



RAINBOW SCHOOL HONOLULU JUNE & JULY 2011 NEWSLETTER

SUMMER THEME

The theme for the months of June and July will be “Discovering famous children’s authors and books”. The children will be discovering authors such as Eric Carle who wrote the famous “The Very Hungry Caterpillar” and “Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?” and Laura Numeroff who wrote “If You Give a Mouse a Cookie”. We’ll also introduce classic books such as “The Little Red Hen” and “The Ugly Duckling”. We’ll dive into many fun and exciting books this summer!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 30 – School is closed in observance of Memorial Day

May 31 – Registration Fee 2011-2012 due. \$150.00

June or July TBA – Traveling Storytellers perform Grimm’s Fairytales



July 1-8 – Ms. Cindy will be on vacation please see Ms. Mei for assistance

July 4 - School is closed in observance of Independence Day

July 27 – Last day of school.

July 28 & 29 - School is closed for cleaning and teacher meetings.

July 29 - Parent Orientation Day 8:00-10:00 a.m. School is closed after orientation.

August 1 - Fall Session begins 2011-2012 school year

WATER PLAY DAY

During the hot summer months we plan a “Water Play Day”. The children are engaged in water table activities, as well as getting wet in the sprinkler. If you allow your child to participate in the sprinkler you must bring his/her bathing suit or swim shorts, towel and change of clothes. If your child does not come to school with the items listed above we will assume that your child is not allowed to participate. Other water activities that don’t involve getting wet will be provided for children who are not allowed to participate in the sprinkler. The following are the dates assigned for each class:

June

June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - Water play days for the Dyr

June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 - Water play days for the S

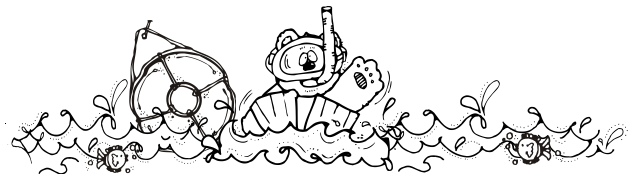
June 3, 10, 17, 24 - Water play days for the S

July

July 6, 13, 20, 27 - Water play days for the Dynamic Dolphin Class. (Wednesdays)

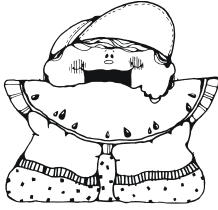
July 7, 14, 21 - Water play days for the Shiny Sea Stars Class. (Thursdays)

July 1, 8, 15, 22 - Water play days for the Silly Seahorses Class. (Fridays)



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The Malie Kai class will announce when their water play dates will be. Please look on your child's lesson plan and daily notes home for specific dates. Thank you.



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FUNNY FRIDAY'S

ths of June and July we'll have a "Funny Friday" theme. It's a the end of the week, just dress your child to fit the theme for

June 3 - Purple Day: Wear our school's color... PURPLE!

June 10 - Hat Day: Wear your favorite hat or visor.

June 17 - Beach Day: Wear something you'd wear to the beach, board shorts, surf shirt, tank top, sunglasses, hat, etc. Please don't send your child to school with just a bikini or bathing suit...make sure you put a cover up on. Thanks.

June 24 - Inside Out Day: Wear your clothes inside out.

July 1 - Red, White, and Blue Day: Wear the colors of our country.

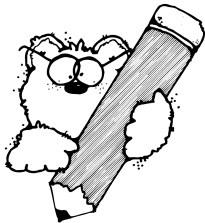
July 8 - Favorite Sport Day: Wear your favorite sport attire. (i.e., soccer shorts & shirt, football jersey, etc.)

July 15 - Pajama Day: Wear your pajama's to school! Let's have a slumber party!!!

July 22 - Bad Hair Day: Come in to school with messy, colored, crazy looking hair. Get creative or just roll out of bed with your hair undone! Have fun!!

TUITION REMINDER

Please remember... tuition rates for the school year 2011-2012 will change. The tuition rates will take effect on August 1, 2011.



Infants: \$1425.00

Toddlers: \$1325.00

Twos: \$900.00

Threes and Fours: \$850.00

Thank you for your continued support!!



CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to the following families who have a new addition to their family: Nico Ballesteros from the Shiny Sea Stars classrooms welcomed a new baby sister named Marley, born on February 28, 2011. Their parents are Milani and Lee. Nathan Kuhn from the Shiny Sea Stars classroom also welcomed a new baby sister named Emma on

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March 21, 2011. Their parents are Lisa and Glenn. Also, Marcus and Dylan Younoszai from the Malie Kai and Shiny Sea Stars classrooms, welcomed a new baby sister to their family named Brooke, born on May 7, 2011. Their parents are Natalie and Barak. Congratulations to our Rainbow School families!

ALOHA OE & MAHALO

Aloha and Mahalo to the families who will be moving on to a new chapter in their child's education. We'd like to thank all of you for the wonderful support you've given us this past year. Rainbow School Honolulu is very fortunate to have such outstanding parents! We are truly grateful for all that you do for your children and our school.

MAHALO TO THE FCCB MEMBERS

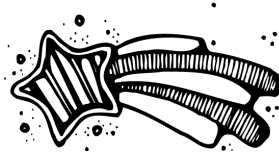
Mahalo to the FCCB members who have done such an outstanding job thinking of creative ways to raise funds for our school this past school year! The Federal Child Care Board members are:

Gina Doane – President

Natalie Younoszai – Past Secretary

Lian Abernathy – Current Secretary

Lauren Kiakona – Treasurer



Directors: Tony Abernathy, Kristie Chang, Gina Meyer, Derrick Watson

All funds received go directly to purchases made for the classrooms and/or staff professional development.

SCHOOL CLOSURE

In order to prepare for the new school year we will be closing our school on July 28 and 29th. We feel that it is important that we utilize this time to shampoo all of the rugs in the classrooms, disinfect and sanitize all of the activities, furniture, etc. in all of the classrooms as well as on the playground, clean the ceiling vents, and re-arrange the classroom centers. We will also be conducting our staff meetings, goal planning sessions, and preparing the school for the new school year. In addition, our Parent Orientation will take place on July 29th from 8:00 – 10:00 am. Children are welcome, however, child care will not be provided as this day will also be used for teacher meetings/training as well. A letter will be sent home as the time draws near regarding parent orientation and the agenda.

PARKING PERMITS

As a reminder to all families who will be leaving our school, please return our GSA Parking Permits on your child's last day. These permits are GSA property and must be returned in good condition so that we may be able to re-issue these permits to the new



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families entering our school. Thank you very much for your cooperation.

MAHALO!

Thank you to all of our Rainbow School families who came to help celebrate our children's accomplishments on our Recognition Day held on our preschool playground on May 27, 2011. We had a wonderful time recognizing each child for their accomplishments.

We'd also like to thank those of you who contributed to the Dynamic Dolphin's family potluck which was held after the program. There was lots of ono food and great company. The Dolphin families enjoyed being able to come together to celebrate their children's accomplishments. A special "Mahalo" goes out to Fred and Leigh Pascua who created a beautiful slide show for the Dynamic Dolphin class. They did a fantastic job putting together a summary of pictures and videos of the entire year.

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