

THE FAMILY TREE

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News from the Infant and Toddler Room

HELLO JULY!! This month I am hoping to open my sensory table and fill it with sand, rocks, feathers, maybe even water to play in. We will dump, pour and dump some more. We will do some summer water color painting also. I am looking forward to having so much fun with the children who come to the center. We will jump, run, climb and play, play, play!!! It is going to be SO FUN!! Since the weather is warming, be sure to check the heat index before you go out to play. Please check out our Facebook page Family Growth Center, we post many resources and tips and pages with links for you and your family. We appreciate all of our friends that come to see us and spend time with us and look forward to welcoming many new friends in the coming months. If you have questions, please feel free to reach out to me at angelabunker@childandfamily.org.

-Angela Bunker, Infant Toddler Teacher

News from the Preschool Room

Hello Everyone! As we are in the process of hiring a new preschool teacher. Ms. Kathy has been so gracious to help us during this transition. It has been wonderful having her back. For now, this paragraph is Under Construction.



News from the Family and Community Resource Coordinator

Happy summer- I love all the sun but wow has it been HOT!! We have had so many friends visiting us in June. It has really been a fun time. Parents you may have noticed the community resource table has been changed, please take the time to check out our new resources. Especially the new safety resources now that it is summer. In the next couple weeks we will be asking you all to fill out surveys regarding your experience at Family Growth Center. We really appreciate you taking the time to complete these. The feedback is a crucial part of funding to help us stay open. As always please remember we are here for you. To talk, to listen, to help or just to be a place of nurturing for your children. Never hesitate to reach out. Enjoy the month of July with your families and stay safe! We want to be here for your whole family. You can email me at rachelprosen@childandfamily.org or call 517 371-1347.

-Rachel Prosen, Family and Community Resource Coordinator

WHAT IS THE FAMILY GROWTH CENTER?

It is a place for children to enjoy FREE drop-in childcare for children 6 weeks through 5 years of age. A nominal fee is charged to higher income families. **Family Growth Center** is a program of **Child Abuse Prevention Services**, which is a division of **Child and Family Charities**.

For more information on childcare call (517) 371-1347.

DURING NON-FGC HOURS CALL (517) 371-1347 TO LEAVE A MESSAGE



Tuesday – Wednesday – Thursday


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JULY 2022 Family Growth Center Calendar

TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
05 FAMILY GROWTH CENTER CLASSROOMS Drop In: CLOSED Drop In: STAFF VACATION	06 FAMILY GROWTH CENTER CLASSROOMS Drop In: CLOSED Drop In: STAFF VACATION	07 FAMILY GROWTH CENTER CLASSROOMS Drop In: CLOSED Drop In: STAF VACATION
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Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	
Protein: Fruit & Vegetable: & Grain:	Protein: Cheese squares & Milk Fruit & Vegetable: Strawberries & Cucumber Grain: Whole Wheat Crackers	Protein: Cottage Cheese & Milk Fruit & Vegetable: Peaches & Green Beans Grain: Whole Wheat Sandwich thins	Protein: Turkey Meat and Cheddar Cheese & Milk Fruit & Vegetable: Cantaloupe & Celery Grain: Whole Wheat Bread	

Prepared by Staff ☺

Menu is subject to change.

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