



# Children's World

## BILINGUAL MONTESSORI

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**July 2019**

**Dear Parents,**

Hot, Hot, Hot!!! July is sure to continue to bring some more of that needed warmth and sunshine. Children's World is basking in all the glory of summer with as much outside time as possible for all the kiddos!

### **Maintenance**

Children's World has been getting a bit of a "facelift", to say the least. This past month we have redone the parking lot and replaced parking bumpers that had become a hazard. The main Pre-Kindergarten Casa was cleaned and repainted, making sure to look its best. We had maintenance done behind the scenes of all the odds and ends throughout the buildings.

We aren't done yet! Children's World will be repairing playground fences and adding a new playground structure to the Younger Toddler playground.

We want to thank everyone for being patient and understanding as these improvements continue. We know that everything will be worth the effort!

### **Charity Event Success**

Children's World is happy to announce that our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual St. Jude's Trike-A-Thon was a huge success. Our Summer and Pre-Kindergarten classes spent the week of June 10<sup>th</sup> – June 14<sup>th</sup> learning all about Bike Safety and concluded the week with a Trike-A-Thon to demonstrate all they had learned. We are pleased

### **Reminders**

**Children's World will be closed, July 4<sup>th</sup>, in observance of Independence Day.**

### **Summer Picnics**

Our Summer class will be having picnics at Sand Lake Elementary during the month of July. Be sure to keep a lookout for notices about the days it will occur, so you can pack a sack lunch that is appropriate!

### **Vacations**

Please be sure to inform your Head Teacher or Administration when your child will be out for a family vacation. This allows staff to be scheduled correctly and gives everyone a heads up about what the classroom will look like in the near future.

to announce that the families and friends of Children's World raised over \$1,800 for the children at St. Jude's Research Hospital.

Thank you to everyone that donated, reached out for donations, to the students who embraced this wonderful event and to the staff that coordinated it all! It was an amazing experience to see everyone come together and support such a noble cause!

### **Montessori Tip for Home**

"When children come into contact with nature, they reveal their strength." – Maria Montessori

Spend a few minutes near a wildflower garden with a child and you'll observe how the marvel of nature inevitably captivate and engross the child. In a carefully prepared outdoor environment, children are free to move about the space and have plenty of opportunity for spontaneous observation.

Children's World encourages parents to embrace the Montessori Philosophy at home by engaging with their children in exploring their natural environment and creating a prepared outdoor environment as well. Montessori embraces all sensorial activities and summer time provides excellent opportunities to get creative. Try creating outdoor art using mud, water, leaves, flowers, soil, seeds, grass and whatever other interesting pieces you can find. Lay them into patterns, make them into shapes or work together to create anything you desire. Create treasure hunts for your children as you explore the forest. Make a musical wall in your garden of old pots and pans, bells and any other objects that make some sound when banged.

Summer brings us endless opportunities to make new moments with our children! Make sure to embrace the Alaskan Midnight Sun and enjoy every second with your little ones!

Sincerely,

Children's World Bilingual Montessori