

July Issue 2020

The Kid Times

Dates to remember:

July 3:
4th of July Weekend
KIDTIME CLOSED

July 24:
Last Day of KT
Summer Program

August 10th:
In-service Day
KIDTIME OPEN 7-6

Hi parents!

It's official – we can call the first four weeks of the Kidtime Summer Program a success! The children have enjoyed the crazy crafts, challenging STEAM projects and the French and Spanish classes. In July, we have many more exciting activities planned; starting with Spirit Week!

KIDTIME SPIRIT WEEK!

MONDAY - SPORT YOUR SPORT!

WEAR A JERSEY OR T-SHIRT THAT REPRESENTS YOUR FAVORITE SPORTS TEAM.

TUESDAY - OUT OF THIS WORLD!

DRESS UP IN YOUR MAGICAL, IMAGINATIVE, INTERSTELLAR OUTFITS.

WEDNESDAY - WACKY WEDNESDAY!

DRESS UP IN LOTS OF BRIGHT COLORS AND CRAZY PATTERNS.

THURSDAY - RED, WHITE, & BLUE!

SHOW YOUR PATRIOTIC PRIDE.



During Spirit Week (June 29th – July 3rd), we will also be having a mini talent show with any children who are interested in performing. With your permission, we will be recording your child to share with other groups. Please be on the lookout for a permission slip from Ms. Kara or Ms. Alex. On July 8th (Wednesday), we will have a water day. Please be sure to pack your child a towel and a dry change of clothing for the rest of the day.

We're looking forward to an explosive month of July. We want to wish everyone a Happy Independence Day!

From Us to You:

Weekly Summer themes:

June 29-July 3:
Spirit Week

July 6-10: Lost at
Sea

July 13-17:
Engineering
Explorers

July 20-24: Lights,
Camera, Action

Is there a cure for the Coronavirus? No, there isn't a cure yet, but there are ways to protect yourself against possible exposure and build up your immune system. One of the easiest ways to improve your immune system is vitamin D. Schiffman (2020) encourages readers to "let the sunshine in". It's crucial to get a little sun every day. "Moderate sunlight exposure is capable of modulating the immune system and improving health." Sunlight isn't a cure, but it is a vitamin.



Reference: <https://www.nytimes.com/2020/04/28/well/live/coronavirus-sunlight-uv-stress-mood-immune-system-vitamin-D.html>

News

- If your child is sick, they cannot come back to school or KT until they are fever-free for 24 hours and are no longer vomiting.
- **All staff and all students will have their temperatures taken before entry to the building. If they have a fever of 100.4 or above, they will not be admitted to the building.** Staff and students will also complete a survey screening for COVID-19 symptoms including questions such as, "Have you had any shortness of breath?"
- **All field trips have been cancelled for the summer.** Special guests have been cancelled for the time being until it is safe for them to re-enter the program.



Reminders:

- Parents are not allowed to walk through the school unattended. If your child needs to return to their classroom, please let a counselor know, and they will walk them back.
- We close at 6. Please let us know if you're going to be late. We do charge a late fee if it is a reoccurring problem.
- **Please plan on dropping off children between 7-9:30 and picking up children between 3-6.** If there is a special circumstance or emergency, parents will need to contact Ms. Kara or Ms. Alex to make adjustments drop off and pick up times.
- **Please let us know through phone call, text, or email if your child is not going to be at KT.** Letting your child's teacher know is not the same. We do charge a finder's fee, if we have to hunt them down.

Babysitting List:

Ms. Lexi: (865) 309-9551
Ms. Baylee: (865) 441-1476
Ms. Jordan: (239) 671-9518

As always, please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions, comments, or concerns!

(865) 406-9285

kara@kidtime.org