



# SUMMER 2009

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*A message from the Educational Director Dee Wagner...*

## CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR GRADUATES.

The 2009 Christ the King Pre-School Graduation was spectacular. The children put on a spectacular show in the high school auditorium. The hard work of the teachers and children paid off with beautiful decorations and stage show. The happiness and pride of the occasion was reflected in each parents' eyes. Thank you to all for your cooperation in making the evening a success.

We hear from many neighborhood schools and teachers on how well our graduates are doing in school. Please come and visit during the school year and let us know how you are doing. This is a helpful hint for those children who have a hard time adjusting in their new schools in September. Often a child thinks that he/she is the only one in a new school and all their friends are still in the old school. When they see that there are all new faces, and all of their friends are gone, they don't even want to stay. This helps them feel more positive about their new school and class.

Our Summer Program is in high gear and full swing. The children are having fun in the sprinklers. They are learning volleyball and badminton. Be sure to check out our July and August Calendar of Events for all the special fun and sun-filled events.

**IMPORTANT: AT LEAST 2 WEEKS NOTICE IS NEEDED WHEN WITHDRAWING YOUR CHILD FROM OUR SCHOOL IN ORDER TO RECEIVE YOUR SECURITY DEPOSIT.**

# The Learning Corner

WITH DEE WAGNER



## July will be a very exciting month here at the daycare!

- In the month of July we will be reviewing everything we've learned. We will review all the numbers from 1 – 20, all of the shapes we have covered and all of the letters that we have learned. We will wear the colors red, white and blue to school.
- VACATION: JUNE 29<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH JULY 3<sup>RD</sup>
- During the second week of July we will learn about outdoor fun and summer safety tips. Then we'll have a blast in the sprinklers in the playground.
- The children will learn and play outdoor activities and games, like jumping rope and ball.
- The week of July 20th we will learn about Under the Sea Creatures and end the week with a Beach party and our Sand Castles.
- On Friday July 24<sup>th</sup> we will have our annual Sand Castle Contest. All rooms will participate in it and we will have a special judge flying in from the beaches of California to determine the best castle.

## August will be even more exciting!

- The First week of August we will have more fun outdoors with a picnic.
- August 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> will be our annual Carnival In the hall.
- Our Summer Olympics will be the week of August 10<sup>th</sup>.
- More reviewing of our letters and numbers will be on the week of August 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Our Science Fair will be on August 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>





## A Word From Our Assistant Director/Nurse JOAN RIORDAN

With the arrival of summer, there are a few reminders: Check your child's cubby for weather appropriate clothing. It is a good idea to have a sweater or sweatshirt just in case the temperature drops. Make sure your child has swimwear-bathing suit, swim diapers, towel and beach shoes. The children will be needing sun block of at least spf 15. In applying the sunscreen make sure to apply the back of the neck and earlobes in addition to the face, arms...etc. For the infants and toddlers, hats with back flaps are great protection for the back of the neck. Sunscreen should be applied 2-3 hours before exposure to the sun. If parents would apply sunscreen to their children it would be greatly appreciated. Some of the classes have 24 children. Applying sunscreen to so many children is very time consuming and takes away from activity and learning time for the children.

The summer is a time for picnics, barbecues, and much outdoor fun with family and friends. To keep yourselves and your children healthy, remember to keep cold foods cold and hot foods hot. Food poisoning can ruin joyous occasions. Be sure children are in proper attire to run, play, skip, and climb. Sandals look cute and cool however, sneakers are much safer.

Please do not bring toys, tapes, etc., to school. We have plenty of toys for our children to play with.

Thank you – Joan Riordan R.N.



HAPPY JULY

BIRTHDAY TO:



HAPPY AUGUST

BIRTHDAY TO:

**Gianna B. – 7/2/2006**  
**Austin G. – 7/5/2007**  
**Gina S. – 7/6/2004**  
**Jadin M. – 7/10/2008**  
**Emma E. – 7/15/2004**  
**Enya M. – 7/15/2008**  
**Damien C. – 7/16/2005**  
**Conor R. – 7/22/2005**  
**Matthew B. – 7/23/2004**  
**Zoe K. – 7/5/2006**  
**Anthony L. – 7/11/2005**  
**Damien C. – 7/16/2005**  
**Naomi D. – 7/25/2007**  
**Catherine O. – 7/23/2007**  
**Jenna C. – 7/26/2004**  
**Roisin H. – 7/27/2005**  
**Leah K. – 7/28/2004**  
**Ava M. – 7/29/2005**  
**Liam S. – 7/29/2006**

**Vincent L. – 8/8/2004**  
**Carmin C. – 8/2/2004**  
**Joseph H. – 8/8/2007**  
**Vanessa B. – 8/9/2006**  
**Abigail S. – 8/9/2005**  
**Steven M. – 8/11/2004**  
**Kayla H. – 8/22/2007**  
**Zoe M. – 8/22/2005**  
**Logan S. – 8/23/2004**  
**Christian D. – 8/29/2004**  
**Evan G. – 8/30/2004**  
**Samantha H. – 8/31/2005**



## Happy July Anniversary To:

**Keelan M. – 7/1/2005**  
**Christina G. – 7/7/2008**  
**Gianna B. – 7/9/2007**  
**Paige M. – 7/9/2007**  
**Julie S. – 7/9/2007**  
**Randy S. – 7/9/2007**  
**Amanda S. – 7/10/2006**  
**Valentina M. – 7/9/2008**  
**Brandon B. – 7/14/2008**  
**Briana C. – 7/18/2008**  
**Alyssa M. – 7/11/2006**  
**Samantha B. – 7/11/2007**  
**Isabella S. – 7/12/2006**  
**Samantha H. – 7/19/2004**  
**Alexander M. – 7/19/2006**  
**Conor R. – 7/22/2006**



## Happy August Anniversary To:

**Leah K. – 8/1/2005**  
**Kaia M. – 8/1/2006**  
**Erin W. – 8/2/2004**  
**Sabastian B. – 8/4/2008**  
**Justin G. – 8/6/2008**  
**Lucas S. – 8/25/2008**  
**Kayla D. – 8/27/2008**  
**Andrew K. – 8/8/2006**  
**Jenna S. – 8/9/2004**  
**Christopher G. – 8/10/2005**  
**Julia G. – 8/10/2005**  
**Renee S. – 8/14/2006**  
**Joseph H. – 8/27/2007**  
**Anya G. – 8/29/2007**  
**Stephen T. – 8/30/2007**

The Hot Weather Is Here!



**Please bring in the following items so that your child may have fun in our sprinklers!**

- 1. Swimsuit**
- 2. Water Shoes**
- 3. A small towel**
- 4. Sun hat/cap (for infants/neck coverage)**
- 5. Sun Screen (parents apply in the morning and we reapply in the afternoon)**
- 6. Swim diapers if needed**

# QUOTES OF THE MONTH

**Conor O. – Angels**

**Miss Caroline and Miss Mary were teaching the Angels about the lifecycle of a butterfly. They showed the Angels the caterpillar turning into a cocoon. Conor then said, “Miss Caroline, I want to see the bug in the coon!”**

**Christopher G. – Angels**

**Miss Mary was letting the children go potty in the morning. Christopher accidentally peed his pants a little bit. Miss Mary said, “No pee pee in your pants!” Christopher then replied, “Don’t worry, I’ll put them in the wash!”**

