

WE ARE GOING WITH THE FLOW!

Here we are and it is August already! This has been a crazy ride so far!

First off, we want to extend a heart felt welcome to all of our new parents and children. It is so nice to have you with us at the Ark. Please let us know if we can help you in any way. Thank you for entrusting your child into our care. Feel free to ask any questions you might have. We are here to help in any way we can. Also, please call to check in on your little one any time. 747-3775:)

Our new motto for 2020 is "Go with the flow!" We are in the year of the unknown and we strive to maintain consistency, safety and a loving environment for your

child. We are so happy to be here!

We appreciate your cooperation and patience with new pick up and drop off procedures. We also are so appreciative everyone calling five minutes before they arrive for pick up, it is a HUGE help!

We have a month full of dinosaurs, rocks & and the desert. We will talk about measuring too! How long was a brontosaurus? How tall am I? Our colors are turquoise & magenta. Oh and we can't forget we will be learning our letters too! We should have a Ton of fun this

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Special points of interest:

- © Please apply sunscreen before coming to the Ark! We will apply it to those who have signed up around noon. We will continue to do so until mid September.
- © If your child has any of the COVID-19 symptoms listed by CDC, you child may not join us until they are cleared by their pediatrician.
- © Be sure the office has your current phone numbers!
- © Colors sharing days are on Mondays, Shapes are on Thursdays.

Fun Fridays are Back!

month!

Fun Fridays are special days. They are a carry over from our "Summer Fun" calendars. We look forward to our Fun Fridays and we love to celebrate!

Friday- 8/7 Why Oh Why are Deserts Dry?

Friday-8/14 If You're Happy & You Know It (End of the summer party)

Friday- 8/21 Let's Make a Volcano!

Friday- 8/28 National Eat Outside Day!





Sharing Days COLORS SHARING DAY IS MONDAY SHAPES SHARING DAY IN THURSDAY

- -Your child's toy will be sanitized upon arrival
- -No cloth or stuffed toys/animals (due to Covid-19)
- -No Weapons
- -Needs to fit in a 5 gallon bucket
- -Must be larger so it cannot fit in a pocket
- -Everything MUST be CLEARLY LABELED with the child's first & last name



Please Be Prepared to Show Your ID

Our main goals is for your child to feel safe, nurtured and loved while attending Noah's Ark. Our main goal for you as a parent is that your child be in a **safe environment**. Therefore, we make it a policy to

check identification when your child is taken from the Ark. Please have your identification ready when you come for your child. If someone else will be picking up your child in the evening, they also need to have identification and they need to be on the list of people allowed to pick up your child. Even if your child has been at the Ark for awhile, we ask that

you be prepared to show I.D. We have new staff in new schedules and when things are busy different staff may be prepared. It's all for the safety of our little people!

"minding the gate". If we are not 100% sure we will ask for I.D. It's always better to be on the safe side. If for any reason you have people who are not allowed to pick up your child, it is imperative that you give us this

information. If there is a custody situation it is very important that we have a copy of the custody papers on file so that we may adhere to the letter of the law. We know at times it is an inconvenience to have to run out to the car for I.D. We know too that if you have been a long term Ark parent that we should remember faces.

We do our best but sometimes it's masks, the baseball cap or dark glasses that fool us! So, please be

Are You signed Up for Our Texting System!

It is critical to be to able to reach a parent or guardian at any time during the day in case of emergency, illness or an issue with any one of the children. Please be sure we have your current numbers and of relatives or friends. When a parent cannot be reached, we start going down the list calling your emergency contacts. Give us a call to make sure all numbers are current, as well as authorized pick up list is current.

Also, it is imperative you sign up for our texting system. In the event of Covid-19 closures, we will notify everyone via our texting system. We also let you know about automatic withdrawals and fun happenings at the Ark. Please talk to Tiffany or Elizabeth with questions.



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