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JUNE 2019

Salmon



Summer is fast approaching and we welcome you to the month of June! This month the children will be learning about sea life. We will be taking the children outdoors to play and explore, and we will go on walks as much as possible. With summer being here, the children will be going outside in the morning and possibly again in the afternoon. Please make sure that your child is wearing weather-appropriate clothing. Also, please check that your child's extra clothes fit and that they are weather-appropriate as well. Please fill out a permission form for sunscreen if you would like us to put it on your child prior to going outside.

—Sarah, Leah, & Isabel

Octopus



Our classroom is moving along nicely with our colors, songs of head, shoulders, knees, and toes! We are working on counting from 1 to 5 by singing the Five Little Monkeys song. If you have the voice and time, please sing along with your child as this helps us reach another goal! The potty training is coming along, please know that if you are not actively doing this at home, it's going to take longer for your child to understand and want to do it. The weather is hot, cold, hot, and cold so please remember that we still go outside for fresh air and lots of large motor skills play. We are excited to be celebrating the men in our lives and give a big shout out to all the wonderful dads who make our days brighter! Happy Father's Day daddies!

—Katherine, Shala, Katy, & Lutreece

Sheryl Fryberg, Director



IMPORTANT DATES

- **Father and Floats Bike Rodeo 2:30pm-4:30pm**
Thursday, June 13
- **No AM childcare, Cultural Day drop-off 9:15am-9:45am**
Friday, June 14
- **Parent Committee meeting 12:00pm-1:00pm**
Wednesday, June 19
- **Policy Council 12:00pm-1:00pm**
Preschool Graduation at Greg Williams Gym 6:30pm
Thursday, June 20
- **First day of summer**
Friday, June 21



Orca



We have made it to June and the school year is almost over. All of our friends have turned one year old and we have started exploring outdoors more, as the weather permits. We're all very excited for the first day of summer coming on June 21, hopefully the warm weather will follow for a while. During this month we are continuing to work on self-help skills and using kind touches with our classmates. Also, we will be working on holding crayons/markers while making scribbles on paper. I hope you're all looking forward to summer and time in the sun!

A big shout out to Ms. Cindi who will graduate with her Associates degree on June 21!

—Sam T., Cindi, & Sam M.

Jellyfish



It's already June Jellyfish families, we just can't believe it! We have an exciting month planned for our classroom. We will be working on potty training, letters, and numbers this month. We will be working on our counting and recognition of letters and numbers. Please help your kids work on these at home as well. Also make sure you're dressing your child appropriately for the weather as we will be going outside and enjoying the sun! We are also learning about bugs and plants—and spending lots of time in the garden and outside exploring the world around us!

We have one birthday this month, Eve Danielson will be turning three on June 24! Please make sure your child has extra clothes—due to potty training and outside play, we may get wet or dirty.

—Jenn, Alix, & Mary

Otter



We are now in June and the first day of summer is creeping up on us, June 21 to be exact. This month we will be exploring dinosaurs! Our class has some serious dinosaur loving boys that will love everything we've got planned. And no, we didn't forget the girls—they too will love the various activities and science experiments we have planned.

Last month we had so many exciting things happen at TELA. We celebrated our teachers whom work hard all year round...thank you! Our Moms and Muffins event was a fun time to show our appreciation for all the women in our kiddos' lives. Finally, we had our annual Super Hero Dance...so much fun! The kids looked amazing and so did the parents. I also got to see two Elsas "let it go"—so cute!

—Jeryre, Sam, & Rainey

Frog



Summer sizzling fun in the sun has arrived. It's starting to get hot outside so we will be playing in our sensory bins with water a lot more. We will be enjoying more time outside and going on nature walks, looking for bugs, caterpillars, snails, and worms, and we will be working on an ocean theme. We will continue to introduce the new environment and routine to your child and encourage growth. We want each child's family members to feel free to come to us for questions or concerns. We will be having a Fathers & Floats Bike Rodeo event on Thursday, June 13 from 2:30 to 4:30pm. Remember to please bring extra clothes in case your child gets wet.

—Melissa, Fran,
& Kaitlyn



Rabbit



Summer is in full swing. We have a lot of fun activities planned for our class. We would like to say happy birthday to Miss Sherry. We would like to say happy Father's Day to all of our dads and invite them to our Fathers and Floats Bike Rodeo event on Thursday, June 13 from 2:30 to 4:30pm and our Culture Day on June 14. We hope that everyone enjoys the warmer weather and stays safe.

—*Sherry & Darla*

Starfish



It is hard to believe that we are already into June and the start of summer! This month we will be working on all the fun things summer has to offer. Identifying summer clothing and the importance of hats, sunglasses, and sunscreen. We will be talking about water safety and the things we find in the water, including different sea life and types of fish and birds. We will be taking some walks to observe the birds and water. Our Fathers Floats and Bike Rodeo event will be held on June 13, looking forward to seeing you there!

—*Kara, Elisa, & Jessyca*

Crab



Welcome to summer! This month our curriculum will be summer-themed! We will also be doing Father's Day projects, so be sure to join our Fathers and Floats event! For curriculum, we have added more sensory and art! This month is also "great outdoors month", which makes us excited to be adding the grassy area to our outside times as well!

Also a special happy birthday to our friends: Drew James (6/13) and Harlem Brown (6/20)

—*Cailee, Lakrista, & Stella*

Turtle



Sun time, fun time...summer is almost here! June is going to be a fun-filled month with water play, nature walks, science experiments, and lots of learning. We are so excited for the warm weather and we plan on being outside as much as possible. Sometimes the weather can be a bit tricky so we would ask that you dress your child appropriately for the weather. Please send extra clothing so that if the weather changes, we have clothes to accommodate. We are looking forward to creating some fun summertime memories!

—*Ms. Val, Ms. Stacy,
Ms. Seandra,
& Ms. Melissa*

Beaver



The month of June is filled with sounds of birds, the smell of fresh flowers, and summer breezes from time to time. The month marks the end of spring and the beginning of summer—a lot of fun in the sun.

What we're learning in class is lots of love, laughter, and fun. Talking about how flowers and ourselves—how we

grow along with butterflies, insects, and bugs. Students will have the opportunity to plant seeds and see how they grow. We also will be working on naming and finding shapes—and finding and working on the letters used to spell our names. We wish all our fathers a happy Father's Day with their families and loved ones.

—*Anita, Nicki, & Marcella*



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- **8 Children Per – Class with 2 Teachers**
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- **Fun Family Events**
- **Parent Resources**
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