

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Language: Waving and saying hello Sensory: Water table Motor: Walking in the grass Circle Time Song: Hello and Goodbye				
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	FAMILY POT LUCK 13 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Primary class Art Show LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	14 NO SCHOOL TEACHER INSERVICE DAY
17 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE	18 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE	19 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE	20 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE	21 CHILD CARE AVAILABLE
You must sign up in advance - NO DROP INS ACCEPTED				
24 FIRST DAY OF SUMMER SCHOOL	25	26	27	28 SEE NEWSLETTER ON REVERSE

It's so hard to believe it is already June! This year has flown by!

This month we will take advantage of the warmer weather by exploring outside and using our water table for sensory play. With that in mind, please make sure your child has sunscreen at school and is applied by you each morning before arrival. We will apply it again later in the day. Also, a sunhat, extra clothes and water shoes would be great to leave at school.

For the families of our older infants, I would like to encourage you to have your child start walking into class each day if he or she is already walking. It instills a sense of pride in each child to see that he or she can do it on his or her own and begins to prepare the child for the transition to the toddler class.

Finally, as the days get warmer more liquids may be necessary to keep us all hydrated. You can leave a water cup with us at school and we can fill it with filtered water each day, or you can bring in a cup each day. Let me know if your child has any restrictions on the amount of water your child can have.

Happy June,

Mrs. Angela and Ms. Betsy



Managing Director Notes - From Mrs. May

It is hard to believe this year is coming to an end!

It seems like just the other day there were some tears from anxious children and parents as they were walking in the school heading to their classrooms.

Now there are some tears when parents come to pick their children up because they don't want to go and some tears as we say so long and until we meet again to some of our MIM family who will be moving on!

Good byes are never easy, but we also have joy in knowing that Montessori education has contributed to the children's growth, preparedness and development.

We are excited about the changes that will be taking place next year to enrich our school and programs even more.

Thanks to all your generosity from this years "Remember Me" auction we are able to purchase a new play structure for the upper playground as well as planning and expanding our outdoor enrichment area.

Dr. Montessori understood the importance of taking children outside. When the child is outside, all of her senses are stimulated. It can also help improve cognitive and social development. Surrounded by the big outdoors, children can explore by touching, seeing, hearing, and when safe, even tasting. This awakens the senses and calls the child to come explore, creating a sense of awe and wonder that will be important throughout her life, while allowing children to get fresh air and explore the natural world in a hands-on way. The positive impact of nature, however, goes beyond play and fresh air. Outside, children are free to run and jump and expend all of their energy. This physical activity performs a valuable form of stimulation that contributes to healthy mental and physical growth. Infants and toddlers also benefit from physical exercise and activity. For instance, when you push a child in a swing, they engage muscles, holding on, coordinate their body with the rhythm, and gain valuable insights into physical activity, cause and effect, and spatial awareness.

Research supports the need for children to spend more time outdoors. According to the American Academy of Pediatrics, 60 minutes of daily unstructured free play is essential to children's physical and mental health. Unfortunately, studies indicate that children are spending only half as much time outdoors as they did 20 years ago.

Additionally, when playing outside, children are more likely to invent games, especially when playing with others. This allows them to learn about the world, be in control, make decisions, cooperate with others, invent and follow rules, and have fun while learning. It also helps improve communication skills and valuable social customs (learning to play together and cooperate).

For the 2019 - 2020 school year we will be adding outdoor enrichment once a week to the Primary classes along with Physical Education two times a week and Art and Music once a week. All this in addition to the well planned out Montessori curriculum. We are all so excited about MIM's future!

I am so appreciative of all of you that have loved and supported us so well this year. I always tell people that MIM has the BEST families! We could not do what we love with out your support. Thank you doesn't seem like enough, but THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

I hope you all have a wonderful summer and please remember to stop by and visit. Until we meet again.
Warmest Regards!
Tonya May

DATES TO REMEMBER

2019-2020 Fall Enrollment Open
Applications Available in the Office

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REMEMBER ME AUCTION

Thank you - Thank you
To Everyone
Who



PARTICIPATED
IN OUR
2019 AUCTION



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YEARS RAFFLE!

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