

Center Highlights:

- 1) The new school year will start on August 18th. If your child is transitioning, you should have received a written notice from Paige and verbal communication from your child's current teacher. Please see Paige with any questions.
- 2) The School-agers are hosting a car wash on Wednesday, August 13th from 1-3 p.m. Please stop by and let them make your vehicle shine!
- 3) Our first Chick-fil-A Spirit Night of the new school year will be on Wednesday, August 20th. Generations Crossing receives 15% of the total in-store sales between the hours of 5-7 p.m. If you go through the drive-thru, please tell the cashier that your receipt needs to go towards G.C. in order for us to receive credit. We hope to see you there!
- 4) Summer Camp ends on August 15th. Due to the large number of children attending the after-school program and limited space, we will only be able to take children who are registered for Before/After School on August 18th. Please let Paige know if your child will be here that day.

Updated Paperwork

We have a lot of changes coming up in the next few weeks. Tuition rates will change, classrooms will change, new staff will be in place, and we'll be all set for a new school year. With the tuition change, you will be receiving a new Admission Agreement to sign with the updated rate. In addition to the Admission Agreement, updated USDA forms will be sent home. Those forms are required to be updated annually, even if your child doesn't receive free or reduced lunches. Please complete all the paperwork and return it to Paige by August 29th.

Emergency Contact Information:

If you've had a change of address, work location, phone number, or emergency contacts for your child, please stop in the office and update your paperwork. It's imperative that we have current information for your child. Thank you!

REMINDER:

If your child is attending the half day program, **they must be picked up by 1:00 p.m.** If your child is picked up after 1:00, they will be charged the full day price. Thank you for your cooperation in this!



Staffing Update:

Last month we had a lot of staffing changes to tell you about. We're very happy to announce that almost all the positions have been filled and the staff is in place for transition time. Please see the list below to see who's working in each room:

Infants:

- Ms. Jenny (7:15-3:15)
- Ms. Maggie (7:45-4:45)
- Ms. Stephanie (8:30-5:30)
- Ms. Mindy* (11:00-6:00)

Fours:

- Ms. Dana (7:30-3:30)
- Ms. Hannah* (8:15-4:45)
- Ms. Michele (3:00-6:00)

Toddlers:

- Ms. Amanda (6:00-2:00)
- Ms. Faith (7:30-4:30)
- Ms. Heidi (8:30-5:30)
- Ms. Crystal* (2:00-6:00)

Fives:

- Ms. Kristin (7:30-3:00)
- Ms. Odessa (8:30-5:30)

After School:

- Ms. Sharon (2:30-6:00)
- Assistant - TBD

Twos:

- Ms. Paige (7:30-12:00)
- Ms. DeAnna (8:15-5:00)
- Ms. B. (9:30-2:30)
- Ms. Brittany (3:00-6:00)

* - new hire

Threes:

- Ms. Jackie (6:00-2:00)
- Ms. Catie* (8:30-5:00)
- Ms. Kristen B.* (2:00-6:00)

Substitutes:

- Ms. Charlotte
- Ms. Ashley
- Ms. Rachel
- Ms. Kristen M.
- Ms. Natalie
- Ms. April
- Ms. Sarah

IG Snapshot

While the Board of Director's looks for the right candidate to fill the Intergenerational Activities Director position, the teachers will be stepping in to complete some Intergenerational activities. Each classroom has selected a day each week to share an activity with the adults. Five year olds will be on Monday, Fours on Tuesday, Threes on Wednesday, Twos on Thursday and varied activities on Friday. The Infants and Toddlers will visit the adults daily during buggy rides. It's important to our mission that the IG activities are still happening. Please see an administrator with any questions regarding the IG activities.

DID YOU KNOW???

United Way of Harrisonburg and Rockingham County awarded Generations Crossing with grant money to provide scholarship assistance to lower income families for both and adult and child daycare. In addition to United Way, the Harrisonburg-Rockingham Rotary awarded Generations Crossing with a grant to install our new intercom system. We appreciate the community support!

