

Good Samaritan
Preschool June News
2017

End of the Year program

Our annual end of the year program is on Friday, June 2ND at 5:30pm. Please plan on arriving 15 minutes early so you can get a good seat in the sanctuary and we can get started on time. There will be a potluck dinner following the program. Sign up sheets for the potluck are located out front as well as in the infant and toddler rooms. Please take a moment and sign up for a dish to share. We look forward to this special evening and spending time with all of our families.

Summer Sessions

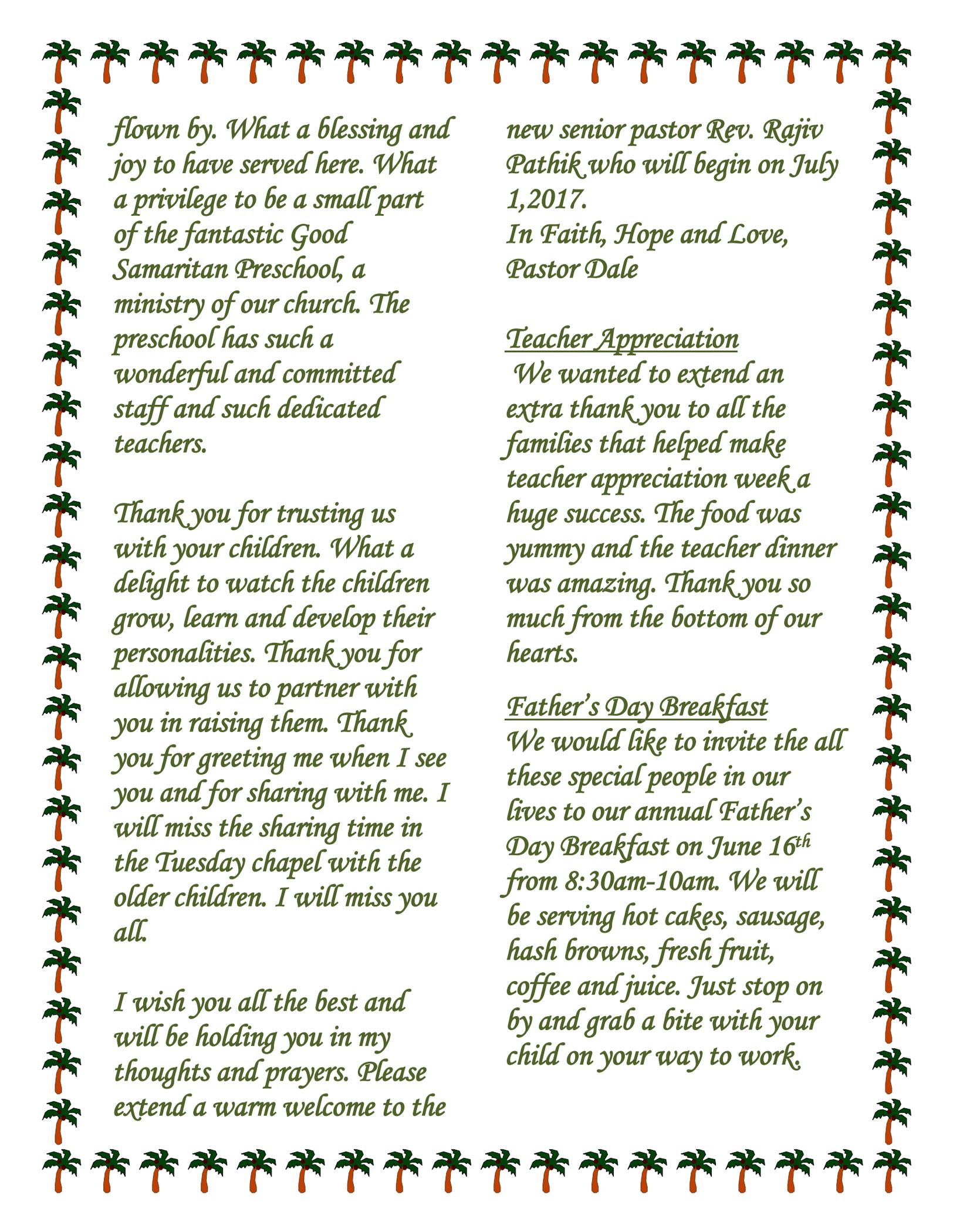
Our school year is coming to an end and we want to extend our best wishes for those

families moving on. Our summer session will begin June 5th. In your monthly statement you should have seen an extra charge for our summer fee; this does not apply to our infants and toddlers. This fee will cover the cost for the extra activities that we have planned. Please remember to bring extra clothes for water play and sunscreen to protect that delicate skin.

Rev. Dr. Dale M.

Weatherspoon is on the move
After prayer and consultation, it is Bishop Minerva G. Carcaño's intent to appoint me to serve as senior pastor of Easter Hill United Methodist Church in Richmond, CA effective July 1, 2017.

It seems like only yesterday that I arrived at Good Samaritan United Methodist Church. These five years have



flown by. What a blessing and joy to have served here. What a privilege to be a small part of the fantastic Good Samaritan Preschool, a ministry of our church. The preschool has such a wonderful and committed staff and such dedicated teachers.

Thank you for trusting us with your children. What a delight to watch the children grow, learn and develop their personalities. Thank you for allowing us to partner with you in raising them. Thank you for greeting me when I see you and for sharing with me. I will miss the sharing time in the Tuesday chapel with the older children. I will miss you all.

I wish you all the best and will be holding you in my thoughts and prayers. Please extend a warm welcome to the

new senior pastor Rev. Rajiv Pathik who will begin on July 1, 2017.

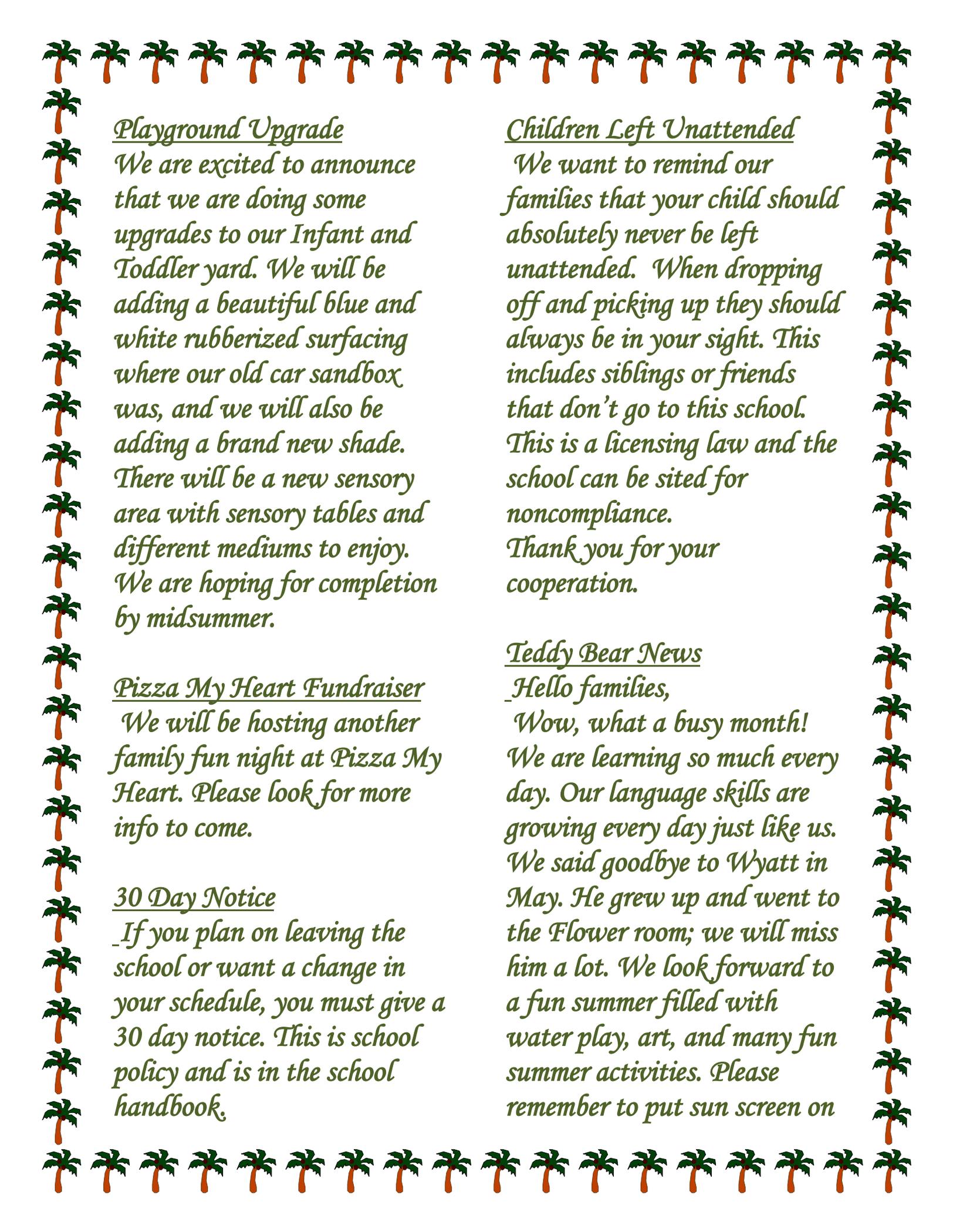
*In Faith, Hope and Love,
Pastor Dale*

Teacher Appreciation

We wanted to extend an extra thank you to all the families that helped make teacher appreciation week a huge success. The food was yummy and the teacher dinner was amazing. Thank you so much from the bottom of our hearts.

Father's Day Breakfast

We would like to invite the all these special people in our lives to our annual Father's Day Breakfast on June 16th from 8:30am-10am. We will be serving hot cakes, sausage, hash browns, fresh fruit, coffee and juice. Just stop on by and grab a bite with your child on your way to work.



Playground Upgrade

We are excited to announce that we are doing some upgrades to our Infant and Toddler yard. We will be adding a beautiful blue and white rubberized surfacing where our old car sandbox was, and we will also be adding a brand new shade. There will be a new sensory area with sensory tables and different mediums to enjoy. We are hoping for completion by midsummer.

Pizza My Heart Fundraiser

We will be hosting another family fun night at Pizza My Heart. Please look for more info to come.

30 Day Notice

If you plan on leaving the school or want a change in your schedule, you must give a 30 day notice. This is school policy and is in the school handbook.

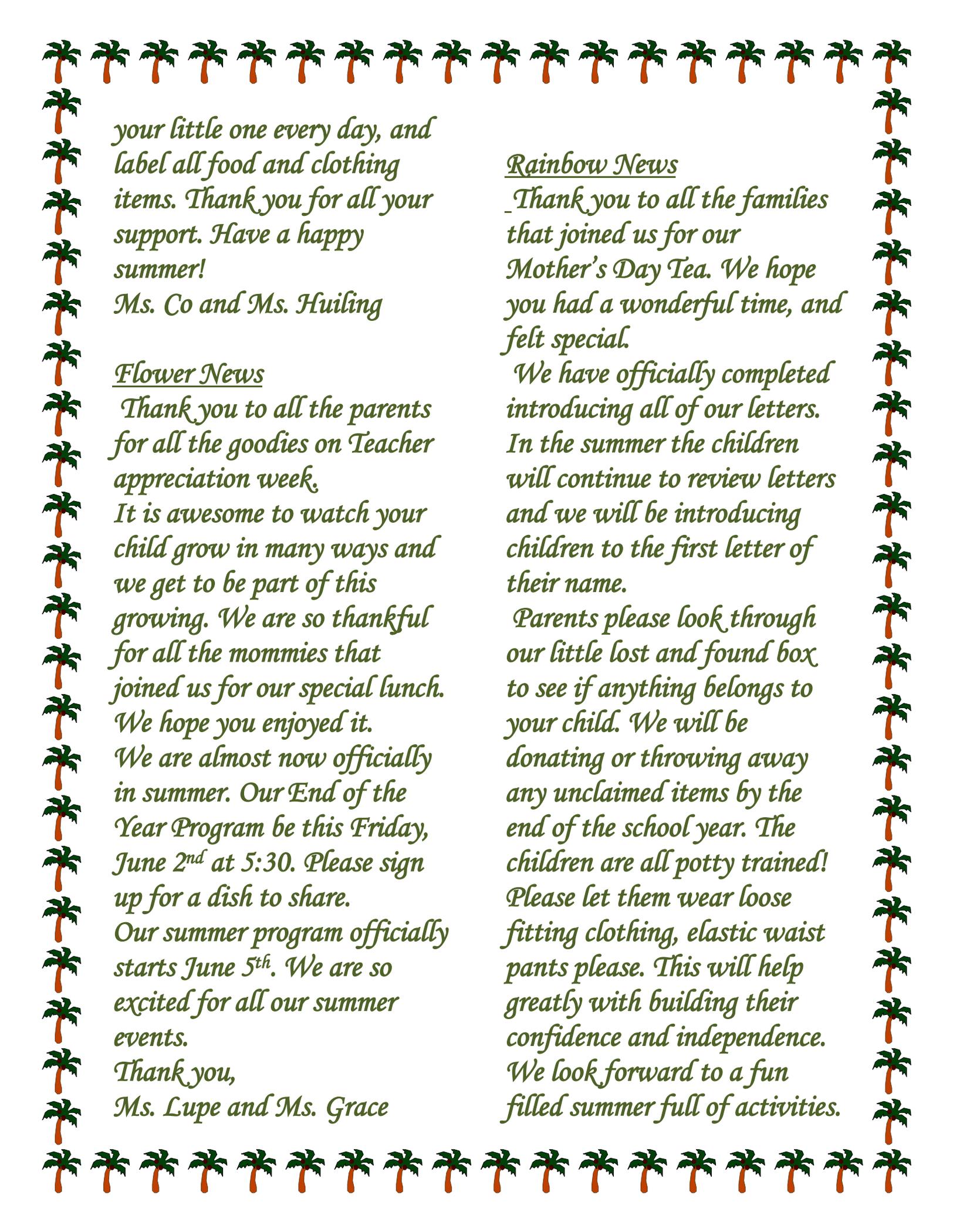
Children Left Unattended

We want to remind our families that your child should absolutely never be left unattended. When dropping off and picking up they should always be in your sight. This includes siblings or friends that don't go to this school. This is a licensing law and the school can be cited for noncompliance. Thank you for your cooperation.

Teddy Bear News

Hello families,

Wow, what a busy month! We are learning so much every day. Our language skills are growing every day just like us. We said goodbye to Wyatt in May. He grew up and went to the Flower room; we will miss him a lot. We look forward to a fun summer filled with water play, art, and many fun summer activities. Please remember to put sun screen on



your little one every day, and label all food and clothing items. Thank you for all your support. Have a happy summer!

Ms. Co and Ms. Huiling

Flower News

Thank you to all the parents for all the goodies on Teacher appreciation week.

It is awesome to watch your child grow in many ways and we get to be part of this growing. We are so thankful for all the mummies that joined us for our special lunch. We hope you enjoyed it.

We are almost now officially in summer. Our End of the Year Program be this Friday, June 2nd at 5:30. Please sign up for a dish to share.

Our summer program officially starts June 5th. We are so excited for all our summer events.

Thank you,

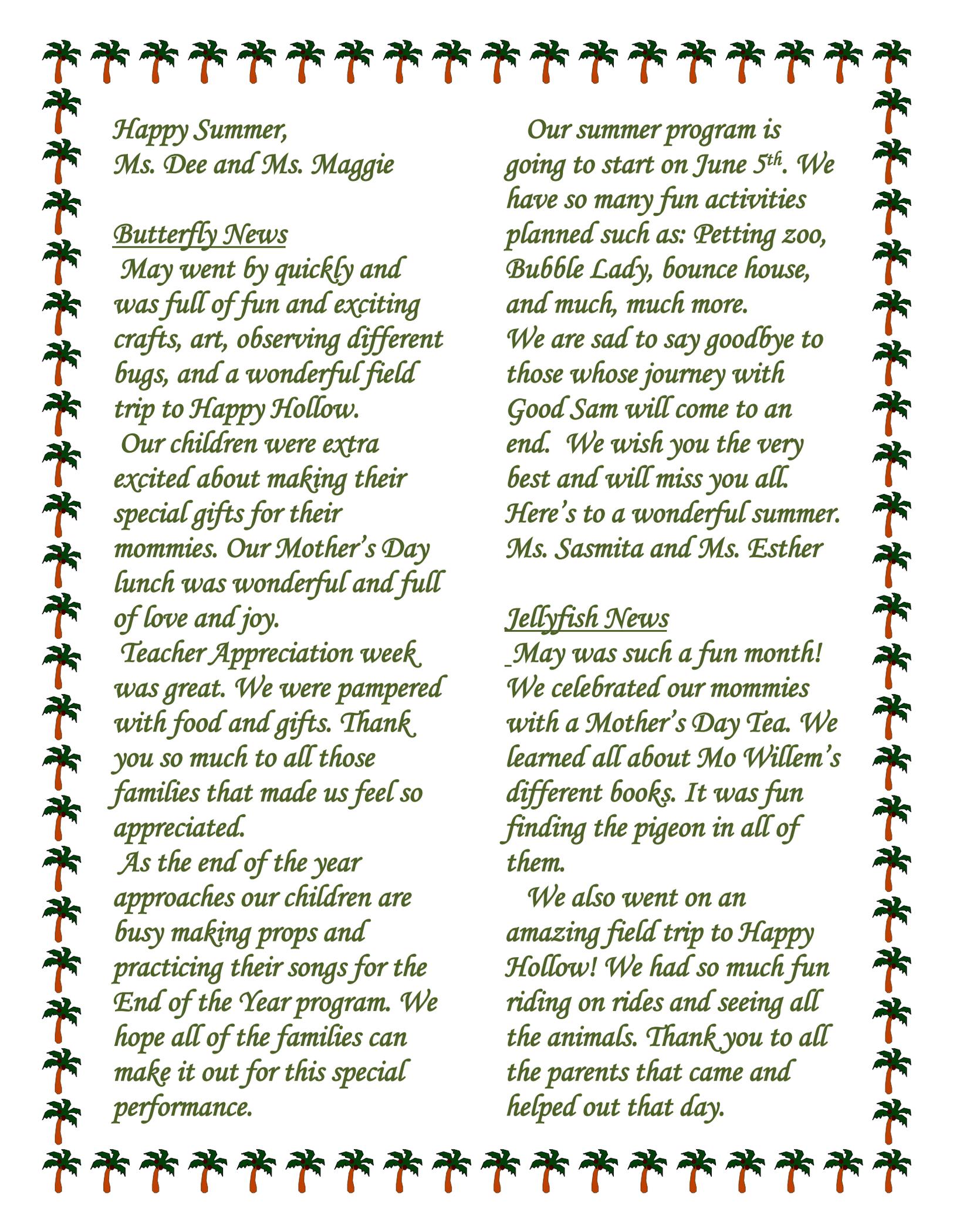
Ms. Lupe and Ms. Grace

Rainbow News

Thank you to all the families that joined us for our Mother's Day Tea. We hope you had a wonderful time, and felt special.

We have officially completed introducing all of our letters. In the summer the children will continue to review letters and we will be introducing children to the first letter of their name.

Parents please look through our little lost and found box to see if anything belongs to your child. We will be donating or throwing away any unclaimed items by the end of the school year. The children are all potty trained! Please let them wear loose fitting clothing, elastic waist pants please. This will help greatly with building their confidence and independence. We look forward to a fun filled summer full of activities.



*Happy Summer,
Ms. Dee and Ms. Maggie*

Butterfly News

May went by quickly and was full of fun and exciting crafts, art, observing different bugs, and a wonderful field trip to Happy Hollow.

Our children were extra excited about making their special gifts for their mommies. Our Mother's Day lunch was wonderful and full of love and joy.

Teacher Appreciation week was great. We were pampered with food and gifts. Thank you so much to all those families that made us feel so appreciated.

As the end of the year approaches our children are busy making props and practicing their songs for the End of the Year program. We hope all of the families can make it out for this special performance.

Our summer program is going to start on June 5th. We have so many fun activities planned such as: Petting zoo, Bubble Lady, bounce house, and much, much more.

We are sad to say goodbye to those whose journey with Good Sam will come to an end. We wish you the very best and will miss you all. Here's to a wonderful summer. Ms. Sasmita and Ms. Esther

Jellyfish News

May was such a fun month! We celebrated our mommies with a Mother's Day Tea. We learned all about Mo Willem's different books. It was fun finding the pigeon in all of them.

We also went on an amazing field trip to Happy Hollow! We had so much fun riding on rides and seeing all the animals. Thank you to all the parents that came and helped out that day.

June brings new adventures. We start the month with graduation . It's hard to believe that many of our little Jellyfish will be leaving and moving on to TK and Kindergarten.

We will be learning about our bodies and how to be healthy.

We will learn about healthy eating and healthy activities.

We will go on some walking field trips as well as join in on special activities.

We look forward to a wonderful summer.

Ms. Jessica

Froggie News

May has come to an end and it's crazy to think that we are heading to June pretty soon!

Thank you to the parents that were chaperones on our Happy Hollow field trip! We appreciate it a lot that you took the time off work to help us!! Also a big thank you to all the mothers that came to

the mother day tea! Hope you loved the gift your child made for you♥.

In May we have done a lot of fun art projects and science experiments with the kids! We made slime, saw dancing corn, did the soda and mint

experiment, and a lot of other cool experiments! We plan to implement more science in the summer as well. We also have

been practicing recognizing number 1-37, writing the numbers, sight words, and learning new concepts! For

the upcoming month we have a lot of fun projects we will be implementing! We will still be

reviewing our letters and numbers to get these kiddos ready for kindergarten!! 😊

A lot of fun things are heading for June since it's almost SUMMER!☀️