



CENTER NEWS

August 2009

FCDC Closed August 31

FCDC will be closed on Monday, August 31, for our staff professional development day. Please remember to make alternative child care arrangements for that day.

FCDC will also be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day.

Thank You, Volunteers!

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped to rearrange the infant classrooms in July. Volunteers included: Bruce Fraser, Michelle Bigelow, Jeff Braid, Jason Podany, Ann Schaibley, and Kevin Luhmann. Special thanks also to teachers Kim Luhmann, Lori Bigelow, and Amy Ojibway, who worked hard to plan the new layout and helped to recreate the new spaces.

Thank you to Marisa Heitz and Kaelee Embry, who volunteered to paint the Piglet, Roo, and Honeybee classrooms.

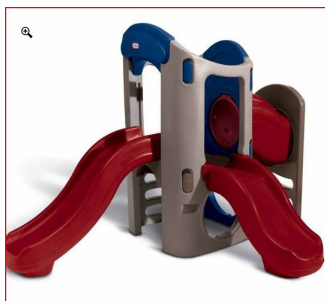
FCDC Re-licensed by DHS

On July 17, the Department of Human Services completed a licensing inspection of FCDC and extended our child care license for three years. FCDC had a successful inspection due to the work of our excellent staff and the diligence of Connie Welch, our Center Director. If you have questions about the licensing process, please ask Connie or Heidi.

Climber and Chairs for Sale

FCDC needs to clear out some of its items from storage. Preschool chairs are available for \$10 each. FCDC is also selling a Little Tykes climber (similar to the one pictured, but in brighter colors) for \$150.

If you're interested, or have questions, please see Heidi for more information.



Welcome to FCDC!

Piglet Room

Alexander Bortolon (Dawn, Ryan and big brother, Nicolas)

Roo Room

Brielle Wesley (Gabrielle and Brian)

Rabbit Room

Zoe Landry (Sheila and Kevin)

Please take a moment to welcome these families to the FCDC community!

Linens for Cots

If your child is using a cot for naptime at FCDC, please bring in a fitted sheet labeled with your child's name. A fitted sheet makes your child more comfortable during nap, especially during the summer. Just like all other linens, the fitted sheet will be sent home each week for laundering. We suggest using a crib sheet— they are the perfect size and are readily available at many stores. If you have any questions, please ask your child's teachers.

August Employee of the Month

Congratulations to Cathi Droz, who was selected by her peers as August's employee of the month. Cathi is a teacher in the Honeybee room in the afternoon and has been with FCDC since 2005. Check out the staff bulletin board to learn more about Cathi!

Goodbye, Kindergartners!

At the close of this month, FCDC will send a group of extraordinary children off to kindergarten. Thank you, kindergarten-bound families, for entrusting the care and early learning of your children to us. It has been our privilege!