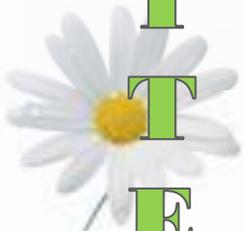


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With spring approaching weather conditions are going to be somewhat erratic with warm days and cool days. We would really appreciate our parents to continue to dress their children according to the weather so they may enjoy going outdoors to play. With spring approaching so does the rain and at times a messy playground. We encourage you to leave the children's boots at the center to use until the rainy weather passes.



SUNSCREEN

To protect your child's skin from the sun and outdoor exposures we ask that each child bring a bottle/tube of sunscreen labeled for identification. We will apply the sunscreen as needed and indicated. You may give this to your assigned room's teacher. Thank you!

SWIMMING SEASON!



Swimming season is almost upon us. Now is the time to start gathering your child's swimming supplies! We ask that you bring your child's swimming suit to the Center with their names marked clearly for identification. Just think of having 25-50 swimming suits unmarked and how frustrated the teachers and children become when they cannot determine which suit belongs to whom. Just remember when purchasing a swimming suit, if you thought it was cute so did everyone else! Parents of children in diapers we ask that you bring a package of "Little Swimmers" again remember to place your child's name on the package of swimmers. If your child does not have the "Little Swimmers" they cannot get into the water. This is for the health and safety of each child.





We will not be using swimming pools this year. Even though our center uses chlorine/bleach in the pools there is an increased incidence of cross contamination. However, we will have sprinklers going so they will have plenty of water play.



NO RUNNING IN THE BUILDING!

PARENTS, PLEASE REMIND YOUR CHILDREN NOT TO RUN INSIDE THE BUILDING! WE HAVE NOTICED AN INCREASED NUMBER OF CHILDREN RUNNING INTO THE BUILDING AND INTO THEIR ROOM BEFORE THE PARENTS CAN GET INTO THE BUILDING. ☹️ THROUGHOUT THE DAY OUR TEACHERS REMIND THE CHILDREN THEY ARE TO RUN OUTDOORS NOT INSIDE. WALK! WALK! WALK! OTHERWISE CHILDREN AND OTHERS ARE GOING TO GET HURT!

THANK YOU!



SEVERE WEATHER

The Nannies Unlimited Child Center & Preschool's policy and procedure during a tornado warning:

Children located in the Nursery, Toddler, Two, and four year olds will go to the Three Year Old room located in the lower level of the south building. The children will crouch down on the floor, placing their heads between their knees while covering their heads with their hands.

The Nannies have monthly tornado drills to familiarize the children with these procedures. The Center also has weather radios that receive their information from the National Weather

Service. The weather radios automatically alert the staff when a watch or warning is issued. The Nannies Unlimited realizes that your child's safety is of your up most concern. However, the Center requests that parents refrain from telephoning the Center during a tornado warning. This will enable the staff to focus on the children's safety and security without distractions. If there is a concern you need to be notified of, the staff will contact you immediately.



Summer is also rapidly approaching and will be here before you know it! The Nannies are planning a fun and exciting summer in the sun! We would like to ask our parents to help us out with these

summer plans. We have many field trips scheduled along with different arts and crafts planned. It would be very helpful if you read all correspondence that we have posted either on your child's cubby/door or at the main entrance. We do not want any child to miss out on the fun. However, due to staffing needs and the need to make certain reservations in advance, it is imperative that you read all instructions, follow those guidelines and sign your child up as soon as possible. For children ages three years of age and older, we will be using the Center's vans. Each van has been equipped with the appropriate safety standards. If you have concerns about this and you would rather your child NOT attend the out of Center field trips, this is also your option. Parents of children under the age of three will NOT attend out of Center field trips.



PRESCHOOL FIREFLIES GRADUATION!

It has been another exciting year! Just to be a part of your child's growth and development in preparation for kindergarten has been very rewarding. We appreciate the support and trust each parent has given The Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc., and allowing the teachers the opportunity to work with your child (ren)

Thank you.

**THE PRESCHOOL
GRADUATION IS
SCHEDULED FOR
WEDNESDAY MAY
15, 2014 AT 4:00**

PM. Space is limited in the Firefly room where the ceremony is held, so we ask that you limit your guests to allow parents the first opportunity to see this special event.



To those parents who have children in the Firefly room attending kindergarten in the Fall of 2014, rates will be adjusted the first week of school towards the end of August 2014. Tuition for children attending before and after school will be \$78.00/wk. Those children attending either before or after school, tuition will be \$58.00/wk. If your child is enrolled in our school program they will be eligible to attend, "no school days" due to any reason. The price for a child to attend an extra no school day will be \$35.00/day. However, their price will never exceed the weekly tuition rate for schoolers of \$115.00/wk. Further information will be sent to the parents for those who wish to participate in our school age program.





Outdoor Play

Outdoor play is an important part of our daily curriculum as weather permits. It is important for parents to provide the appropriate clothing and outerwear for the weather conditions (e.g. Jackets on cooler days etc...) Trees often shelter our playgrounds from the sun however we will apply sunscreen to the children when temperature/weather in the summer/spring warrant. During the winter months, the building provides some shelter from winds however; children will need hats, mittens and coats (at a minimum). The Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc. checks weather conditions routinely.

Official Heat Index:

The Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc. uses the following chart to determine outdoor play conditions. The center's administration frequently checks the heat index and plans accordingly. The teachers supervise the children's hydration and offer and encourage frequent fluid intake.

Heat Index below 90 Degrees:
No restrictions.

Heat Index 90 Degree: ½ hour intervals outdoors.

Heat Index above 90 Degrees: 15 minute intervals outdoors under the trees/shaded areas. The staff and children may stay out longer with water play and appropriate sun screen reapplied at frequent intervals. When air pollutants are such to severely affect both children and adults, no outdoor play is permitted. (Again this will be determined by administration).

General Policy:

Teachers will plan at least 1 hour of outdoor play each day as weather permits. Depriving children from outdoor playtime is detrimental to children's health especially in recent medical studies showing concerns about increased childhood obesity and excessive sedentary activities.

Our policy states that if a child is well enough to be at the Center then they are well enough to go outdoors.



Entrance and Exits!

When entering the parking lot area PLEASE enter through

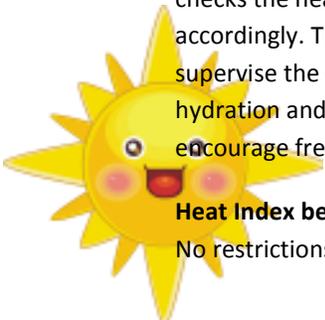
the east entrance and exit from the west entrance.

This will help keep the flow of traffic in one direction preventing a potential accident from occurring. Also, we ask that everyone please slow down and be aware of others in the parking lot. We want everyone to stay safe. There are times that children get away from their parents and dart in front of other vehicles.



Diapers and Wipes

Diapers and wipes are due the first Monday of every month! This has always been a good way for us to keep a supply



of diapers for your child here at the Center. Keep in mind if we do not have a supply of your child's diapers we will use the daycare supplies, however you will be charged \$1.00 per diaper. We appreciate everyone bringing their supply when needed. Thank you!



Policies and Procedure Reminders!

Please notify the Center when you have a change in address or phone numbers, whether it is work or home so we may keep our records updated for the safety of your child.

Children who leave the Center during the day, for any reason are considered gone and WILL NOT return. So remember when making doctor appointments etc...that it might be best to make them towards the end of the day.

If your child, for any reason is not attending the Center for the day, please notify the facility as soon as

possible, prior to 8:30 am. This helps our staffing needs and keeps your daycare costs down as much as possible.

All children are to be signed in and out by the parent when arriving and leaving the Center. We ask that the children NOT sign themselves in and out. These are documents that we have audited. :~



Birthdays/Tuition

Parents: Please notify administration in writing when your child has a birthday. There could be tuition adjustments to be made especially when the child turns two years of age.

Parents/Families are responsible for this notification.

Unfortunately there will NOT be any type of reimbursements or adjustments made for any oversight regarding changes in your child's tuition.

Children who are in elementary school do not need to notify the office of their child's birthdates. Tuition does not usually change after they are enrolled in elementary school.



FIELD TRIP

Field trips are being scheduled for the summer of 2014 and the forms are coming out shortly! Each child, from the Ladybug room, Ms Melissa (three/four year olds), Firefly room, Ms Autumn (four/five year olds) to the Hornet room, Ms. Lauri (school age children) will receive a letter regarding the field trips, if you do not receive one in your cubby please come to the office and we will be happy to supply you one. At the bottom of the form is an area for your signature giving permission for your child to attend the field trips. For school age children (already attending elementary school) detach the upper portion so you may have a schedule of the field trips! If you have any question please let us know.

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