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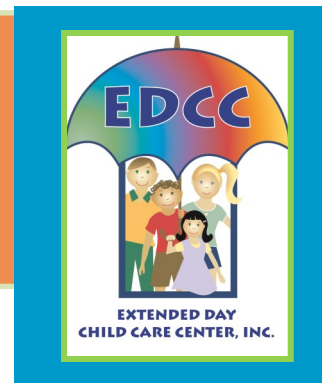
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COTTONWOOD CREEK CONNECTION

EDCC Newsletter

June-August 2018

Important Dates

June 1: last day of school (minimum day-12:30 release)

June 4: EDCC summer camp starts!

July 4: EDCC closed for 4th of July holiday

August 9: last day of summer camp

August 10: EDCC closed for teacher work day

August 13: EDCC open (full center day)

August 14: first day of school!

Bus Field Trips:

June 12: Chuck E. Cheese
(Dublin)



June 25: Pump It Up
(Pleasanton)



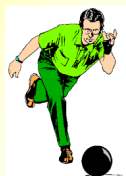
July 3: Schaefer Ranch Park
(Dublin)



July 17: The Jungle (Concord)



July 23: Earl Anthony's Dublin Bowl
(Dublin)



Summer Time News:

I would first like to welcome all of you to Cottonwood Creek EDCC's first summer program! Your child will have lots to look forward to since we have planned so many fun and exciting field trips, shows, and activities! Be sure to check your activity calendars which were included in the summer packets to see what we have going on each day and what your child might need to bring. It is also helpful to sign up on our Shutterfly share site for important reminders or updates sent right to your phone! The calendars will also be posted on our EDCC website.

Our summer theme is going to be "Digging Summer." The kids will get to learn about animals, habitats, and environments, as we explore a new sub-theme each week. Our EDCC teachers have been working hard to plan lessons that are engaging, meaningful, and enjoyable for your children. I know the kids are going to have a blast this summer!

Please let us know if we can do anything to improve your child's experience here at EDCC. We are happy to answer any questions that you have for us.

Sincerely,

Ashley Pauly

Cottonwood Creek Site Director

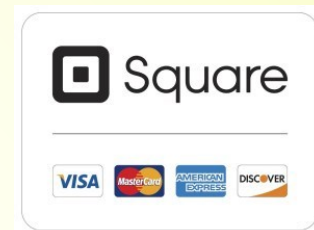


Important Information:

- Since our brand-new Cottonwood Creek school will not be ready until school begins, we will have our summer program in the Amador MPR/ Cafeteria. Amador Elementary is located at **2100 East Cantara Dr., Dublin 94568**. The phone number to reach us at for summer and on field trips is: **925-216-6577**. (We will update you with our new address and phone number for the school year when it is available).
- **Tuition** is due on the 1st of the month. Payments will be considered late after 6:00 pm on the 7th and subject to a late fee of \$45.00. You have the option to pay by check or credit/ debit card (credit/ debit only available from the 1st-7th). You will receive an invoice each month showing the amount that is due. (See below for rates).
- EDCC is open from **7 AM to 6 PM**; We cannot open our doors before 7 AM. We charge a flat fee of **\$10, plus \$1 for every minute** your child is here past 6 PM, so please have a trusted adult on your contact list that can pick up your child if you are running late. Payment is due within 2 business days.
- EDCC will be **closed on July 4**, and **closed for a teacher work day on August 10** (Full Center Day on August 13 and school begins August 14).
- Pack your child a **healthy, peanut-free lunch** each day, unless noted on the calendar. Please avoid packing sugary drinks and snacks, such as chips, cookies, brownies, or candy; on **field trip days** your child will need to have a disposable bag lunch and food/drink holders so they don't have to carry them around.
- Please bring an extra set of clothing (including socks and under-pants) for your child to keep in his or her backpack or cubby space; replace extra set of clothes as needed.
- Bring a sunblock bottle on your first day of camp for your child to use at the center and give this to an EDCC staff to keep locked up (be sure we have your parent consent for medication form); pack an extra water bottle daily to keep them hydrated.
- Have your child wear their **blue EDCC shirt on field trip days**.
- Your child must wear **tennis shoes**, for their safety and comfort everyday (no sandals or flip flops, please).
- Kindergartners need a **nap sheet and small blanket** for nap time if you have chosen for them to nap; bring a fresh set each Monday, and bring them home to wash on Fridays (not necessary if your child will not be napping).

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Field Trips

ALL CHILDREN MUST HAVE COOPERATIVE BEHAVIOR ON ALL FIELD TRIPS. ANY CHILD WHO CHOOSES TO BE UNCOOPERATIVE ON A FIELD TRIP WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND THE NEXT FIELD TRIP. CHILD CARE FOR THAT DAY WOULD BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARENT.

IF YOU OR OUR STAFF ANTICIPATES ANY BEHAVIORAL ISSUES THAT MAY TAKE PLACE ON A FIELD TRIP, YOU MAY BE ASKED TO BE A CHAPERONE ON THE FIELD TRIP TO SUPERVISE YOUR CHILD.

YOU MAY NOT DROP YOUR CHILD OFF AT A FIELD TRIP LOCATION IF YOU MISSED THE BUS UNLESS YOU MADE PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE DIRECTOR.



EDCC Daily Schedule*

Bears= Kindergarten

Bobcats = 1st-5th grade

7:00 EDCC opens/ morning centers

8:30 morning snack



9:15 clean-up centers

9:30 announcements/ roll call/ group carpet time

9:45 Bobcats: recess/ Bears: lesson

10:30 Bears: lesson/ Bobcats: recess

11:15 wash hands



11:30 lunch

12:00 quiet reading

12:10 sunblock/ centers stations

12:50 clean up

1:00 Bobcats: recess/ Bears: transition activity and read-aloud



1:45 line up/ clean up

2:00 Bobcats: nap or quiet time/ Bears: recess



2:40 wake up/ line up

3:00 wash hands/ snack/ sunblock

3:45 recess (all together)

4:15 read-aloud (Fridays: raffle and movie day)

4:30 Bobcats: lesson/ Bears: lesson

5:00 centers



6:00 close

*Schedule may change due to field trips, on campus-shows, special events, etc.

EDCC Closed

EDCC will be closed on July 4 for the holiday, and August 10 for a teacher work day. Please make note of these dates on your calendar so that you can make alternative arrangements for childcare on those two days.

Summer Themes: "Digging Nature"

Week 1 (June 4-8): Welcome Week

Week 2 (June 11-15): Enchanted Forests

Week 3 (June 18-22): Ponds and Picnics

Week 4 (June 25-29): Happy Trails

Week 5 (July 2-6): Watershed Wonders

Week 6 (July 9-13): Sediments and Sand

Week 7 (July 16-20): Slippery, Wiggly, and Slimy

Week 8 (July 23-27): Natural Park Wonders

Week 9 (July 30-Aug 3): Surf's Up

Week 10 (August 6-9): Celebration Week



Sunblock: LIC form 9221 must be completed

On your child's first day of Summer camp, please bring a full bottle of sunblock, labeled with his or her name. We will keep the sunblock locked up here at the center, as it is considered a medication (see LIC form 9221). We ask that you apply sunblock to your child in the morning before dropping them off, and EDCC will re-apply sunblock twice a day.

EDCC Food Policy

At EDCC, we ask that you **pack your child a lunch that does not contain peanut products**, since we have children with severe allergies. If your child develops an allergy that we are not aware of, please notify us right away.

Also, please be sure your child's lunch is healthy so that they can be focused and ready for a long day of playing and learning. We do not allow cookies, chips, brownies, soft drinks, candy, etc. even for birthdays.

When we have field trips, please be sure that your child's lunch is disposable so that they won't have to carry around a lunch box or food/drink container throughout the trip.

It is advised to give your child a water bottle each day, since it can get hot and they often prefer this to the drinking fountain. We are unable to warm up or refrigerate lunches due to our limited amount of time and space. If you are concerned about the temperature of your child's lunch, you can pack it in a thermos or include an ice pack.