

Brookside and Tots day camp

SNEAK Peek



A message from the director

Week six we had a wonderful week! We always enjoy our new campers each week and we enjoy seeing our returning campers that have come back to camp with us each week!

We celebrated science week this week! The campers got to enjoy new art projects, science explosions, musical instruments, drama fun, got out all their energy in sports and learned all about acts of kindness in special class!

Week seven we have been invited to go watch the Cranbrook Theatre Camp perform their plays for dress rehearsal! The three days of dress rehearsal performances have been labeled in the calendars for you to see what we will be going to see!

As always, each week, you will be able to read about activities your child was able to explore. We hear lots of laughing, and we see giant smiles that stretch from ear to ear everyday! We hope your children are enjoying their time and learning something new everyday!

We thank you all for allowing us to create and cherish such wonderful memories at camp this summer with your children!

Armando Esquivel
Brookside and Tots Day Camp Director



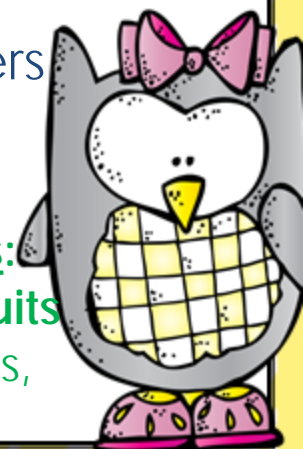
Daily Reminders

Water Bottle
Bathing Suit/Towel
Sunscreen

Please label your child's items

Brookside campers
swim everyday

Tots water fun days:
Please pack swim suits
Tuesdays, Thursdays,
Fridays



August 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
29 Nature Week! Winnie The Pooh (CTS Dress rehearsal)	30 Seussical the musical Jr. (CTS Dress rehearsal) Tots Water Fun day	31 Charlie Brown (CTS Dress rehearsal)	1 Visit to Cranbrook garden (Brookside and Tots) Tots Water Fun day	2 Brookside Ice Skating Party 12:30-2:00 Tots Water Fun day
5 LAST WEEK OF CAMP! When I grow up week!	6 Tots Water Fun day	7 Career Day Dress Up! Tots Fire and Police department visit	8 Brookside Police and Fire department visit Tots water fun day!	9 LAST DAY! Brookside and Tots talent show!



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Brookside and Tots Supporting Theatre Camp

During week 7 both the Brookside campers and the Tots campers will make their way over to the Theatre camp Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday to watch the plays they have been working on all camp season. I have the schedule of the day, times, and what play listed below in case your camper will be late the day the campers are at the Theatre.

Monday July 29th from
10 am-10:45 am
Winnie the Pooh

Tuesday July 30th from
9:45 am-11:15 am
Seussical the musical Jr.

Wednesday July 31st
from 9:45 am-11:15 am
Charlie Brown



Brookside Ice Skating Party

Brookside campers are going to the Ice Arena on Friday August 2nd below is a list of items you may bring to camp that day. Please label your campers items they bring to camp.

- Helmet is required!
- Hat
- Coat, Sweatshirt, or Sweater (Arena is chilly!)
- Gloves
- Boots
- Snow pants



Camp Kindness Day!

Brookside and Tots made a special poster for each and every camp with encouraging quotes and kind words we feel about each camp at Cranbrook. We also gave our staff here at Brookside a shout out wall to show our appreciation for everyone! (photos to show on last page of the newsletter!)



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BROOKSIDE

Drama

This week in Brookside drama the campers explored poetry. They performed poems from Frankenstein takes the cake, and created their own Frankenstein and Bride of Frankenstein mask.

Next week the campers will be working on Pantomime, and will be performing a human puppet show of the giving tree!

BROOKSIDE

Art

This week in Brookside Art we took the time to learn about famous artists through modern times. The three artists we learned about was Kusama, Matisse, and Giacometti.

Next week we will do abstract tracing and shape coloring activities using everyday objects.



BROOKSIDE

Sports

The campers absolutely loved doing archery last week! So this week in Brookside sports we had fun practicing everyone's basketball skills!



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BROOKSIDE Science

This week in Brookside science class the campers made Oobleck's and watched it turn from a liquid to a solid. The campers also got to watch an explosion happen!

Next week the campers will be going on a scavenger hunt outside and around Brookside campus



BROOKSIDE Special

This week in Brookside special class we learned about camp kindness and practiced using kind words by coming up with compliments for each of our group members. We also made cards with encouraging words on them for other summer camps on Cranbrook's campus.

Next week we will be making pinwheels!



BROOKSIDE Music

This week in Brookside music we made music out of unconventional objects like boxes, buckets, and even water glasses!

Next week, we will be trying to write a song that we could perform at the talent show!



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TOTS SPECIAL

This week in the Tots Special class we focused on space and the moon. We made galaxy bottles that glow in the dark (super glued shut due to the water and glitter combination) and crescent paper moons. I mentioned the 8 phases of the moon but we focused on crescent, half and full moon phases with a game.

Next week we're going to learn about how flowers and plants help us and help the Earth. We will also talk about the importance of bees and how the bee's help flowers. I am going to have the campers play different games about bees!



TOTS ART

This week in Tots art class it was all about science. We went to the Science museum on Thursday so before we went we learned all about the 8 planets of the solar system and a fact about each one of the planets. We painted our names on a planet with water colors while learning the different features of water colors. We designed our own rockets out of paper and it was so much fun!

Next week for nature week we will be learning about to use materials around us in nature to make art!



TOTS DRAMA

This week in tots drama, we learned some cool songs and dances! We worked on counting and also created/blew our own bubbles!

Next week, we will be exploring more acting with some fun activities!

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TOTS SPORTS

We had a great sixth week of camp in Tots sports class! We started the week playing kickball, and finished the week playing Tee Ball. The campers learned the rules and objectives of each game and then got to play a game of each. The campers enjoyed running the bases in each game and kicking the ball in kickball/ batting the ball in Tee Ball.

Next week we will start the week off by playing Rob the Nest and finish the week off by playing a game of basketball and soccer.



TOTS MUSIC

This week in Tots Music we learned about the science of sound. To do this we learned about boom whackers, how sound travels, and we made guitars.

Next week we will be focusing on world music and learning new songs.



TOTS SCIENCE

This week, campers learned about dinosaurs and fossils. They were able to dig for toy dinosaurs, use the respective dinosaur to create their own fossil, and paint the fossil! Campers also had the chance to observe a demonstration volcano.

Next week, campers will be introduced to gravity. Experiments include pendulum painting and paint rockets.



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