the Teacher Open House

**Join us for an informal open classroom visit  
time for the whole family!**

*(Please note that our formal adult only  
curriculum night will occur in October)*

- **Explore the classroom together with your child**
- **Meet other families of children in the classroom**
- **Say hello to the teachers in an informal setting**

**Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>**

4:00-5:00pm All Infant/Toddler Classrooms

5:00-6:00pm All Preschool/

Pre-K/Kindergarten Classrooms

**All Families are welcomed to picnic  
behind the playground before or after  
their open house time!**

### Upcoming ELC Family Engagement Events

Please join us for one or all of the following family engagement activities! These events are open to all of our current families and to our newly enrolled families as well.

#### **The Fun Bus**

(Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> 3:30-5:00pm)

3:30-4:00 Pre-K and Kindergarten

4:00-4:30 All Toddler Classrooms

4:30-5:00 Transitional Pre, Preschool 1  
and 2

#### **"ELC Strong" Stroller Boot Camp**

(Mondays in August at 6:00pm starting Aug. 7<sup>th</sup>)

Join us on Monday evenings in August for a new kind of family engagement activity! Get fit as a family at the ELC Strong Stroller Boot Camp!

Bring your children in a stroller (or come alone!) and practice some healthy living with other ELC families! The class will be taught by instructor Kate Woodard and will take place in the ELC back parking lot (the Trike Trek area) at 6:00-6:45pm.

#### **ELC Cozy Coupe Wash**

(Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> during playground time)

**Beep, beep! Calling all cozy coupes for the cozy coupe car wash!** If you have a **Cozy Coupe** car that you would like thoroughly **washed**, cleaned, and are willing to share for a few days, we would love to borrow it! If you are willing to lend us your **Cozy Coupe** for the day, please do the following:

### ELC Reminders



- Reminder: The ELC will be closed on Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup> and Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>

as teachers get ready for the new school year!



- Summer Aquatic Safety Sessions at the Emilson Branch will end for the summer the week of August 21<sup>st</sup>. The last day of summer swim will be Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. Aquatics Safety Sessions will

- Please email Jamee at jbeaudry@ssymca.org, letting me know that you will be lending a **Cozy Coupe**.
- Label the **Cozy Coupe** with your family's last name (with a permanent marker) on the inside door.
- Leave your **Cozy Coupe** in front of the playground on Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- You can take your **Cozy Coupe** home with you on the afternoon of Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> and it will be nice and clean!

children's belongings, especially sunscreen and bug spray.

- ✓ If you have information to share with your child's teacher please use the "Information for my child's teacher" forms located at the front desk.
- ✓ Please remember to sign your child in and out each day at the sign in areas and in the classroom.
- ✓ Families are welcome to call the Center during rest time daily (1:00-2:30pm) to inquire about their child.



### **ELC Best Practices and Policies**

As we begin a new school year with new friends, families and teachers it is a great time to send out a few reminders about

ELC's best practices and policies to maintain a safe and efficient early childhood center. Please read over the following and do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions.



✓ If you have a question/concern-please ask! Working together is the best way to help your child.

- ✓ ELC is a locked building at all times. All enrolled families and staff have key fobs to access the building. **Please do not hold the door open for others.** Visitors should be encouraged to ring the doorbell and wait for an ELC staff person to answer. Remember, this policy is not rude, it's safety.
- ✓ Please take it slow in the parking lot. A left hand turn out of our parking lot is strictly forbidden. If you need to go travel south on Rt. 53 please turn around in the Target Parking lot.
- ✓ If your child will be late (after 9:00am) or absent, please call or email the Center at 781-826-7900 to inform us of their absence. We will call to inquire about your child if we are not aware of their planned absence.
- ✓ Please use the marker and tape located at both sign in desks to label all of your

### **Pizza Friday is Back!**

We will be ordering from Mama Mia's in Hanover beginning this Friday, August 4<sup>th</sup>. If your child will be participating, please remember to check off their name on the classroom attendance as ordering lunch so that they will be included in the lunch order. Also, please place \$5 in the classroom envelope located next to the clipboard. **Please be courteous and pay at the time that your order is placed as we use this money to pay for the pizza! Thank you!**

### **Healthy Lunchbox Ideas**

A picture is worth a thousand words...

