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**MISSION STATEMENT**  
Riverview's mission is to provide a quality, affordable program that parents can rely upon throughout the year, and to provide a program that meets the needs of the whole child and provide opportunities for children to develop socially, emotionally, cognitively and physically in a nurturing environment

**Library Days**



The 3's, 4's, &

School ager's will be walking to the Library once a week during the months of June and July. This will start the week of June 19th and continue until July 24th. Please remember to send walking shoes with your child on these days.

3's & 4's—Tuesday's 10-10:30

School Age—Thursdays 1:30-2:30

**Field Trip Days**

June 8 Twin Parks 3yr old room—SA 10-12

June 12 Bonebright museum 3's—SA (pending) 1-2:30

June 21 Nakomis 3's-SA 10-11

July 11 Olsen Park/Splash Pad 3's—SA 10:30-2:30

July 18 Blank Park Zoo 8-4

July 27 Hamilton County Fair 3's—SA 10-11

Aug.9 Briggs Woods 3's—SA 10-12

**WATER PLAY**

The school age will be going to the pool on Monday's, Wednesday's & Friday's. Parents are responsible for paying for their child to go to the pool or provide a pass number

**WATER DAYS**

0's—Friday's am

1's—Friday's am

2's—Tuesday's Am

3's & 4's—Friday's pm

SA POOL- Mon. Wed. & Friday

**SPECIAL DAYS IN JUNE**

June 1—Last day of school (early out 12:10)

Week of June 4th—Pool & Water Days start

June 7—STAFF MEETING at 6:00PM  
—Movement begins

June 8 —Walk to Twin Parks for Hot Dog Meal 10am-12pm (3yr old room—School Age)

Week of June 11th—Lunch @ Middle School Starts 3yr old room—SA

June 12—Bone Bright museum (3yr old room—SA) 1-2:30pm (appx.) (pending approval)

June 19—Start of Library days

June 21—Sports Day @ Nakomis 3-SA  
@Big Playground 1-2 yrs  
—Board meeting 5:30

June 26—Luau / mud day **ALL ROOMS** (your gonna get dirty) (Bring an old swimsuit to get muddy)

**MOVEMENT CLASSES**

The Dance Connection is offering movement classes at Riverview Daycare for boys and girls, ages 2 years through school-aged children! "During our classes we will work on using large motor skills, balancing, rhythmic movement, creative expression, tumbling skills and much more! This will help your child to increase in body awareness, strength, balance, coordination and self-confidence while having fun!" Every Thursday 10-11am.



Please remember to send bug spray and sunscreen. If we do not have these then we can not use them on your child. Thanks

**Happy Father's Day**



June 17

**Daycare Bills**

This is a reminder that payments are due on Wednesday. There is a 2 day grace period but payments must be in by Friday. If payment is not made by Friday @ 5:30 pm there is a late charge starting on Thurs. of \$5 / day until the account is paid and your child won't be allowed to attend daycare starting on Tuesday and until payment is made.

**Please walk your child into the building everyday and into their classroom. This is not only required by DHS and Riverview but also a safety issue.**

Please make sure to clock in and out everyday. This is required by Riverview and the State of Iowa.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY



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## Edible Peanut Butter Playdough

Need: 1/2 cup peanut butter, 1/2 cup honey, 1 cup powdered milk

Knead until smooth.

Play With It, Eat It

Wyatt Clausen June 2—11 years old

Hudson Gapp June 3—2 yrs old

Luke Wilson June 22—2 yrs old

Naomi Drummer June 24—4 yrs old

Natalie Perez June 5

Sydney Carver June 6



### Sun Safety for Kids

#### Simple ways to protect your child's skin this summer.

Summer is finally here, which means your kids will be spending a lot more time outside. One of the smartest things you can do for their health is to protect them from the sun. The majority of lifetime sun damage occurs before age 18, so establishing good sunscreen habits early on will go a long way toward preventing skin cancer later in life. We asked the experts for their top tips.

#### Put Sunscreen on Your Baby

The American Academy of Pediatrics says that it's safe to use sunscreen on babies younger than 6 months. So be sure to rub sun-protective lotion on your infant's cheeks, arms, and other exposed areas. But even if you've applied a sunscreen, it's still crucial to keep your baby out of direct sunlight and in the shade as much as possible.

#### Buy a Hat

The ideal protection: a hat with a two- or three-inch brim that keeps your child's scalp, face, and eyes shielded from the sun.

#### Get Shady

When you're on the beach, make sure your kids take frequent shade breaks. The sun is most intense from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., so you should also consider hitting the beach early in the morning or late in the afternoon instead of at midday.

#### Be a Smart Shopper

Buy a sunscreen with an SPF of at least 15 that offers broad-spectrum coverage. That means it protects against UVB rays (which experts used to think were the only harmful rays) as well as against UVA rays (which can also do major damage). To be sure, check the label. The product should contain avobenzone (Parsol 1789), which blocks UVA rays, or titanium dioxide or zinc oxide, both of which block UVA as well as UVB rays. Spray-on sunscreens are fine, but only if you rub them in thoroughly. And don't forget to apply sunscreen to the most overlooked areas—ears, backs of legs, neck, and lips (use a lip balm with SPF 15).

#### Cover Up

The average white T-shirt has an SPF of about 3, which is not enough to protect against sun damage. A better bet: sun-protective clothing with SPF built right into the fabric (like this SPF Zip Suit by SunSafe). If your child isn't wearing a tee made of sun-protective fabric, apply sunscreen under her shirt.

#### Do it Daily

The beach isn't the only place where the sun can do damage. You need to think about sun protection when your kids are in the yard actually, whenever they're outside, even on cloudy days. Slather them with sunscreen at least 20 minutes before they head outdoors so the skin has a chance to absorb the lotion.

### Riverview Wish List

Craft Supplies—any

paper

Games

Toys for school age

Paper plates

Paper bags