

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

A Letter from the Director

Dear Sprouts Families,

Summer is officially here, and I couldn't be more excited! If you've been around Sprouts for any length of time, you know that summer is my absolute favorite season.

I love everything that summer brings—field trips, real-world learning experiences, messy hands-on activities, and lots of time spent outdoors. I firmly believe children thrive when they have opportunities to explore nature, move their bodies, and experience the world around them.

Whether we're splashing in water tables, visiting community landmarks, searching for bugs, or simply enjoying a beautiful day on the playground, these experiences help children develop curiosity, confidence, and a love for learning.

Children sleep better, get healthy physical activity, and experience all the gifts nature has to offer when they spend time outside. Summer truly is the best, and I can't wait to share all the adventures we have planned!

Warmly,
Paige Berg
Director, Sprouts

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Parent Tip of the Month

Looking for a fun and educational way to keep your child engaged this summer?

Consider joining the Carlisle Public Library Summer Reading Program!

Many of the library's summer events count toward reading minutes, and Sprouts will even be attending some of the activities throughout the summer.

Best of all, participants can earn some exciting prizes, including:

- A brand-new book
- A treat from Fiss Ice Cream
- A treat from Fareway
- Zoo passes

Reading together is one of the most powerful ways to support your child's development, and the Summer Reading Program makes it even more fun.

What's Coming Up



June 1 - Start of Summer Session



June 12 - Carlisle Family Movie Night, 6:15 PM at North Park



June 19 - Donuts with Dads, 7:30 AM at Sprouts Dads and special father figures are invited to join us for a sweet morning celebrating the wonderful men in our students' lives.





Staff Spotlight

Miss Emily has recently stepped into the role of our One-Year-Old Teacher, bringing years of experience and a deep love for early childhood education to our toddler classroom.



She has a wonderful way of helping young children feel safe, confident, and excited to learn. Her patience, creativity, and nurturing spirit help our toddlers thrive during such an important stage of development.

We're so thankful for everything Miss Emily brings to our Sprouts family and can't wait to watch her continue making an impact on our youngest learners.



School Highlights

We're excited to share some big news from Sprouts! Over the past several months, we've made a number of changes within our building to better accommodate our growing enrollment and meet the needs of local families.

Most excitingly, we have officially received permission from DHS to provide care for school-age students!

For this first year, we will be offering school-age care specifically for current Sprouts families who need care for their older children. As demand continues to grow, we look forward to exploring additional opportunities to serve more families in our community.

We're grateful for your support as Sprouts continues to grow and evolve while maintaining the high-quality care and education your children deserve.

Featured Product: Sensory Tables

If there were one learning tool we could recommend to families of all ages, it would be a sensory table!

Sensory tables provide endless opportunities for hands-on exploration, creativity, and learning. While they're a classroom favorite, they're just as valuable at home.

For younger children, try filling a sensory bin with:

- Water
- Cheerios
- Cooked noodles
- Pom-poms
- Ice cubes

Older children may enjoy:

- Sand
- Mud
- Soapy water
- Rocks and natural materials
- Building and digging activities

Consider setting up a simple sensory station on your porch, patio, or in your backyard this summer. It's an easy way to encourage exploration, creativity, and learning through play.