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Lakeland's Little Learners

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Younger Two's News

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HOORAY FOR SUMMER!!!

Can you believe it is already August?! This summer seems to be flying by. The month of July was a great one! We had a "BLAST" creating with red, white and blue, listening to fireworks and parading with our little flags to celebrate our version of the 4th of July.

After that, we had an adventurous time "exploring" ways to have fun in nature during the summer months. Camping, hiking, and fishing are a few of the activities we have been exploring. The children are learning kindness and respect for all living things, from the tiniest bug to our great big oceans!!

We finished up our month looking at other activities families do together in summertime, such as play at beaches, eat popsicles, enjoy picnics and swimming. We also looked at pictures of how children in other countries have fun in summer!

This month we will be talking about what pets are, different kinds of pets and what they mean to our family. Please send a picture of a special pet in your child's life if there is one, even if it is a relatives, friends or neighbors.

Later in the month we will "hear" all about Our Five Senses! What are our ears for and what do you hear?

This Month's Theme

- ❖ Pets
- ❖ My Five Senses

Family Connection Activity

Who doesn't love to take a walk to relax and get some fresh air?! Something fun and easy to add to your walk that would tie in with our Five Senses Theme would be to turn your walk into a **Listening Walk**.

Head outside to do a listening scavenger hunt. The list could include a barking dog, a car door slamming, airplanes overhead, birds chirping, children giggling, wind in the trees, or anything else you might hear. Mark each item off the list as you hear it. Then later at home, see if they can tell you what they heard!

REMINDERS

- Please be sure to have applied sunscreen to your child before drop-off.
- **Labeling** is the best way to make sure your child's belongings don't get mixed up with another child's!

PLEASE remember to let the office know if your child will be absent around Labor Day!