



SARAH CORSON CHILD CARE & LEARNING CENTER

August 2024 Newsletter

CLOSED for In-Service

A reminder we will be staying OPEN Thursday, August 1 and will be CLOSED Friday, August 2 for our annual Staff In-service.

CLOSED for Labor Day

We will be CLOSED Monday, September 2 in observance of Labor Day.

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LABOR DAY**

Updated Paperwork - Brightwheel

Please make sure your child has complete updated enrollment paperwork on file with us at the Center. If you need a link to the forms, please let me know. A reminder that for Infants and Toddlers, you need to complete BOTH enrollment forms. For Preschoolers and Pre K students, you just need to complete the ONE enrollment form. Please see me with questions.

THANK YOU, FPC!

We want to extend our heartfelt thanks to all at First Presbyterian Church for allowing us to temporarily use the church fellowship hall and nursery for our Sarah Corson Child Care Center Programs. The minute we found out it was even a possibility to move our programs, several church staff and volunteers pitched in ideas and manpower to make it happen. City, county and state inspectors and entities dropped everything to quickly give us the needed inspections and approvals - and all in three days time before the 4th of July holiday!

On Monday, we closed to children, and our staff worked tirelessly to move our belongings and classrooms from SCC to the church. We set up warm and inviting spaces for our children, with familiar toys and their belongings. This type of change is hard on everyone, especially young children, as they crave routine and familiarity. But all of us are capable of far more resiliency than we think possible. When our staff welcomed children back to school in our new space at the church, the day went beautifully, much better than even I anticipated. Most every single child was able to take a nap. This is a big deal! It tells me two very key things about program, even in the midst of all of this change and organized chaos: 1) our children know they are SAFE and VERY LOVED; 2) our children feel comfortable enough, in a new space with familiar people and things, to fall fast asleep, without a care in the world. Our parents and families have been extremely supportive and have appreciated our transparency and open communication.

I have never been more proud of SCC and what we have accomplished. With the help of this church and congregation, we can do, and get through, anything.

—Jaime Snider, director