

## Dear Parents:

Countryside offers summer programs for children 1 through 6 years of age. Our programs are designed for children to attend five days per week. Children may enroll for a two week session, or the entire ten weeks. Our program is available June 5-August 11.

**Mom's Day Out (MDO) Camp** is for children who are between 12 and 24 months of age. This program will be held in our Mom's Day Out facility and will offer water play, art, music, story time, Montessori class time and outdoor play. (3:1 child:staff ratio) Mom's Day Out Camp hours are 8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. (please refer to the back of the registration form).

**Toddler Camp** is for children 2 years of age and also for 3 year olds who are not yet potty trained. Toddler Camp has a 6:1 child:staff ratio (space is limited, a maximum of 16 children are enrolled in each session). Toddler Camp includes the following activities: Montessori class time, arts & crafts, water-play, outdoor games/free play and daily pony rides. Children who are in the process of being potty trained will be placed in Toddler Camp.

**Senior Camp** for children ages 3 to 6 includes the following major activities: Montessori, daily swimming, arts & crafts, sports & games and daily pony rides. Each group of children has a junior counselor who remains with the group throughout the day and serves as the assistant for each activity. In addition, there is an assistant swimming instructor in the pool at all times along with the head swimming instructor (lifeguard certified). Children registered in this group **MUST** be 100% potty trained without the use of pull ups. Children must be fully potty trained in order to participate in the Senior Camp.

Mom's Day Out Camp Daily Rate	<b>8:30-12:15 snack &amp; lunch</b> \$50/day	8:30-3:30 lunch & 2 snacks (Call the office for rates)	7:00-5:30 lunch & 2 snacks (Call the office for rates)
Toddler/Senior Camp 2-week session	<b>8:15-12:00 snack only</b> \$473	8:15-3:15 lunch & 2 snacks (Call the office for rates)	7:00-5:30 lunch & 2 snacks (Call the office for rates)

A non-refundable \$100 deposit for each child registered must be sent in with a completed summer program registration form. The non-refundable \$100 deposit will be applied in full toward payment for each child's summer tuition. Half of the summer tuition (less deposit) is due no later than May 1<sup>st</sup> and the remaining balance is due June 1<sup>st</sup>. There will not be any refunds on paid tuition or deposits.

Children are accepted in the order in which registration forms are received.

If you have any questions please contact Jenifer Hanser at 314-434-2821. For more information you may check out our website at www.montessori4children.com.

# Countryside Montessori School Summer Camp

#### **Montessori Class Time**

At Countryside Montessori School, an emphasis is placed on quality education for young children. Due to this emphasis we feel our summer program would not be complete without the addition of Montessori activities. Part of the child's time in the summer program is spent in the Montessori classroom. We believe both new and returning children benefit greatly from the experience.

For our summer program, we carefully prepare our environment with a wide variety of theme based learning materials. Under the direction of the teacher, these learning materials are used to individualize learning and to enable children to proceed at their own pace. This approach promotes independence, self-confidence, self-discipline, and a joy of learning in the child.

#### **Arts and Crafts**

Children participate in a wide variety of arts and crafts activities. Activities vary from construction type activities to painting and individual expression. Examples of previous activities include: ceramics, collage, wooden picture frames, mosaic, and many more art media. Children are encouraged to engage in the art activities and get creative!

### **Pony Rides**

The children have the opportunity to have a pony ride each morning. Pony rides are given by our two resident ponies, Khemosabie and Noelle. Pony rides for children in Senior Camp start promptly at 8:30 a.m. Pony rides for the children enrolled in the Toddler Camp begin no later than 9 a.m. The children should be encouraged by their parents to participate in pony rides; the children are not forced to ride the ponies.

## **Swimming (Senior Camp)**

The Countryside summer program provides swimming instruction for one hour each day. Our salt water pool has a depth of four feet. There is always a lead swimming instructor and swimming assistant in the pool at all times. An additional staff member is required to walk around the pool deck supervising the children in the water. Children wear Speedo swim vests and are closely supervised. Safety is a primary concern at Countryside! Children **must** be 100% potty trained, without the use of pull ups, in order to participate in the swimming portion of camp.

## Water Play (Mom's Day Out (MDO) Camp and Toddler Camp)

The children enjoy a variety of water activities, including pouring, spraying, and painting with water as well as playing with boats and cars, babies and also creating foam masterpieces with foam shapes.

## Full Day Program (until 3:15 p.m.)/Extended Day Program (until 5:30 p.m.)

The activities in the afternoon vary each day and will include: science experiments, water play, art projects, sports & games, outdoor free play, and more! This is when we can do some more involved fun stuff like making volcanoes and tye-dying! A lunch and afternoon snack are included in both the Full Day and Extended Day rates.

## 2017 SUMMER REGISTRATION FORM

MDO (	Camp (12-2	24 months) <b>Toddle</b>	er Camp (2	's & non-potty traine	d 3's) <b>Senior Camp</b> (3-6 y
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Parent's	Name (male/female)	)		Work	Cell
Parent's	Name (male/female)	)		Work	Cell
Email (f	for important notif	fications from Cour	ntryside only):		
n case	of emergency Cou	intryside is authoriz	zed to contact:		
Physicia	an				Phone
Person (	(if parents unavail	able)			Phone
Allergie	es/Special Circum	stances			
Persons	authorized to picl	k up child			
Carpool	Partners				
WISH	June 5-16	June 19-30	July 3-14	July 17-28	July 31- Aug 11
	Half Day	Half Day	Half Day	Half Day	Half Day
	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day
	Extended Day	Extended Day	Extended Day	Extended Day	Extended Day
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	June 5-16	June 19-30	July 3-14	July 17-28	July 31- Aug 11
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	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
-	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day	Full Day
			Full Day  Extended Day	Full Day  Extended Day	Full Day  Extended Day

Please complete and return this application to Countryside with a non-refundable deposit of \$100 for each child (applied to summer tuition). Make checks payable to Countryside Montessori School. Applications received without the non-refundable deposit will not be processed and will delay enrollment.

Our **MDO Camp** is available for as little as one day a week, for a two-week session, or as much as five days a week. Please mark the appropriate boxes for the days you wish to enroll your child.

The MDO Camp hours are listed as **8:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.** instead of 8:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m. as a safety precaution. If you have another child enrolled in either Toddler or Senior Camp you may bring your MDO Camper at 8:15 a.m. just be aware there may be a lot of traffic at that time. We also have a full day and extended option available.

MDO Campers will need to bring diapers, wipes, and a change of clothes. Campers will arrive in their swimsuit with sunscreen already applied. Countryside will provide a snack and lunch. Our Toddler and Senior Campers do not eat lunch during the half day program. Further information will be provided upon registration.

I wish to enroll my child/children in the following **MDO Camp** Session(s):

#### June 5-16

Monday's (6/5 & 6/12)		Tuesday's (6/6 & 6/13)			Wednesday's (6/7 & 6/14)			Thursday's (6/8 & 6/15)			Friday's (6/9 & 6/16)			
HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT

#### June 19-30

Monday's (6/19 & 6/26)		Tuesday's (6/20 & 6/27)			Wednesday's (6/21 & 6/28)			Thursday's (6/22 & 6/29)			Friday's (6/23 & 6/30)			
HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT

## July 3-14

Monday's (7/3 & 7/10)		Tuesday's (7/11)			Wednesday's (7/5 & 7/12)			Thursda	y's (7/6 & 7	7/13)	Friday's (7/7 & 7/14)			
HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT

#### July 17-28

Monday's (7/17 & 7/24)		Tuesday's (7/18 & 7/25)			Wednesday's (7/19 & 7/26)			Thursday's (7/20 & 7/27)			Friday's (7/21 & 7/28)			
HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT

#### July 31-August 11

Monday's (7/31 & 8/7)		Tuesday's (8/1 & 8/8)			Wednesday's (8/2 & 8/9)			<b>Thursday's</b> (8/3 & 8/10)			Friday's (8/4 & 8/11)			
HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT	HALF	FULL	EXT