



It's

July

at The Learning Well

*When life gets rough I like to hold on to my dream
Of relaxing in the summer sun just lettin' off steam!
Oh the sky will be blue - And you guys'll be there, too
When I finally do what frozen things do In summer!!!!!!!!!!*



June was a busy month here at The Learning Well! We wrapped up our 'school year' with a visit from The Bubble Man. He's funny and animated and kept the children interested and engaged every minute. In addition to his billions of bubbles, we were also able to dance around, do the limbo, watch our friends try hula hoops and see some bubble 'magic'.



Big "Congratulations" to the Learning Well Class of 2018! The children worked really hard in preparation for the graduation ceremony. It was a great night and we hope everyone had a wonderful time.

In June, we launched our new HiMama app. We're glad everyone is getting acquainted with the program and finding it convenient and easy to use. We also assigned individual phone numbers to each classroom i-pad. HiMama doesn't notify when an email comes through, so we're hoping that being able to text your child's classroom allows for quicker turn-around time.

Quick reminder about the door code. Please don't give the code out to anyone who only occasionally drops off or picks up your child. Please ask them to ring the bell and we'll let them in. Also in the case of pick ups, please ask them to have their ID ready in case the answering staff member doesn't recognize them.

Thanks and Happy July!

IMPORTANT DATES IN JULY

July 3Wear Red, White, Blue

July 4CLOSED

July 17SPECIAL VISITOR!

LABEL LABEL LABEL

PLEASE - LABEL ABSOLUTELY EVERYTHING THAT BELONGS TO YOUR CHILD. We're growing and it is sometimes difficult to match items with children. This includes all food containers, lunch boxes, water bottles, swimsuits, shoes, water shoes, towels etc. **THANK YOU!**

Quote of the month:

*Every day our children spread their dreams beneath our feet. We should tread softly.
~ Sir Ken Robinson*

Welcome to July at The Learning Well! We are so ready to relax and let off some steam! We're sure you're wondering why are we quoting Olaf in July? It's because last month we started our Hooray for Hollywood theme and it continues right on through the summer. We will be watching movies (like Frozen), introducing characters, learning about different habitats of those characters and conducting some really cool science experiments. July is going to be a blast!

Just a reminder - we will be closed Wednesday, July 4th, in celebration of Independence Day. Also, please remember to give us advance notice of any vacations you are planning to take this summer.

My family was at the canal last weekend - at the railroad bridge in Buzzards Bay. Not sure if anyone has been there lately, but they added a small park just for the kids! There's a slide, a jungle gym-type climbing structure and a water pad, among other things! The kids were having so much fun - and most were preschool age. It's free and a great way to cool off on a hot day.

Buzzards Bay Park





Infant Room

June in the Infant Room was full of fun! We played with zoo animals and puppets; and we did our best to make all the animal sounds! The Bubble Man was a blast -- your babies loved watching all the bubbles float through the air and even tried to catch some.

We also had a lot of fun with water play (in a small sensory bin) and plan to do lots more. We also had fun creating our Fathers Day cards for you - we hope you enjoyed them, as well.

In July, we will be singing lots of patriotic songs, working on our gross motor skills and enjoying more water and sensory play. Please wear your patriotic colors on July 3rd, and remember we are closed on Wednesday, July 4th.

Have a happy July everyone ☆

Thank you Jacob for the munchkins!



Toddler Ones

It's finally summer and it seems we have been hit with our first heat wave of the season! Please remember bathing suits and water shoes as we're going to try to get out as often as possible and will be enjoying water tables and sprinklers.

We added three new friends in late June -- Jacob, Tanner and Kyler transitioned in from the Infant Room. They are all doing really well adjusting to the new routine, sitting at the table for meals and sleeping on mats.

We loved the Bubble Man last month. Your children love bubbles and were totally amazed at the sheer number of bubbles he was able to create. July brings more Hollywood and Movie Fun! We start the month with Nemo and Dory, Moana, and we will wrap up the month with Elsa and Anna, and all the other fun Frozen characters.

Please wear your patriotic colors on Tuesday, July 3rd. We hope you all enjoy a safe and happy Fourth of July! ☆

Thank you to Katy Panock for the delicious teacher treats!



Toddler Twos

Hello Toddler Two Families! Your children had a great month of June. We got outside for lots of water play - they especially loved the new sprinklers! They also liked our gardening center, but I think the favorite activity of the month was The Bubble Man! He kept them moving and dancing with bubbles all around. It was a lot of fun!

This month, we welcome new friends from the Toddler Ones room as they begin their transition. Please say "Hello" to Connor, Emilee and Myles when you see them. We will also be talking a lot about the summer, the ocean and ocean animals as we continue with Finding Dory and start our unit on Moana.

Remember to wear your Red, White and Blue on the 3rd! Have a happy Fourth of July! ☆



Preschool Down

Happy July Preschool families! Last month was a blast. We celebrated our dads and had fun making our Fathers Day surprises. We also learned about different animals. I think our favorite was the sloth! We added to our classroom at the end of last month, welcoming Mateo, Matthew and Max! They have already settled in and are loving the new toys and the new friends they're making. We also welcome a new friend, Chase! If you see him, give him a big Learning Well Hello!

Last month, we started our movie themed summer with our very own concession stand. Your children loved "serving" popcorn, candy and drinks to their friends. We also walked the red carpet and made our own Hollywood Walk of Fame!

This month, we will continue with our Disney themes as we talk about and watch parts of Finding Dory and Moana. We'll be focusing on shells, ocean activities, ocean life, and Blue Tang fish. We'll end the month with our friends Elsa and Anna, and the movie, Frozen. This will lead us into a wintery mix of snow, ice and snowmen. It'll be a fun and silly break from the sun and heat. Speaking of which, please remember bathing suits, water clothes and water shoes every day. Your children love the sprinklers and water tables.

Wear patriotic colors on the 3rd! Enjoy the month everyone!

Your quotable kids:

*After walking up from nap, Robert looked at his teacher and said,
"We've had such a busy day!"*

Happy Birthday

Robert - July 24

Callum - July 25



Pre-K Upstairs

Hello everyone! June was a great month in the upstairs Pre-K. We enjoyed lots of nice weather, Pre-k graduation, and, of course, the Bubble Man where we got to show off our amazing dance moves! Graduation went very well - it's such a bittersweet time for us. We love that your children are growing and moving on, but we will miss them so much!

Happily, we have them for a few more months over the summer. We had some student changes this month. Our half day kids finished their time here and our new friends moved up from the downstairs preschool. We're slowly getting into a routine as the new children learn the ins and outs of our day.

July brings more Hooray for Hollywood and we transition into our Disney movies themes! Finding Dory and Moana give us lots of opportunities for pretend beach play, investigating shells and sea life. July also delivers lots of water play with this heat wave we're into now. Please remember bathing suits/water shoes. Also, it's important that you let us know when/if you'll be taking time off this summer for family vacations. We need this information for staffing purposes. Thanks!

We welcome two new friends to our classroom this month -- Joshua and Hailey. Joshua is here for the summer and Hailey will remain with us. Welcome friends!

Happy Birthday

Anna ~ July 17th

Hailey ~ July 22nd

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