

EC3 Newsletter – 6/7/2019

Summer Camp Meet-the-Teacher Open House

If your child is registered to attend summer camp this year, plan to stop by on Thursday, June 13th between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. to meet the teachers and see the classroom space. We will have information packets available listing some of the field trips and activities that are planned, along with daily routine and “what to bring” information.

Classroom Census Needed for Holiday Week

EC3 will be closed on Thursday, July 4th, in observance of Independence Day. Many families (including EC3 staff) are celebrating the holiday by taking a long weekend. In order to ensure that we have adequate food, supplies, and personnel for that week, please complete this brief survey on your child(ren)’s attendance: <http://bit.ly/2WpApXo>.

Please note: even if your child(ren) will be absent for the entire week, please click the link and select the “not attending all week” option—it was added after the initial survey notice was emailed.

Help Bring Peruvian Cuisine to Lansing!

Jose Aste, parent of August in the Tiger room, is working really hard to introduce Lansing to Peruvian cuisine. His venture, named “Tantay,” will be a unique dining experience for adults and families. Jose and his team are currently in the running for an opportunity to pitch their idea to prospective funders through The Hatching, an initiative to support local entrepreneurs. Head over to The Hatching’s website to vote (candidates are at the bottom). <http://thehatching.org/#!/home>. Find out more on social media - Facebook: Tantay Lansing; Instagram: @tantay.lansing.

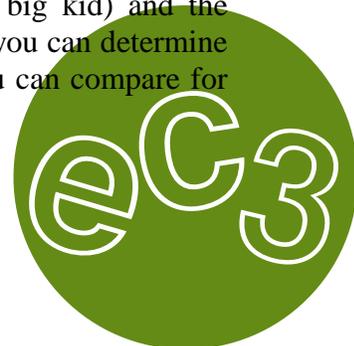
Concerts in the Park are Back!

The Lansing Parks & Recreation “Concerts in the Park” series kicks off next Wednesday (6/12). Enjoy outdoor concerts in neighborhood parks throughout Lansing. Bring lawn chairs or blankets and sit back to enjoy the entertainment. Concerts are held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. These FREE concerts are a wonderful opportunity to explore various parks in the area and expose the children to different types of music, including Motown, salsa, blues, and classic rock. For a list of concert date and locations, go to <http://bit.ly/2swCwaJ>.

Guide to Children’s Symptoms

Is that a mosquito bite or ringworm? Sunburn or a rash? Does my child have a fever or is she just hot from playing in the sun? Parents are always faced with the challenge of determining whether or not their children are sick because they can’t run to the doctor’s office every day. Here’s an online tool that allows you to put in the symptoms and see if you should seek professional counsel: <http://bit.ly/SI2gw4>.

The tool allows you to select the child’s age (infant, toddler, preschooler, big kid) and the symptoms he/she has; it then presents the possible causes and implications so you can determine your next steps. It even gives you links to photos of certain conditions so you can compare for yourself!



Expecting? Let us know!

EC3's infant program is full until 2020! If you are expecting a little one (or know someone who is) and need care, please let us know as soon as possible so we can try to reserve a spot. Not ready to share the news with everyone? We promise to keep it quiet!

Weekend ADULT Fun

I Love the 90s Fest with Vanilla Ice and Others

Friday, June 7th, 7:00– 11:00 p.m., Cooley Law School Stadium

Get ready to party like it's the mid-90s at a huge throwback concert tonight! Common Ground Music Festival is hosting an "I Love the 90s" concert at Cooley Law School Stadium. Tickets for the event start at \$39 per person and doors open at 6:00 p.m. For more information or to purchase tickets, please visit <http://bit.ly/2ImAilA>.

Weekend Family Fun

Ben and the Magic Paintbrush

Friday, June 7th, 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, June 8th, 7:30 p.m., 2/42 Community Center

The Mid Michigan Family Theatre proudly presents the family-friendly show "Ben and the Magic Paintbrush," directed by EC3's own Cheryl Adkins! This is a story about two orphaned siblings alone in the world; one of them earns pennies as a human statue, and the other one draws marvelous portraits with only a stubby pencil. Ben and the Magic Paintbrush is an enchanting story from olden times that comes to life as a modern-day fairy tale. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$5.00 for students and seniors. Plan to arrive prior to showtime for the best seating.

ARTpath Kick-Off Event

Friday, June 7th, 6:00– 8:00 p.m., Turner-Dodge House and Heritage Center

Join the Turner-Dodge House for the kickoff of ARTpath | Public Art on the Lansing River trail! The opening reception will include a multi-modal curatorial tour where you can walk, bike, kayak or canoe along the Grand River to experience each of the sites. The artists will be along the river to share their work! For more information, visit <http://bit.ly/2WUuzMW>.

Second Saturdays at the Museum

Saturday, June 8th, 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Michigan History Museum and Archives of Michigan

STEM and History may be taught separately in schools, but they are really not so different after all. Join the Michigan History Museum and Archives of Michigan as science meets our human past in this series of Second Saturdays for Families programs. Each month, you will be able to explore an exciting historical topic from exhibits paired with a hands-on experiment or project. For more information, visit <http://bit.ly/2HZKykM>.

Important Dates Coming Up

- **Friday, 6/7:** Tuition due
- **Saturday, 6/8:** Tiger teacher **Lindsay Simpson's** birthday
- **Monday, 6/10:** Grace period day: accounts paid prior to 6:00 p.m. will not be assessed a late fee.
- **Monday, 6/10 & Tuesday, 6/11:** Gecko Spring Conferences



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■ **Tuesday, 6/11 & Wednesday, 6/12:** Frog Spring Conferences

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