



Hippo Camp 2010

Sponsored at

Arlington Montessori House

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Dear Parents:

Hippo Camp 2010 will run throughout the summer from June 21 thru August 20, 2010. The camp program is not a Montessori based curriculum, but the children will approach the activities from a Montessori perspective for consistency sake. For this reason, preference will be given to children with previous Montessori experience. The camp's program emphasis will be for the children to have fun during the summer but at the same time learn new things and keep active. While our camp themes certainly have educational elements, the primary purpose of the camp is social interaction and play. Some of the supplemental activities that will be offered are sport activities, water play activities, and cooking and food preparation. There will be theme related projects, activities, and a field trip or on-site presentation for each of the summer camp sessions. At least one field trip or on site presentation will be held during each session. Parent volunteers will be needed if we go on field trips; we do ask for volunteers to help drive and/or chaperone the children. Notice will be given ahead of time so families can plan their schedules. Snacks will be provided by the school and included in the camp tuition. A hot lunch is also included in the tuition and is provided by the Good Food Company.

Families enrolled in the Arlington Montessori House are given priority in enrollment through *Friday, February 26, 2010*. Applications received after this date will be on a first come, first serve basis depending on slot availability. *OPEN ENROLLMENT BEGINS* Monday, March 1, 2010.

A Meet and Greet will be held in order to introduce the summer camp staff and will take place sometime in May. We look forward to sharing some fun and exciting times with your children during the 2010 summer.

Thank You,

Mardee Wimmer
Administrator, AMH