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# Montessori

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

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## Congratulations Graduates!

Congratulations to our 2015 Primary graduates. You are off and ready for Kindergarten or Elementary next year. Great Job!

Congratulations to our 5<sup>th</sup> graders, Isabel dela Rama and Samantha Vu who are off to Junior High in the fall.

The graduation ceremony will be held at the Carden Conservatory's Auditorium on Friday, June 19 at 12 noon. Please RSVP.

## EVENTS AND HOLIDAYS

**Progress Reports** *Monday, June 8*

**Dad's Day Breakfast** *Friday, June 12*  
8-9:15 a.m.

**Bon Voyage Party** *Thursday, June 18*  
*Minimum Day / School closes at 12:30 p.m.*

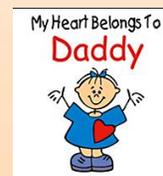
**Graduation** *Friday, June 19, 12-1 p.m.*  
*School Closed*

**Summer Session – June 29 – August 21**

## HOLIDAYS

**Summer Break** - *Thursday-Friday June 25-26*  
**NO SCHOOL**  
**Fourth of July** – *Friday, July 3* **NO SCHOOL**

## Father's Day Breakfast



Dads and grand dads are invited to join us for donuts and coffee on Friday, June 12 from 8 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

**A special performance will be held in each class**

### Toddlers Class

8:30 a.m.

### Primary 1, 2 & 3

8:45 a.m. & 9:00 a.m.

### Elementary

9:00 a.m. & 9:15 a.m.

Please RSVP for this event. Sign-ups are posted in the classroom.

We hope to see you then!

# GRADUATION CEREMONY



Our graduation ceremony will be held at Carden Conservatory Auditorium on Friday, June 19 at 12 noon. Graduates will meet in the Elementary Classroom Room 24 at 11:30 a.m. in their caps and gowns. Please R.S.V.P. for your number of guests. Invitations and additional information about graduation will be placed in your child's cubby.

## PROGRESS REPORTS

The progress report for the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester will be ready on Monday, June 8. Please review your child's progress for the semester and discuss questions with your child's teacher.

## KINDERGARTEN TEA PARTY

Ms. Nikki's afternoon Kindergarten class will be celebrating their success with a tea party on Monday, June 15 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. More information will be given to the afternoon students.

## BON VOYAGE PARTY

The end of the year Bon Voyage party will be held on Thursday, June 18 from 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 p.m. We will have carnival games and prizes. Parents are welcome to volunteer and join the fun. We will need volunteers for set up, clean up, and games. A sign-up sheet will be posted for potluck items.

Lunch will be served at 11:30 to 12:30. School closes at 12:30 p.m.



## YEARBOOK

*Yearbooks are now available to order. The cost for the yearbook is \$20.00. Yearbook order forms were placed in your child's cubby. We pre-ordered a limited amount of yearbooks, so be sure to order yours early.*



Thank you to the Lubin Family for donating yummy tacos to the whole school and catering a Mexican lunch to our teachers. Their restaurant is ***El Pico De Gallo Taqueria*** in Garden Grove.

Thank you for all the families and your donations to the school!

## CLASS EVENT ORGANIZERS

We are truly thankful for our wonderful class parents who helped organize our class events. Your contributions have made it easy for our teachers and memorable for the kids. We love your special touches and incredible ideas. So our hats off to our class parents: Amanda, Amy, Valerie, Linh, Van, Danielle, Jan, and Kim. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Thank you to all our parent volunteers, as well!

## THE JOYFUL GARDEN

Thank you to all the parents, students, and teachers for all your effort in helping make our garden beautiful. A special thank you to our 2nd grader, Luke Gordon, for leading the recycling project. He has been collecting all donated recyclables and dropping them at the recycling center. Luke collected \$ 94.00 which he donated back to the garden. Hooray and thank you Luke for all your efforts..

Thank you to our gardening volunteer, Ms. Cindy G. for your gift of sharing your love of gardening to our kids.

Thank you to all the families who helped us with our garden.



Thank you for coming to Children's Night. We were so proud of all the children who showed their best works. We hope you enjoyed the art display and watching the children at work. Thank you also for coming to the Elementary Science Fair. The children did an A+ job on their science experiments.

Most especially, thank you to all our parents for supporting our school in so many different ways. We are fortunate to have wonderful families in our school. We are grateful for your help in your child's success in school. If this is your last month at MCDC, be sure to stay in touch and visit our school throughout the years. Thank you for a great 2015!

## Thank you to our Teachers

We would like to thank all our teachers who made this year memorable and successful. Thank you for your patience, dedication, and commitment to all our young citizens.

Ms. Anna, Ms. Dee, Ms. Annie, Ms. Erika, Ms. Gabby, Ms. Monique, Ms. Machiko, Ms. Haidee, Ms. Jen, Ms. Nikki, Ms. Roopa, Ms. Mary, Ms. Cindy G, Ms. Ann, Ms. Cyndi, Ms. Shannon, Ms. Jodi, Ms. Murga, Ms. Laura, and Master Carla.

# LET'S GET READY FOR SUMMER!



Join MCDC for the summer! Be sure to turn in your summer registration to guarantee your child's space for the summer. Forms are available in the office. Parents can register on a weekly or monthly schedule. Our teachers will be taking some time off in the summer, therefore, pre-registration is mandatory in order for the school to maintain a proper student-teacher ratio. Older siblings up to 6<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to join us for the summer. Students who are attending public school should bring their work portfolio.

During the summer, the fun and learning continues at MCDC. There are many advantages in joining MCDC for the summer: students can get ahead in core academic subjects such as Language and Math; it's a great time to transition to a new class; the Montessori routine remains consistent; there will be special guests and shows that complement our summer theme; art, food, and music are incorporated into the program; and there will be lots of special activities to fill the day.

Be sure to look at our summer calendar for daily and weekly activities. Please go to our website for more summer information.



## 4 Years Old

Lucas 6/17  
Rowen 6/23

## 5 Years Old

Jackson 6/2  
Ryan 6/7  
Isaac 6/29

## 8 Years Old

Anderson 6/15

## 11 Years Old

Isabel 6/24

## Staff

Ms. Nikki 6/9  
Ms. Ann 6/28

## Elementary End of the Year Field Trip

The elementary students will be celebrating the end of the school year with a lunch at La Choza on Friday, June 12. The staff of La Choza will only talk to them in Spanish, so this would be a great opportunity to practice their Spanish conversational skills.

St. George Pizza on Newland and has been providing pizza for our school since 2004. MCDC students and families are always welcome to visit their restaurant. Go visit George and his family for some yummy pizza, spaghetti, and other classic Italian favorites!





