

OAK GROVE LEARNING TREE NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents,

It's Back To School Time!! The Summer has just flown by. We want to welcome all the new families who have joined us here at the Learning Tree and offer a BIG THANK YOU to those of you who may have referred us to your friends and neighbors. We also welcome back our families who were gone for the Summer.

We are excited to welcome a few new teachers this month. If you see a new face, please don't hesitate to say hello. We are also set to start swimming again the week of September 11th. Please make sure your child's swim suit still fits.

Please let us know of any questions or concerns you may have about anything here at the Learning Tree and again, thank you for trusting us to care for your most prized possessions....your children.

Andrea, Laurie & Scott

BACK TO SCHOOL



Drive Safely !!!



FALL PICTURES

Picture Day will be Monday, October 16th

A Reminder:

All tuition is due by the 10th of each month - a \$20.00 late fee will be added after the 10th unless prior arrangements have been made.

Thank You

GUPPIES



Hello from Guppyland! This month the Guppies are excited to be learning about nature. We are sad to see Grace leave us, but we get to welcome back Damian from summer vacation. Themes this month include Sensory Fun, Animals, Nature, and Back to School. Be prepared for many new projects in your child's cubby. Please help us out by taking all extra blankets, coats and toys home. And reminder, no small toys please. Thank you for letting us be an important part of your child's life!

Teachers Aleah, Hayley, Tonya & Tatyana

FROM THE POOL



We are excited to introduce our new swim teacher - KJ - to our staff! She joins us with tons of experience teaching kids up through adults how to be comfortable in the water. Plan on your child swimming Monday through Thursday, and again, check to make sure their swim suits fit. Ask up at the front desk for more specific times for each age group. We are excited to get in the pool and start swimming again!

Teacher KJ



STARFISH

Look What's Happening: Wow! It's September already. This month's themes will be: All About Me, School Rules, Bears, and Apples. We will also focus on Circle Time starting with letters A, B, C, D and Circles, and of course, Potty Training. Our projects will be poster making, cooking, and planting.

Special Students: The Starfish get to welcome Halstin, Sebastian, Alex and Audrina to our classroom, but say goodbye to Cody & Audrey. We look forward to getting to know our new friends!

How Parents Can Help: Be sure your child has extra clothes here (that fit). Please check outgoing mail in our classroom every day. And finally, no toys from home please!

How to Contact the Teacher: I'm here everyday (M-F) from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.

Teacher Kerry



MINNOWS

Hello Minnow parents! I am teacher Mindy and am super excited to work with your amazing kiddos. We are going to learn so much together. All of your child's artwork and worksheets will be filed daily, so be sure to check it every day or so to see what the Minnows have been up to!

Our themes for September will be: All About Me and Community Helpers. We will begin with letters A and B, the number 1, the shape of a circle and the colors red and green.

A few reminders: Show-N-Tell is on Thursdays only. Please check your child's cubbies to make sure their extra clothes still fit and that they are seasonally appropriate. We also start swimming this month! So be sure to have a suit for your child and possibly goggles.

Thank you for allowing us to teach your children!

Teachers Mindy & Brigette



GOLDFISH

It's Back to School time already! We wish the best to all the Goldfish who move up to the Dolphin room and Kindergarten - we will miss you! But, we are excited to welcome all the Minnows who move up to the Goldfish room! Now that school is starting we will be working on Science, Math, and Reading. Our themes will be: All About Me, School Rules, Making Friends, and Apples. We will practice writing our names, letters & numbers, colors & shapes, etc. The Goldfish have Show-N-Tell every Friday which is the only day that children may bring one small toy from home. For nap time, please send only a small blanket and no pillows as we don't have a lot of storage space. Please check to make sure your child has appropriate sized clothes in their bucket.

We can't wait to see what this year brings with our new class! Thank you and remember if you have any questions or concerns please talk to us anytime.

Teachers Kelly & Ally



DOLPHINS

Summer has come to an end and we congratulate the Dolphins who have become Sharks and we welcome all the Goldfish and new children who are joining the Dolphin class! We will spend the first week getting acquainted, learning class rules and getting used to new schedules, especially for those who are in Kindergarten. The goal this year is for each child to be reading short books, and to know how to add and subtract.

Most of our curriculum activities will be done in the AM. We will study Language Arts, Math, Science and have an occasional cooking project. Much of our Math and Science learning is done with hands-on activities.

Parents please remember to send/renew your supplies. Show and Tell is on Fridays and non-school days. As it gets colder, please make sure your child has a coat with us here. I look forward to seeing the growth of each child throughout the school year!

Teacher Amanda



SHARKS

Happy Back to School! We had a wonderful Summer and it's hard to believe school is starting already. It has been a pleasure spending time with your children and watching them smile and laugh with all the fun things we've done this summer. We get to welcome some new Sharks, many who move up from the Dolphin class. Remember: toys are allowed only on non-school days. If your child needs to get dressed early for a sport, please let us know. Please make sure your child's swimsuit still fits, and if not, please bring a new one. A supply list is available at the front desk but be sure to LABEL EVERYTHING and if you have any questions or concerns please bring them to our attention.

Have a wonderful school year!

Teachers Mona, Anna & Devon