

Summer Institute *for kids* 2010

class notes

THREE WHISTLES We have a signal at CEE---three whistles and everyone stops, children touch the ground, and we all listen for instructions. This can help lunch clean-up go smoothly, get campers ready to join morning classes or assist in case of an emergency. Please remind your camper to stop, touch the ground and LISTEN when they hear three whistles.

Class Changes are only possible with the permission of the Summer Institute Director and depend on course enrollment and other factors. Any **class changes made after June 1 will incur a \$25 class change fee** which must be paid before a child can attend a new class. Please help your child adjust to the new environment and classes by encouraging them to be positive, try new things and express any concerns to the class teacher or Program Director.

If you are taking:

Gardening or we need a field trip **permission slip** signed so that you may walk across the street to the Rosewood Community Garden.

Guitar Lessons or playing Guitar in The Rock Band class-You do need to bring your own guitar, if you don't have one consider borrowing one or you may purchase an inexpensive one at The Guitar Center, Sam Ash or sometimes Costco. *Acoustic guitars are necessary. Experienced rock band guitar players may use electric guitars.* Please DO NOT bring in expensive guitars. Although this has been a safe place, children tend to forget and trip over things like instruments. CEE assumes no responsibility to replace or pay for damaged or missing instruments.

Furniture Class (Fantastic Furniture) If you are enrolled in this class PLEASE TRY NOT TO MISS A CLASS. Making a real piece of furniture is a step by step process and missing a day puts you behind.

Photography Class All cameras are provided.

Center Stage the performance for the first play, *Oliver*, will be at 12:30pm on Friday, July 9. The second play, *Annie*, will be performed on July 30 at 12:30pm. Family and Friends are invited. Children not registered that day in the Summer Institute should be supervised by an adult. All Summer Institute students will attend the performance.

3rd through 6th graders in Center Stage are encouraged to sign up for Monday *through* Friday. Students there for just 3 days a week will have parts with fewer lines due to less rehearsal time. All students have a lot of singing.

Tuesday/Thursday performing arts classes will have a performance time on Thursday, July 29.

Piano Group Lesson Keyboards are provided for class. Please find a piano or keyboard to practice on outside of class.

Yoga Please bring your own yoga mat.

Karate Students need a uniform. You can use from from another class or order one from us for \$45.

Fencing All equipment is provided.

Further Notes To Remember:

Missing Classes if you find you will miss a day or several due to illness or vacation activities please let us know so that teachers can plan accordingly. There are no make-up days or refunds for missed classes.

Visitors Because of the nature of our classes and our high enrollment we cannot have relatives or friends attend classes with your camper. Invite them to a performance or to the Open House on July 31!

Behavior Although our classes are fun there is also a lot that is learned and accomplished in the 1, 3 or 6 week classes. We need children to be respectful of the teachers and fellow campers and will talk to you if there is any problem with ongoing disruptive behavior. We also ask that you inform us if there is any behavior management that helps your child participate fully.