

August 2018

# The BEARer of Good News!

## Welcome!!!

### A Word From Our Site Director:

Hello everyone! I hope you had a wonderful summer! Welcome to the 2018-2019 school year! My name is Lindsay Damron and I am the Site Director at Bandelier. I have had the pleasure of working as site director since January and am ecstatic to begin a new school year with new and returning students and families! We have an amazing group of staff this semester; some returning to the Bandelier community: Adriana, Kym, Hailey, Gabe, Taylor, Deja, Daniela, Jenna, Mercedes, Sofia, Natacha, and Tara. We also have some new faces: Ben, Calla, Linnea, Ryan, and Naomi. Check out the staff biography board on the parent table to learn more about them!



### Contact Information

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Alison and Drew working on their enrichment club.



Every day is about play here at CC.



Bubbles and laughs at Explora.



Professional chefs preparing their dishes for CC Chopped.



Lots of love for friends both new and old.

## See ya, Summer!

Our summer here at Children's Choice was jam-packed full of fun! We beat the heat by exploring our community on field-trips and spending afternoons swimming at the pool.

From trips like observing science and engineering at Explora, to monkeying around at the zoo, there was never a dull moment. We also got to spend time with our cabins, where we created mascots, participated in cabin challenges like CC Chopped, and met plenty of new faces. We hope you enjoyed your summer as much as we enjoyed ours!

### Important Dates:

- Registration for our enrichment classes will open on August 17<sup>th</sup> and will close on August 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- Classes will begin the week of September 10<sup>th</sup>.

### A Friendly Reminder:

For the safety of all children in the program, it is important that each child be signed in (AM) and signed out (PM) by an authorized adult. If your child will not be in attendance on a particular day, please call our site phone at (505) 459-0576 to let us know. This helps makes the sign in process go smoother and keeps all children in the program safe.