DATES TO REMEMBER: MAY
$4^{\text {th }}-$ Picture Day 8 am
$5^{\text {th }}$ - Cinco De Mayo
$6^{\text {th }}$ - Mother's Tea 3pm
$10^{\text {th }}$ - Vision Screening
$20^{\text {th }}$ - Reading Awards
Program and Chapel 10am
$30^{\text {th }}-$ Discoveryland closed


Director's Note:
Mom is such a special word
The loveliest
I've heard.
A toast to you Above all the rest
Mom, you're so special
You are simply THE BEST!
We celebrate the contribution of all moms this month. Thank you for your dedication to your children, family and community. Robin Aaron, Director

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## Smile for the Camera

Picture day is always an exciting day for children. Life Touch photographers will be here Wednesday May $4^{\text {th }}$ to capture your child's perfect smile or pose. Can you have too many pictures? I think not, so be sure to arrive early, so that your little one will be at their rested best. Picture packets will go home the last week of April. Simply return the information sheet and remember to choose the background you desire. Children will be photographed on 2 different backgrounds---the park and the background of your choice. You can even customize your portrait or have siblings in the picture. The choice is yours. So be sure to arrive early and return your information sheet the day before.


## Join us for tea

Your children want to celebrate YOU so join us as they make a big fuss over their Moms on Friday May $6^{\text {th }}$ at 3 pm . Each and every mother is invited to a tea party in your honor. Don't be late!

## Reading Awards and Honors

Our annual "Reading Experience" which ran during the months of March and April has ended. Families read books daily and our top "readers" need to be commended. Join us on Friday May $20^{\text {th }}$ at 10 am as we salute our super readers. Studies show that the greatest indicator of a child's success in school is the numbers of hours spent reading and sharing books.
Families that read together emphasize the importance of learning.

## Can you See It Now?

Thousand of children with eye problems will go undiscovered this year and it has been estimated that one in twenty children between the ages of 3 and 5 years of age have a vision problem. Some of the signs of eye problems include:

- blinking
- rubbing eyes often
- tilting of the head
- sensitiviity to light

Have your child particitpate in the Vision Screening sponsored by the Elks on Tuesday May $10^{\text {th }}$. Return your permission form today!

## May Birthdays

$5^{\text {th }}$
Karina
Room 5
$24^{\text {th }}$
Sneha
Room 3
$26^{\text {th }}$
Christine
Room 5

When planning a birthday treat, remember: Only nutritious food items are accepted such as fresh fruits or vegetables, yogurt, whole grain muffins etc. Please do not send nuts of any kind including peanut butter. Thank you helping us to teach our children to celebrate being healthy!

## DISCOVERYLAND WILL BE CLOSED <br> MONDAY MAY 30, 2011 <br> In observance of Memorial Day



## Theme: Numbers \& Counting

 Week 1 We love our Moms! Week 2 Money and coins Week 3 Buildings Big and Small Week 4 Shapes and Sizes| MAY |  |  |  |  |
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| Breakfast, Lunch \& Snack |  |  |  |  |
| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY |  | FRIDAY |
| $\begin{array}{ll} \hline 2 & \\ & \text { Cheerios Cereal } \\ & \text { Applesauce / Milk } \end{array}$ | $3$ <br> French Toast Banana / Milk | 4 <br> Raisin Bran Cereal <br> Applesauce / Milk | $\begin{array}{ll} \hline 5 & \\ & \text { French Toast } \\ & \text { Banana / Milk } \end{array}$ | $6$ <br> Corn Chex Cereal Applesauce / Milk |
| Mac \& Cheese, Toss Salad, Garlic Bread, Apple slices \& Milk | Tostaditas, Spanish Rice, Corn, Pear diced \& Milk | Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes \& Gravy, Mixed Vegt., Mandarin Orange, Bread \& Milk | Trkey Chow Fun, Baby Carrots, Peaches diced \& Milk | BLT Sandwich, French Fries, Mixed Fruit Cocktail, Milk |
| Wheat Thins \& Apple Juice | Vanilla Wafers / Mandarin Yogurt | Animal Crackers \& Apple Juice | Graham Crackers / Mandarin Yogurt | Hi-Ho Crackers / Apple Juice |
| 9  <br>  Frosted Mini Wheat <br>  Pear diced / Milk | 10 <br> Waffles <br> Mandarin Orange / Milk | 11 <br> Cheerios Cereal <br> Pear diced / Milk | 1212 Waffles <br>  Mandarin Orange / Milk | 13  <br>  Raisin Bran Cereal <br>  Pear diced / Milk |
| Spaghetti, Mixed Vegetables, Garlic Bread, Mixed Fruit Cocktail \& Milk | Corn Dog, Tater Tots, Toss Salad, Pear diced \& Milk | Alphabet Soup w/Choplets, Peas \& Carrots, Apple slices, Bread \& Milk | Chik-n Nuggets, Tater Tots, Fresh Fruit Salad \& Milk | Cheese Burger on Bun, French Fries, Peaches diced \& Milk |
| Vanilla Wafers / Orange Juice | Animal Crackers / Peach Yogurt | Graham Crackers / Orange Juice | Hi-Ho Crackers / Peach Yogurt | Wheat Thins / Orange Juice |
| 16 <br> Corn Chex Cereal Banana / Milk | $\begin{array}{ll} \hline 17 & \\ & \text { Muffins } \\ & \text { Banana / Milk } \end{array}$ | 18 <br> Frosted Mini Wheat, Applesauce / Milk | 19  <br>  Muffins <br>  Banana / Milk | 20 <br> Cheerios Cereal Applesauce / Milk |
| Cheese Ravioli w/Marinara Sauce, Broccoli, Garlic Bread, Apple Slices, Milk | Tacos, Spanish Rice, Corn, Pineapple Diced \& Milk | Chik-n Salad Sandwich, Celery Sticks \& Baby Carrots, Mixed Fruit Cocktail \& Milk | Chik-n Chow Mien, Sweet Potato Tempura, Pear diced \& Milk | Cheese Pizza, Tater tots, Apple slices \& Milk |
| Animal Crackers \& 100\% Fruit Punch Blend | Graham Crackers / Mixed Fruit Cocktail Yogurt | Hi-Ho Crackers / 100\% Fruit Punch Blend | Wheat Thins / Mixed Fruit Cocktail Yogurt | Vanilla Wafers / 100\% Fruit Punch Blend |
| 23 <br> Raisin Bran Cereal, Apple diced / Milk | 24 <br> Pancakes <br> Mandarin Orange / Milk | 25 <br> Corn Chex Cereal, <br> Apple diced / Milk | 26 <br> Pancake <br> Mandarin Orange / Milk | 27 <br> Frosted Mini Wheat Cereal Apple diced / Milk |
| Spaghetti, Toss Salad, Garlic Bread, Mixed Fruit Cocktail \& Milk | Bean Burritos, Carrots (Baby), Pineapple Diced, Milk | Chicken Noodle Soup, Mixed Vegetables, Orange slices, Bread \& Milk | Hamburger Steak, Brown Rice, Toss Salad, Peaches diced \& Milk | Hot Dog on Bun, French Fries, Apple slices \& Milk |
| Graham Crackers / Apple Juice | Ritz Crackers / Mixed Fruit Cocktail Yogurt | Wheat Thins / Apple Blend | Animal Crackers / Mixed Fruit Cocktail Yogurt | Graham Crackers / Apple Juice |
| $30$ <br> MEMORIAL DAY SCHOOL | 31 <br> Cheerios Cereal <br> Fresh Fruit / Milk |  |  |  |
| CLOSED | Cheese Quesadillas, Spanish Rice, Corn, Orange slices \& Milk |  |  |  |
|  | Wheat Thins / Orange Juice |  |  |  |

