

BOTS Too News

May at a Glance

5/24- Bike Day for the Toucans, Geckos and Pirates

5/28- Closed for Memorial day

5/29, 5/31- Conferences

June at a Glance

6/1- Conferences

6/7- Pre-K Graduation

6/9- Read Aloud DE walk for a better community

6/11- Parent Advisory Board Meeting
5:30-7pm

6/11- Summer Camp Begins

6/15- Father's Day Breakfast 7-9pm

6/29- BOTS night at the Blue Rocks

Community Events

May is water safety month! On May 19th, try the Kids First experience for only \$10 at Klds First Swim School located in Hockessin, DE and Elkton, MD. If interested please call a location near you to register.

Over the next couple weeks all of the classrooms will be testing out Kid Reports. During this time, the teacher are doing attendance for themselves and the children and exploring different aspects of the new system. Please be patient with us as we are new to using the system. We would like to be able to fully utilize the app before going live with it. If you have any questions please see someone in Admin.

Trauma and Stress

Strong, caring, and loving relationships can shield children from the impact of negative experiences, and they can be mutually healing.

Click here to read more of this article.

<https://www.zerotothree.org/early-development/trauma-and-stress>

Attached to the summer information, that was handed out last week, were field trip permission forms. Please turn those forms in to the office ASAP, so we can start getting a head count for the trips. Thank you!

The cookie stand will be the following dates, 5/18 and 5/25. They are \$1 per bag, Please help us raise money for the Highmark Walk for a Better Community.

Parking Lot Safety:

- Please do not leave your car running while you are picking up/dropping off your children.
- Please be mindful of your speed while traveling in the parking lot. (Also, watch out for the geese!)
- Since the weather is now warmer and car windows are open, please refrain from listening to loud & inappropriate music while parked in front of the building.

Save the Date! Highmark Walk for a Better Community is Saturday June 9th at Frawley Stadium. Read Aloud Delaware has asked us to support them again this year. Last year we raised \$1369.00 and had 56 staff members, their families, and families from our center. To register go to this [website](#). Please see someone in Admin if you would like to register.

Please see admin if you would like to sign up. Our team name is BOTS Too Bookworms. BOTS Too will receive books upon the money we raise as well as the amount of participants we bring. We recommend a donation of \$10 for each walker. We will be doing our coin challenge and our cookies and lemonade stand to raise money. The coin challenge will begin on March 5th.