



Cathedral House Monthly July 2007

July Dates To Know

July 4 - School Closed

July 12 & 26 -
Arts Alive

July 23 - 26
Vacation Bible School

Every Friday -
Splash Day

The Greatest Summer on Earth Join us for Clown School

Mr. Clown, Mr. Clown

Who's the funniest clown in town

Quick, Quick do a trick!

During the month of July the children will be attending "clown school".

Tricks, funny faces, and dressing up will become part of our daily routine. Parents are invited to share hats, shoes, ties, etc. to become part of our costume trunks.



Overture: Music for Young Children

This fall we are proud to introduce a new program to Cathedral House.

Children in our Toddler II and older classrooms will have the opportunity to join in the introduction of musical beats, tuneful use of their voice and use of percussion instruments.

This is an extracurricular activity that parents can subscribe to at the front desk.

Primary and Kindergarten are invited to join

"Bible Voyagers"

Vacation Bible School

July 23 - 26, 2007

Story of Abraham, Story of David, Story of Jesus' birth,
and the miracle of the loaves of bread and fish.

Flyers available at the front desk.

June was full of Fun!



Movement I - Elizabeth Black, John Devine, Jordan Cheadle, and Julia McMahon



Movement II - Lyle Clanton



Primary - Braxton , Erik, Jeffery, Luke, Elizabeth, Emma, Rebecca, Lainey, Camille, Ryan, and Parks.



Kindergarten - Ben, Harrison, and Cole



Kindergarten - Molly, Savannah, Avery and Gillian

Splashing Fun

Circus Fun!



Toddler I - Sam Belt, Landon Foltz, Max Kalba and Andrew Garrett



Nursery I - Isabella Acosta



Primary - Anna Graber and Julia Rae



Primary - Elephants Balancing



Primary - Mitt Black



Primary - Liam Coffey, Jonathan Swagerty and Caroline Williams

Under the Big Top

Nursery I:

It's been really hot and rainy so we've been enjoying our days learning and socializing with our friends. Jacqueline, Isabelle, Isabella, and Luke enjoy having their "tea time" (playing with toys together on the rug). Isabelle has been trying real hard to teach them *Patty Cake*, usually they just stare at her. Jacqueline is working hard to begin crawling and Claire has mastered her high pitched sounds, always with a smile on her face. If you would like a good conversation just sit by Brendan or John, they love to talk! Julian is making him self at home, and recovering from jet lag after his vacation in Hawaii. Catherine's favorite activity this month has been trying to turn over to look at herself in the mirror. And finally silly Annalise, she loves making bubbles while we are trying to give her her bottle. Let's all dress in red, white and blue on Tue. July 3rd.

Nursery II:

WoooHooo - a big clap goes out to Charlotte. She is now taking step. Claps also go to Addison and Georgia. They are our newest crawlers! Thanks to all the daddies and grandpas that joined us for Dads and Donuts. We really enjoyed sharing the morning with all of you. It doesn't have to be a special day for you to come visit, you are welcome anytime.

Keep practicing your baby signs! We try to go outside every day, please have a hat in your child's drawer and sunscreen available if needed.

Movement I:

Greetings from the Movement I Circus, where everyday we are growing and learning something new. During the summer we love having splash on Fridays. Please remember we begin at 9:00 so it is best if you bring your child already dressed to splash. Thanks to Charlotte Cheadle for sticking around after Dads and Donuts to help out with the splashing fun. Under our big top, we have been stacking, stringing and naming objects. Joining our circus in July will be Charlie White, Oliver Seitchik, and Ben Beauvais.

Movement II:

Movement II joined the circus for the summer - We began our month by reading *A Trip to the Circus*. As we entered our "circus" the children walked like elephants, decorated balloons to hang in the class and ate some yummy cotton candy. In Gymnastics, we walked on the tight-rope. Joining us this month were Cate McClees and Emily Deaton. In July we will welcome Julia McMahan, Maddie Schneider, and Jordan Cheadle as we begin "clowning around"!

Under the Big Top

Spanish News for the Summer:

Toddler I through Kindergarten Classes -

New words for the Summer:

tent - carpa seal - foca

circus - circo monkey - monito

clown - payaso elephant - elefante

lion - leon popcorn - palomitas

*Head , Shoulders, Knees, and Toes (song)

And counting to 20 and above

Movement II

Ducks - patitos

Counting to 5

Colors - rojo - red, blanco - white,
azul - blue,

Body parts - ojos - eyes, nariz - nose,
boca - mouth.

The classes have been introduced to these new words and will continue to practice them through the month of July. Please practice them at home with your children as well.

Toddler I:

June was a busy month. We began by making the cute t-shirts for the children to wear on Fridays. Fridays are full of fun while we splash and play in our swimsuits. We had 2 very *special* days this past month. The children were very excited to share donuts with their Dads in honor of Father's Day. And on June 19th we had our Circus Day. The children preformed great acts and as a special treat we even slept under the big top (tents).

Show-n-Tell is every Thursday—please save toys in the car or at home until Thursdays.

During the month of July, Ms. Patricia will be on leave while having surgery. Ms. Cynthia will be filling in for her during her absence. We hope to have Ms. Patricia back by the beginning of August.



Under the Big Top

Toddler II:

Ladies and Gentleman, boys and girls, welcome to the greatest summer on earth! As we explored under the big top this month we found balloons and discovered why they float. We talked about popcorn, what causes it to pop, and pretended to be popcorn kernels and popped all across the room. Our friend Aidan brought in an old fashioned popcorn maker. Everyone enjoyed observing, smelling, and tasting their special snack. Also at the circus we met beautiful dancing bears and joined them as they performed Black Bear, Black Bear. Life at the circus is fun. We can't wait for circus fun this summer.

Kindergarten:

June was full of so many different emotions. **Joy** - as we spend each Friday splashing. We really enjoy shaving cream, spray painting, and washing the dishes! **Excitement** - as our dads joined us for donuts to celebrate Father's Day. **Awe** - as we look at the pictures and postcards the children share of their vacations. And **Sadness** - as we said good-bye to Kinsley Poole. She will spend one more day with us in July before she and her family move to New Orleans.

Primary I & Primary II:

Our trip around the world has come to an end and we are ready to have the *Greatest Summer on Earth*. To begin the summer we welcomed 3 new friends into Primary I, Camille and William Marlin, and Caroline Williams. We're so excited to be learning all the many things you can be and do at the circus from a high wire walker, to a clown, magician and many more. We practiced our high wire act by balancing on our own high wire (the ribbon on our rug) and read Mirenette on the High Wire by Steven Salerno. The best part, so far, of our circus adventure was decorating popcorn bag and eating freshly popped popcorn. YUM! We are looking forward to attending Clown School during July. If you have any wigs, big ties, hats, etc. we would appreciate it if we could borrow them. Thanks!



July Birthdays

July 6th	Alexandria Tripp	3 years old
July 12th	Cole White	5 years old
July 15th	Luke Summer	4years old
July 20th	Patrick Farmer	3 years old
July 22nd	Ben Beauvais	1 year old
July 27th	Ryan Dorfman	3 years old
July 28th	Ethan Cloud	3 years old

Also Celebrating in July

Ms Tameka July 1st Administration

Ms. Opal July 2nd Movement I

Ms. Aydee July 15th Substituting

Ms. Alicia July 21st Nursery I

Ms. Angel July 29th Nursery II