



June 2023

ZOO FIELD TRIP IN DES MOINES

RAINBOW BUNCH, SUNSHINE GANG & SA

The bus will leave Riverview promptly at 7:45 am on June 29th. The children will be back at approximately 3:30pm. All children will need to bring a sack lunch.

SPECIAL DAYS IN JUNE

1st - Prairie Energy Co Op guest speaker

Staff meeting 6-7pm

5th - Water Days & Pool Days start

6th - SA field trip to Briggs Woods 12-3

3's & 4's -WCF field trip

7th - SA- WCF field trip

8th - Picnic @ Nokomis Park (3, 4, SA)

Small playground (0,1 & 2)

ALL CHILDREN NEED A SACK LUNCH!!!

14th - Make flags - wear red, white & blue

15th - Board meeting @ 5:30pm

16th - Donuts with Dad 7-9am

18th - Father's Day

20th - Sports Day @ Nokomis (3, 4, SA)

29th - Zoo Field Trip 7:45-3:30

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June 1-July 28 - (3's, 4's & SA) library day's

3's & 4's - Friday's 8:30-10:30

SA - Thursday's 12:30-2:30

CHECK YOUR CHILDS ROOM CALENDAR FOR SPECIAL DAYS LIKE LIBRARY, WATER DAYS, POOL AND FILED TRIP DAYS.

4-year-old preschool registration

Only a couple spots left

CLASSROOM WISH LIST

Sand toys

Kid size watering cans

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 provides opportunities for children to develop socially, emotionally, cognitively and physically in a nurturing environment.

NO SCHOOL DAYS

PLEASE DO NOT BLOCK THE SIDEWALK!

When picking up or dropping off your child please do not block the sidewalk coming up to the building!

Changing Jobs???

Please let the office know if you have a new job, phone number or address. This is for emergency purposes.

DAYCARE BILLS

This is a reminder that payments are due on Wednesday @ 5:30pm. Payments not paid by Friday @ 5:30pm will be charged \$5.00/day until the past due amount is paid in full.



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Hudson Gapp – June 3 – 7 years old
Rayden Weaver – June 6 – 2 years old
Urban Worden – June 10 – 3 years old
William Worden – June 10 – 3 years old
Colby Bertran – June 12 – 3 years old
Cullin Hammitt – June 17 – 3 years old
Ellowin Hammit – June 22 – 1 year old
Luke Wilson – June 22 – 7 years old

Chesney Fuller – June 18 – 18 years old!!!!
Julie Irvin – June 18
Jazmyne Harris – June 27

Why Play is so Important

Play is the work of children. For the young child, play and work involve the same actions: interacting with people, manipulating objects, and making discoveries that help make sense of the world. Learning happens naturally through play. For school success, children must develop physically, mentally, emotionally, socially, and creatively. Play is a crucial part of this development of the whole child.

Play is an important part of language development. Children express themselves through play, and they communicate in many ways during play. Play brings together adults with children or children with each other – a perfect environment for conversations to develop. Play helps children have fun with language!

Play is an ideal way for children to express feelings. Socio-dramatic play helps children act out relationships and work through negative feelings. Play is critical for social development, helping children develop rules and understand the purpose of rules. Through play, children learn to make choices and decisions and solve problems.

A child's social play begins with the first smile from an adult. The adult serves as the play leader for young children, and through this play children develop secure attachments with adults. Adults promote play and language development by participating with children in play and by serving as models. Adults "set the stage" for play and provide a supporting role as they encourage children's play.