



2017 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

JULY	4 Tuesday 7 Friday 12 Wednesday 21 Friday 28 Friday	Independence Day – Funshine Closed Art Day Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30 Fire Department Visit Open House Carnival 4:00 – 6:00
AUGUST	16 Wednesday 18 Friday 21 Monday 21-25 M- F 29-31 Tue-Thur	Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30 Fire Department visit @10am First Day of 2016-2017 Academic School Year Spirit Week! Usborne Book Fair
SEPTEMBER	4 Monday 8 Friday 12 Tuesday 15 Friday 18 Monday 20 Wednesday 29 Friday	Labor Day – Funshine CLOSED Grandparents Day – Book Reading Field Trip: Stuckey Farms Fire Department visit @10am Dental Hygiene Presentation Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30 Bi-annual Supply Fee DUE
OCTOBER	3 rd & 4 th Tue.-Wed. 9 Monday 13 Friday 16-20 M-F 20 Friday 25 Wednesday 30 Monday 31 Tuesday	Fall School Pictures Speech/Hearing Screening Silly Safari Show at 10 am Progress Reports & Parent Teacher Conferences Fire Department visit @ 10am Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30 Pumpkin Carving Night 4:00-6:00 pm Costume Party & Parade
NOVEMBER	5 Sunday 10 Friday 16 Thursday 17 Friday 23 Thursday 29 Wednesday	Daylight Savings Ends Drive in Movie Night! Children’s Thanksgiving Feast (gym at noon) Fire Department visit @ 10am Thanksgiving Day – Funshine CLOSED Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30
DECEMBER	1-13 F-W 1 Friday 13 Wednesday 15 Friday 25 Monday	Giving Tree Donations Accepted Annual Christmas Program (Schedule TBA) Indy Parks Visit @ 3:30 Classroom Christmas Party & Book Exchange Merry Christmas – Funshine CLOSED

ALL DATES, TIMES AND ACTIVITIES LISTED ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE – MONTHLY CALENDARS WILL BE UPDATED AND SUPERSEDE THIS CALENDAR

Events

Tuesday, July 4th

Happy Independence Day!

Funshine Closed

Friday, July 7th

Art Day

The children will enjoy several special art projects! Each class will rotate to different classrooms throughout the morning expressing themselves creatively through art!

Friday, July 21st

Fire Department Visit

Time: 10:00 - 11:00

Eileen with the Indianapolis Fire Department will join us this month to talk about how to be safe in our homes and in the community. Watch for information and activities to go home with your child on this day!

Friday, July 28th

Carnival Open House!

Time: 4:00-6:00 pm

Get ready for some big top fun! On Friday the 28th we will host a fun open house carnival with face painting, games and treats! Each classroom will have a designated time to participate in circus themed activities both indoors and outdoors!

Friday, August 18th

Fire Department Visit

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Monday, August 22nd

First Day of the 2016-2017 Academic School Year!

We will welcome many new friends this week as we “kick-off” our 2016-2017 school year. We will go over the rules of our classroom and use our classroom equipment and tools. Look for back to school information packet going over some of the goals and expectations in the classroom.

Monday-Friday, August 21st - 25th

Spirit Week!

This week we will have a school spirit week! Monday will be wear your Funshine t-shirt/blue shirt day, Tuesday will be pajama day, Wednesday will be silly hair day, Thursday will be hat day, and Friday will be Hawaiian Luau Day to dress up in tropical/hula clothes.

Tuesday - Thursday, August 22nd - 25th

Event: Usborne book fair
Time: 4:00 - 6:00pm

Usborne will have a display in our gym of books available for purchase.

Monday, September 4th

Labor Day - Funshine Closed

Monday, September 8th

Grandparents Day
Time: 10:00 - 11:00

We would like to invite all of the Grandma and Grandpas (or other family members) to visit their grandchildren at school from 10:00 - 11:00! We will have crafts that they can enjoy together and fun activities planned.

Friday, September 15th

Fire Department Visit

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Thursday, September 12th

Stuckey Farm Field Trip
Classroom: Jr. Pre-K, Sr. Pre-K and Pre-K

We will be going on our annual Fall field trip to Stuckey Farm! While on the farm we will see the apple cider processing plant and sample cider, learn about apples and taste different varieties, sit under apple trees and learn about other Fall farm products, watch corn being ground into corn meal, take a bag of corn meal back to school and enjoy fresh cornbread for afternoon snack, see the observation beehive, ride the wagon through the orchard to the pumpkin patch, each teacher will pick a pumpkin for the class to enjoy at school and we will explore the mini maze.

Friday, September 30th

Bi-annual supply fee of \$70 is due

Tuesday & Wednesday, October 3rd - 4th

Fall Picture's

Time: Varies per class

Lifetouch Pictures will be out to take photos of the children. Classroom and sibling picture days to be announced.

Monday, October 9th

Speech/Hearing Screening

On Monday, October 9th Funshine will host Speech and Hearing Specialists from Pediatric Speech and Language Solutions. Children ages 2 ½ - 4 ½ can be evaluated for speech, language and hearing for a fee of \$10. Permission forms will be available.

Friday, October 21st

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Friday, October 13th

Silly Safari

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Silly Safaris LIVE Animal show is the perfect blend of fact and fun for all ages! Their shows use a variety of reptiles, mammals, birds and bugs for an experience everyone will remember. Their funologists keep the entire audience involved and special guests from the audience join each animal for a game that teaches about the natural world.

Mon. - Fri., October 16th - 20th

Parent Teacher Conferences

Be sure to sign up for a time to meet with your child's teacher this week! This is a time to review your child's growth and development and go over their developmental portfolio.

Monday, October 30th

Pumpkin Carving Night

Time: 4:00 - 6:00

Funshine will host our annual family pumpkin carving night. Bring a pumpkin and carving tools to school that day between the hours of 4 and 6 p.m. and let's get creative!

Tuesday, October 31st

Costume Party & Parade

The children are invited to come to school in their Halloween costumes! Children can show off their costumes to their friends, and enjoy special treats in their classroom!

Wednesday, November 29th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit
Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about all things nature. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources.

Thursday, November 16th

Children's Thanksgiving Feast

We will hold a special Thanksgiving Feast for the children in all of our classrooms and will have our lunch together in our "gym." Children will be eating on placemats they created and at tables decorated with their lovely hand-made centerpieces! We are thankful for the blessings of teaching your wonderful children and caring for them!

Friday, November 17th

Fire Department Visit
Time: 10:00-11:00

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Thursday, November 24th

Thanksgiving - Funshine Closed

Monday - Friday, December 1st - 13th

Giving Tree Donations Accepted

Our giving tree will sponsor local and worldwide orphanages. Please select an ornament from the tree (with desired item) and bring your unwrapped gifts in by December 13th.

Friday, December 9th

Christmas Musical!
Time: Times vary with classes

We invite all of our families to come to a musical performance in our gym! Sr. Toddler's - Pre-K classes will perform holiday songs that they have learned with Ms. Anna throughout the year.

Friday, December 15th

Christmas Parties and Book Exchange
Time: 9:30-11:30

We will have our class party and receive a visit from Santa Claus! In addition to this fun, we are asking parents to bring in a book that your child can exchange. Books should be no more than \$5.00, and the children learn to enjoy giving as much as receiving from this book exchange.

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Monday, December 25th

Merry Christmas! (observed) - Funshine Closed