



## Very Important 2021 Fall Office Newsletter

Welcome to the Fall 2021/2022 School Year. Let's get right to business.

Due to the National Staffing Crisis... we are forced to make some changes to our Center.

- ◆ As of 9/1/2021 Hours of operation are 7:00am—5:15 pm Monday through Friday
- ◆ As of 9/1/2021 Masking is recommended—not mandatory
- ◆ As of 9/1/2021 Clients will drop off and pick up their children to the **classroom door**. Teachers will receive them in the hallway, to avoid outside foot traffic in classrooms. Both teachers should be scheduled at that opening and closing to be available for conversation. Please keep information and brief, so they can greet each family.
- ◆ Please be sure that you have the communication tool ProCare Parent Engagement downloaded on your device.
- ◆ I have purchased a lobby Non-Contact Thermal Body Temperature Scanner to be used at the time of check in.
- ◆ Do your diligence with health observations before you come to day care. No fever, no cold symptoms, no vomiting, no diarrhea will be allowed. Dosing with Motrin and Tylenol will only harm everyone. Please be considerate of all caring for your children and those others in your child's class.
- ◆ Supplies should be labeled for recognition. Extra clothes, cot sheets, blankets, pacifiers, and sippy cups need a sharpie marker or label too.
- ◆ As of 9/1/2021 we have no cook. I will be working on Sunday to prepare three meals for the beginning of the week, catering one day and cold sandwich Friday.

Bear with us.... This lack of workforce is slowly killing us. We are doing everything in our power to weather this storm and provide you with the most we can offer. If you have any leads for cook or teacher's assistants, and we hire them, I will work out a tuition reimbursement with you. Until then, buckle up—it is going to be a bumpy ride!

*Ms Ann, Ms Lynda  
+ The Crew*