



**MAY 2017**



**INDIAN HARBOUR  
MONTESSORI**

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**End of the School Year 2016~2017—Congratulations Graduates**



Graduation is such a special time.  
Many congratulatory wishes go out to our graduates:  
**Lilah Belle Agno, Raghav Balaji, Sophia Crandall,  
Adrian Delia, Lila Iwanowski, Sophia Kolcun,  
Omar Mujeeb, Shweta Patel, & Brooke Wolfington**  
May your Montessori Memories last a lifetime...

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It has been a remarkable year! Thank you to all of our families  
for your support of our school and for sharing your amazing children.  
Have a safe and memorable summer .  
Thank you for growing with us,  
Montessori ... A Journey

Sincerely, *Arlene Lane* ~ Assistant Administrator & *Denise L. Johnson* ~ Administrator



**Happy Mother's Day**  
**May 14, 2017** ♥

**Happy Father's**  
**Day 6-18-17** ★



**Congratulations to all of**  
**our Kindergarten students**  
**going to First grade!**



**Room 2—Alex F.,**  
**Vera G., Ethan H., Jake M.,**  
**Ethan M., & Zoe W.**

**Room 3— Cole C., Emery**  
**F., Maia L., & Ben S.**

**A very special thank**  
**you to the MPTO for**  
**making this year**  
**Super Special!**  
**Jimmy Sawgrass,**  
**Mixed Bags, Teacher**  
**Appreciation & all of**  
**our classroom enrich-**  
**ment materials!!**

**ITBS Testing**



All elementary students in 1st—6th grade  
will have the ITBS (*Iowa Test of Basic  
Skills*) testing May 1-4, 2017. Please have  
your children here on time (before 8:30)  
after a good night sleep & a nutritious  
Breakfast each day! There will be no make  
up days. Do not enter classrooms from  
8:30-12:00. Thank –you.

**BIRTHDAYS IN MAY**

|           |      |
|-----------|------|
| Ivy C.    | 5-1  |
| Luca L.   | 5-9  |
| Nevin S.  | 5-12 |
| Maggie B. | 5-14 |
| Asher N.  | 5-15 |
| Eli G.    | 5-16 |
| Adrian D. | 5-19 |
| Liam S.   | 5-27 |
| Alex F.   | 5-31 |



Chess Club, 4-H, Stackers & Chorus are all over for the year!

Thank you Ms. Light, Mrs. Trawick, Mrs. Naugle & Mrs. Skinner, for your time and many lessons!

Parent Volunteers

*Thank you for all of your*

*reading, SRA, coaching, cooking, Mako Market, field trips & driving, gardening, fundraising and all you do throughout the year. We all sincerely appreciate you so much!*



**Reminder for Fall-REGISTER by 5-18-17!**

We look forward to another great school year.

We start back on *August 14, 2017*



**Tropicana 4H Speech Contest**

*Thank you to Mrs. Trawick for facilitating this event for our students & Mr. McGlen for supporting this great work!*

**Happy Mother's Day! To all of our Moms. 5-14-17**



May 5, 2017

Kindergarten Graduation~ Reading Buddies Recognition  
This will be in the gym at 8:45. Kindergarten and 6th grade Parents, please watch for more details from your child's teachers.



**PRESCHOOL**

Thursday, May 18, 2017—

Last day of preschool for the year. 11:30 am dismissal for all AM & Extended day students. Aftercare for full day students only. Have a great summer.



Closing Ceremonies & Sixth Grade Graduation

Friday, 5-19-17@ 8:45 for all Elementary Students in the Gym.

This will be followed by dismissal. Report cards will be distributed after the ceremony by the teachers.

**Summer Camp**



We are now registering for Summer Camp. These camps are available to all of our students. Starts on

5-22-17

Closed 5-29-17—

Memorial Day

**FIELD DAYS WITH MRS. NAUGLE**

Room 22—Tuesday, May 16, 2017 Rock Climbing & lunch



Rooms 8 & 12—Wednesday, May 17, 2017— Pump it up!



Room 10— Thursday, May 18, 2017— Gleason Pool



**SPECIAL EVENTS**

All kindergarten students will celebrate with classmates, family & friends on Friday, May 5, 2017, 8:30 am in the Gym Best wishes to everyone for 1st grade!

Also Reading Buddies Recognition from the 6th graders to Kindergarteners—this same morning.



**Yearbooks** are due in anytime. Thanks for all the pictures and support from teachers and parents. There will only be a few extras for purchase @ \$20.00.



# Have a Great Summer!!



*As summer begins, make sure that you take time to relax and spend some quality family time together. We wish our graduates and families all the best. We will greatly miss all of our wonderful families who will be moving on to new adventures. Thank you for letting Montessori be a special part of that foundational education. We have no doubt you will all be very successful wherever you go.*



*We'll see everyone else here in August.*

*Denise Johnson & Arsene Lane*



**\*\*Awesome!! Writing camp with Mr. McGlen (3rd-6th grade only)**

**I Believe**

**We look forward to many wonderful MPTO sponsored Back to School & Fall activities.**

**Don't forget to keep up the summer reading for all ages.**

Suggested summer work for the twelve weeks of summer break is essential for all Elementary students to start the school year off feeling confident and being successful. We will acknowledge all of the students summer work at our first Spirit day in the fall.



**Parents & students: We Loved Teacher Appreciation Week, Thank you!!**

**Thank you to all of our parents and your support of our school and your MPTO.**

**Your efforts always bring new and exciting enrichments to our school campus and classrooms.**

*Many thanks to the MPTO for bringing our families together for another fun-filled year of excitement and educational enrichment.*

***2017~2018 is bound to be a memorable school year!***

