




News from North Star

June 22, 2020

Weekly Activities				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
22	23	24	25	26
<p>Will it internet? Exploring the World of Weird Food Combinations</p> <p>Shadow Drawings</p> <p>Paper Plate UFO</p> <p>Pod Poses- Creating the Best Pod Photos</p> <p>Super Skee Ball</p>	<p>Cosmic Yoga</p> <p>CC Summer Word Search</p> <p>Soapy Stained Glass</p> <p>Magna Tile Shadow City</p> <p>Uno Workout</p>	<p>Water Play Film School: 5 Minute Crafts and Quiz</p> <p>CD Spin Tops</p> <p>Tin Foil Art Gallery</p> <p>Time Lapse Cup Tower</p>	<p>Water Play Chalk Photoshoot</p> <p>Melt Your Mind Melty Bead Crafts</p> <p>Optical Illusion Spinner</p> <p>Ancient Clocks; Creating a Sun Dial</p>	<p>Children's Choice will be Closed</p>  <p>We will resume care on Monday July 6th.</p>

The Far Apart Art Gallery

Every day we make a point to incorporate one art project into our rotations. We have experimented with water color, collage, paper cut outs and resistance painting . There is a lot of creativity in this small group and our art gallery keeps growing even though we are far apart!



Reminders:

-**Water Play** is on Wednesdays and Thursday, it is recommended bathing suits, sandals and a towel. We generally play with water balloons, water shooters and sprinklers.

-We are going to start having **electronic hour** most days so if your child would like to bring an electronic device, they are allowed. They will only be allowed to use it during designated times. They may not connect to the internet and they are solely responsible for their device and charging cords.

-Please ensure you send your child with a **fresh mask** each day.

Helpful Information

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841-4800



Lil Bub Lives On!

If you have ever attended summer camp at North Star, you know that each year we celebrate a cat from the internet named Lil Bub. Lil Bub was a micro kitten that had many ailments who became an internet sensation, bringing awareness of special needs pets. Sadly, Lil Bub passed away this year, but we still wanted to honor her and carry on our tradition. This week we designed hot air balloons for Lil Bub (her preferred mode of transportation), had a yogurt licking competition (her favorite food), and created inventions for limited mobility animals. It wasn't the same this year, but then again, nothing is!

“For the snake that can't slither and therefore needs some sick wheels.”- Henry

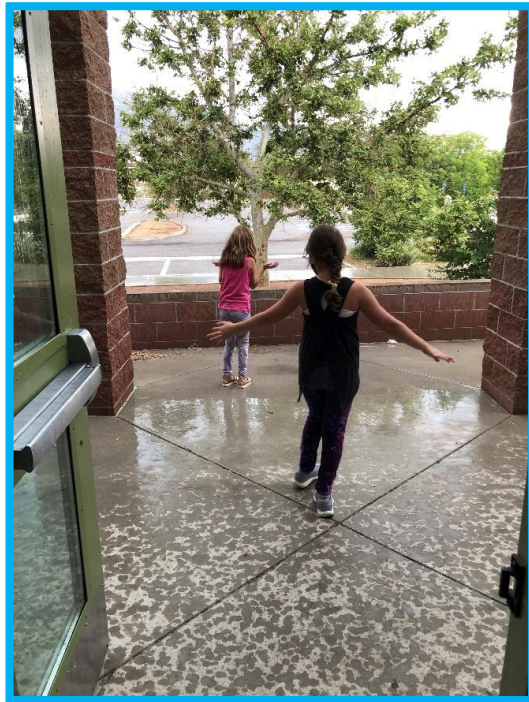


1. The Winning Hot Air Balloons for Lil Bub.

2. Jeanette and Sarafina Meeting Lil Bub 2 years ago.

3. Annika's Bear Cave for Any Cubs in Need.





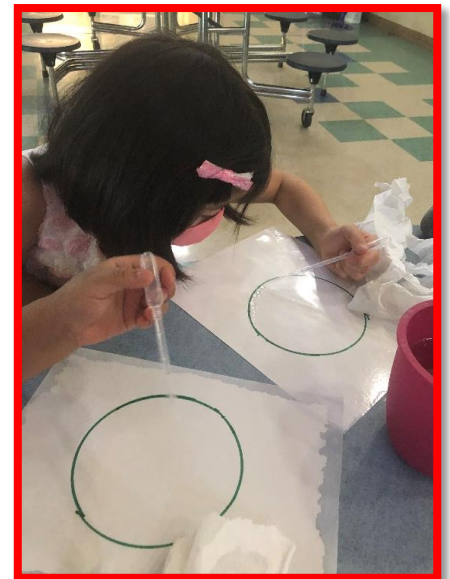
Summer Rain Twirls

“What’s the smell of rain called, does anyone know?”- Maya

Last week we had a big rainstorm in the afternoon, a welcome relief from the heat. We danced in the rain, studied rain droplets in the leaves outside the cafeteria and learned about petrichor –a pleasant smell the frequently accompanies rain after a long period of dry weather.



When you can't fingerprint because of germs, you use your toes!



How Many Drops?

Learning about estimation we used pipettes to see how many drops of water would fit inside the circle. Although some just made it into an art project for our more scientific kiddos that persisted it seems like it took about 300 drops to fill the circle.

POD 3 HAS A GIANT BANANA TO GREET YOU DAILY!

