



Pre-school & Child Care
"Come Grow With Us"

June News 2018

Director's Corner



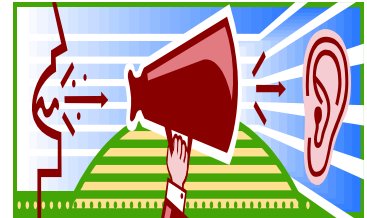
Summer Safety

In Minnesota, summer is a time of year that we all appreciate. It is a time of year that we can be outdoors without worrying about frostbite and wind chills. It is also the season when children receive the most injuries. Here are a few summer safety tips:

- Apply sunscreen 30 minutes **prior** to going outside. **Reapply more sunscreen at least every 2 hours.**
- Always wear a bike helmet when riding a bike or scooter, even in the driveway.
- Tennis shoes, not sandals are the safest footwear when running, jumping, or climbing.
- Drink lots of water.

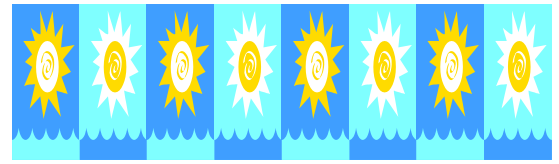
Parent Referral Program

Word of mouth is our best form of advertising. We appreciate parents telling others about any of our programs. When a new family enrolls in one of our programs **you will receive a \$100 tuition credit.** We are currently enrolling for Fall Preschool and Toddler programs and Summer School Age Day Camp



Thank You!!!!

A huge thank you to all the volunteers and staff for helping with the 2018 Spring Soiree. With their help we raised over \$5000 to support our emergency scholarship programs



Upcoming Events



Oakdale Summerfest

Oakdale's annual city celebration is Wednesday June 18 through Sunday June 24. Most activities will take place at Walton Park located near City Hall. For more details and a complete list of activities visit:

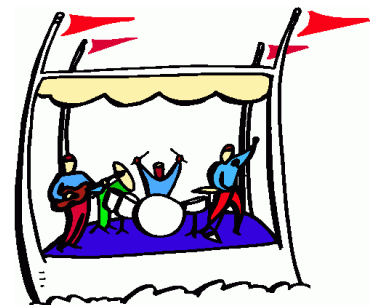
www.ci.oakdale.mn.us

Oakdale Free Concerts in the Park

Walton Park Bandshell on Wednesdays and Summerfest June 13, 21, 22, 23, July 11, 18, August 1, 8, 15, 7pm
www.oakdalefun.com

Summerfest Parade

We are inviting families to be part of the Summerfest parade on June 21st CMCCF will be in the parade! Children And parents can help us hand out candy and fliers. To sign up call the office at 651-777-6668 by June 15.



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Reminders



All Families

- **Tennis shoes** are required at all times for safety. Sandals, dress shoes, and Crocs are not allowed for outdoor play.
- **Sunscreen:** Please make sure you bring in a bottle of sunscreen with a spf of 30 or higher labeled with your child's name on it by June 11h
- **Vacations:** Please let the office know if you are planning a summer vacation
- **Food From Home:** Please do not send food items from home with your child.

Center Closed Dates:

- July 4-Independence Day
- August 30 & 31-Center Maintenance & Staff Training Day
- September 3-Labor Day

Summer Staff

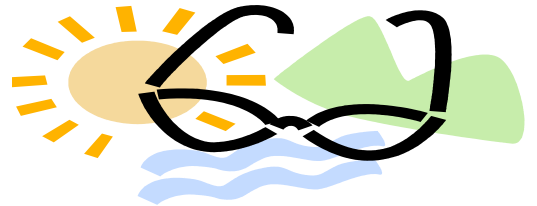
We are excited to welcome some new and returning staff for the summer!

- Ms. Kelsey will be moving to Treasured Tykes as the full time toddler teacher. Ms. Colleen will be opening in the morning.
- Ms. Angie will be returning to the school age program this summer along with Ms. Chelsea and Ms. Megan.

Please help us welcome them!

CM Facebook Page

We are asking parents to "Like" Carol Matheys Center for Children & Families Facebook page. This is a great way to stay updated on center happenings and last minute information this summer.



Friends of Carol Matheys

A huge thank you to the following businesses for their financial support of the **2018 Spring Wine Soiree**
Platinum Bank, Furlong Liquors, Thrivent Financial, Lake Elmo Bank, Burns Insurance, Lillie News & The Eberhard Group!

A Huge Thank You to Hope Church in Oakdale for building us our new raised garden beds!
We are excited to start planning with the children and helping them learn about growing foods that will help us be healthy

Community Information

**Summerfest Concert and Fireworks
June 23
Walton Park**



North St. Paul History Cruze Car Show

This is a fun free family event in downtown North St. Paul
Friday's 6-10pm June 1-Sept.