



## Bedford Child Development Center May 2018 Newsletter

### **News from the Director:**

With the warm weather finally approaching, we are asking all parents to take home their child's extra winter clothes and bring in spring/summer clothes to be kept in case of accidents or more importantly if we are having too much fun outdoors and get a little dirty! Please make sure you label your child's clothing so they are not mixed with other children's or the center's extra clothes. Also, we will be staying outdoors for longer periods of time during the day, and request parents to bring in sunscreen and/or bug spray (labeled with your child's name) if you would like your child's teacher to apply it to your child. You may also like to bring in a hat for your child to protect them from the sun.

On Monday, May 7, 2018, the teacher will start implementing the communication app, Bloomz. If you are interested in receiving your communications/ pictures and seeing your child's classroom schedule, including a snack calendar you will need to download this app onto your phone and/or tablet. Please be patient with us as we implementing this app onto our devices and learn all the ins and outs of the tools we may use to keep all of you informed.

Bike Days – If your child has a two wheel bike they MUST have a helmet to ride. Also please make sure your child's bike and helmet are labeled with their name.

### **Looking ahead:**

- Preschool graduation will be taking place on June 1<sup>st</sup> from 3:00-4:00pm. We will be putting this on just for the parents/family members of the children who are going to kindergarten in the fall. If you have any questions please see the office.
- Summer Program starts on Monday, June 18<sup>th</sup> (fun lunch days, picnics, water day, bike days, pajama days, show-n-shares, backwards day, crazy hair days, hat day, beach party, ice cream social, tie dye t-shirts). Summer newsletter will be sent out the week before the summer program begins with all of the dates for these special events. The dates will also be on the Bloomz app.

### **Dates to remember:**

- May is National Bike Month! We will be having several bike days to celebrate!
- May 1<sup>st</sup> – Ms. Davina's Birthday!
- Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> – Mother Goose Day
- Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> – Star Wars Day (Wear your favorite Star Wars gear)
- Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup> – Cinco De Mayo
- May 7<sup>th</sup> – Ms. Sarah's Birthday!
- Tuesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> – National Teacher's Day
- Teacher Appreciation Week – May 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> (a letter to be sent in the next couple of days).
- Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup> – Scholastic Book Orders Due (last book order for the school year)
- Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup> – Mother's Day
- Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> – National Chocolate Chip Day
- Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> – Wear Purple for Peace Day
- Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup> – Memorial Day – Center Closed
- Tuesday, May 29<sup>th</sup> – Full Moon!