

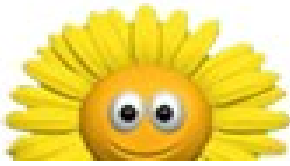


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**Inspiration Quote
of the Month:**

*"Keep your face to the
sunshine, and you cannot
see the shadow"*

Helen Keller

**May/June
Calendar**

- People who work
- Rainbows and water
- Kidzone campout
- Amazing animals

**May/June
Birthdays**

- Sabrina Hickman 5/2
- Madison Brill 5/3
- Jean Handlang 5/9
- Gabriela Diaz 5/10
- Alex Diaz 5/10
- Opal Eddy 5/10
- Maeve Lersch 5/11
- Molly Topping 5/13
- Zoe Bland 5/25
- Alexis Eddy 6/11
- Dezarai Underwood 6/14
- Jenna Ridley 6/14
- Albert Willis 6/15
- Keegan Seifert 6/18
- Brylee Hall 6/19

Kidzone Korner South Haven

Dear Families,

Spring is here! The children and the staff have been enjoying the warm air and sunshine, as we have been able to spend a lot of time outside. With the warmer weather, please remember to take your child's winter items home and bring in a change of clothes for the new season. As always please remember to label everything you bring in. I would like to thank all the parents that donated towards our provider appreciation lunch. Lunch was delicious and enjoyed by all. The Ridley family were the first winners of our recyclable drive drawing. They won a family pass to Curious Kids Museum, as well as a gift certificate to Dairy Queen. Continue bringing in all of your recyclable items, as well as any gently used toys or books. Water days begin in June. They are every Friday, weather permitting. There will be more information to come. Please bring in a bottle of sunscreen for each of your children. Don't forget your sunscreen permission slip as well. We are unable to put sunscreen on your child without a permission slip. We need sun hats for all the infants. Please tell your family and friends about Kidzone and our summer program. We have a fun-filled summer planned. If you refer a family and they enroll at Kidzone, you will receive \$25.00 off of your next invoice. Congratulations go out to Sabrina Hickman for being the employee of the quarter! Sabrina was chosen by her fellow employees. She is very dependable, hard working and always has a good day. Sabrina is wonderful with the children and is a true asset to Kidzone!

Sincerely, Tammy Eberle, Director



Students of the Month



Kaia Hayes is our student of the month in the preschool room. She enjoys the colors pink and purple, horses, drinking milk and watching anything on "Noggin". Kaia has been with us for one year and enjoys playing with her friends. Kaia is such a joy to have at Kidzone!



Kalen O'Sullivan is our student of the month in the toddler room. His favorite color is blue, he loves his cat "peanut", warm bottles and watching Dora with his sister. He has been at Kidzone since he was 2 weeks old. He loves Miss Tammy and playing with the drums. Kalen is a wonderful addition to our Kidzone family!

Ideas to help get creative with your children

Providing your child with opportunities to use her imagination promotes her thinking and social skills, as well as creativity. Try these tips to inspire your youngster:

- ◆ Put on a puppet show. Make a puppet by drawing a face on a small paper plate and gluing it to the bottom flap of an unopened paper lunch bag. Show your youngster how to place her hand in the flap of the bag to make the puppet "talk."
- ◆ Play charades. Write simple actions on slips of paper. Examples: play baseball, wash your hair, make a sandwich. Let your child choose a slip and perform the action for the rest of the family to guess. Encourage him to come up with charades of his own.
- ◆ Use literature. Read a fairy tale, and have your youngster pretend she's a character in the story. For example, she could be Little Red Riding Hood and take a picnic lunch to her grandmother's house. For added fun, give your child red fabric to use as a cape and a basket to carry her lunch.



May 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Sports Day	3	4	5 Blue Day	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 Red Day	13
14	15 Ice Cream Day	16	17	18 Open House	19 Yellow Day	20
21	22	23 Sunglasses Day	24	25	26 Pink Day	27
28	29 Closed	30	31 Fruit Salad Day			

May Reminders: Our Teacher/Family Open House is May 18th from 4:00–6:30 p.m. On May 29th we will be closed for Memorial Day. Also, we need your Spring schedules as soon as possible!

June 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Brown Day	3
4	5	6	7	8 Flip-Flop and Sandals	9 Black Day	10
11	12	13 Hat Day	14	15	16 Purple Day	17
18	19	20	21	22	23 Orange Day	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 Gray Day	

June Reminders: Water Days begin June 9th.