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Schoolhouse Montessori Academy

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**Special points of interest:**

- Summer School Enrollment Open!
- National Teachers' Appreciation Day May 8th
- ACES May 9th
- Tea with Mom, Thursday May 10 & Friday May 11th
- Field Trip to the Detroit Zoo, May 25th
- Memorial Day May 28th No School
- May Day Mixer Tuesday May 29th
- Spring Concert June 1st
- Donuts with dad June 11th
- International family picnic June 10th at Boulon Park

**Mission:**

**The mission of Schoolhouse Montessori Academy is to provide high quality, private Montessori education that helps each child realize his/her fullest potential. We are committed to providing the highest quality child care and early education to our students and families.**

It's hard to believe it's already the last full month of school! We are so busy, and the end of the year will be here before you know it. We have many things going on during the months of May and June.

**National Teacher's Appreciation Day:** Don't forget to thank and appreciate all our hard working and dedicated teachers on May 8th.

**ACES:** The Governor's Council on Physical Fitness will host **ACES** on May 9th at 10 am. ACES is All Children Exercising Simultaneously. Everyone at Schoolhouse will be outdoors and exercise together. The staff and students will have a great time. Mrs. D'Souza our Phys. Ed teacher will lead us in a great exercise rou-

tine.

**Schoolhouse is going to the Zoo!** Friday, May 25th everyone is going on the field trip. If you have not received a form, stop by the front desk. There is no school that day for children not attending the trip. The forms must be submitted by May 18th.

**Spring Concert:** Please save the date Friday, **June 1st.** We are having our year-end **music program**. It will be at 6:00 p.m. at Clawson High School. Toddlers and Pre-primary will be performing. Detailed information will come home as the event draws near. Please refer to my weekly updates as well.

**Donuts with Dad:** We will be celebrating Father's Day on the school premises on June 11th, the

time will be 8:45am or 10:00 am. Invitations will be coming home soon.

**Family Picnic:** Our Family picnic is Sunday, **June 10th** at Boulon Park. Join us for a Schoolhouse Family Picnic!! Boulon Park is just up the road from our school. We will do an international potluck. Which means we all get to bring a delicious ethnic dish and pass it among our friends. The school will provide drinks, flat ware and all paper products. It's a great time to mingle with teachers and friends.

**Words of Montessori**

*"The things he sees are not just remembered; they form a part of his soul."*  
Dr. Maria Montessori

**Mother's Day Celebration: Tea with Mom May 10th & 11th at Schoolhouse!**

According to history, Anna Jarvis is recognized as the Founder of Mothers Day in the US. It is mentioned that Anna Jarvis never married and never had kids, but she got the inspiration of celebrating Mothers Day from her own mother Mrs. Anna Marie Reeves Jarvis in her childhood.

When we are young and small, we depended on our Mothers. They are every-

thing for us, our lives revolved around her. She is the focal point of our lives, the greatest human being in the world. To honor our mothers at the Schoolhouse the children have work hard preparing for the big day. The Children are always eager to participate and give their best.

**M - O - T - H - E - R**

"M" is for the million things she gave me,  
"O" means only that she's

growing old,  
"T" is for the tears she shed to save me,  
"H" is for her heart of purest gold;  
"E" is for her eyes, with love-light shining,  
"R" means right, and right she'll always be,  
Put them all together, they spell **"MOTHER,"**  
(A word that means the world to me by Howard Johnson (c. 1915)