ECC Weekly Newsletter  
June 12, 2015

Friendly Reminder!

Summer is (mostly) here and we are enjoying our front space and the musical garden.

For the safety and well-being of the children in our care, we ask that you ALWAYS close and secure the gate behind you whenever you enter or exit the school grounds.

Do you use the crosswalk at Akin Avenue and Shields Street?

A group of ECC parents is working with the city to address safety issues at the pedestrian crosswalk in front of the school. If you have any concerns about safety at this crosswalk, please contact Sarah Ryan (sarah.ryan@colostate.edu) to join the parent advocates and learn more about the change process.

IMPORTANT DATES

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<td>University Holiday/ECC Closed</td>
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<td>7/16</td>
<td>ECC All-School Picnic 5:30-7:00</td>
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The ECC staff and children engaged in two safety drills this week. On Monday we practiced a tornado drill, moving from our classrooms to a safe area on the lower level with teachers. On Thursday we practiced a fire drill and the children and staff were all out of the building in two minutes. Both drills were successful and informative, helping us adjust our practice to identify ways to improve for the next time. We will continue to practice these drills to provide familiarity for children and staff. Thank you for doing your part to increase safety at the ECC by always shutting the gate behind you and not providing access to others with your building entrance pass. We are all accountable to one another when it comes to the safety of our children, your attention to safety is always appreciated.