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The BCLC Educators and Staff are dedicated to the safety and wellbeing of all the children in our program. Please take a moment to get to know who we are and what we do here at BCLC. We would be happy to meet with you at any time.

Please take a minute to review your children's information in Brightwheel. Phone numbers, addresses, and pick-up authorizations should be current.

#### A note from our Early Childhood Education Director



Hello and Happy June everyone! I can't believe that It's been just about a month since I've started here at BCLC! I hope that I've had a chance to say hello to all of you. I have had a wonderful time meeting all the children, the staff and spending time in the classrooms. And I might even know everyone's name by now...maybe!

As we move toward summer, we are getting the garden beds ready, and planting has already started. Miss Alex is working hard on a field trip schedule for the summer so be on the look out for those fun events!

I'm so happy to be here at BCLC and please feel free to stop by and say hi or contact me with any questions you may have.

Miss Cindy

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# **Early Education - June Newsletter**



# Featured staff of the month is Miss Tammy

Our featured staff of the month is Tammy Darling. Tammy plays a vital role behind the scenes for both the rest of our staff and our families. As the program's bookkeeper, Tammy ensures that all of the payroll needs of our team are met, as well as being a helpful resource to each of our families as they navigate questions about tuition billing. Tammy will be celebrating six years as part of our BCLC team this July!

#### **June Birthdays**

Fred 6/2
Ryo 6/4
Tyrone 6/4
Miya 6/10
Benny P. 6/12
Axel 6/15
Dua 6/16
Abigail 6/25
Marshall 6/30



### **School Announcements**

- Starting June 24, 2025, our programming hours will be 7:00am - 5:00pm for both Early Ed and School Age programs. The School Age Program will resume closing at 6:00pm starting September 2, 2025.
- BCLC is a nature-based learning center and will utilize our natural playground each day in all types of weather. As the weather gets warmer, it is time to switch our snow gear for summer supplies! Please make sure that your child is wearing closed-toed shoes and comfortable outdoor clothes (please label) in case they get wet or dirty. Please make sure your kids have a change of weather-appropriate clothes and have the following items to keep at school for the summer: bathing suit, towel, and water shoes. Please check your child's cubby weekly for artwork, notices, and dirty clothes!
- Please call the front desk (978) 927-1269 prior to 9am for both early education) and school age if your child will not be attending BCLC. This avoids confusion at pickup and gives us an accurate number of children for mealtimes.

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# **Important Dates**

⇒ June 2, 2025 - Fred's 3rd birthday!
 ⇒ June 19, 2025 - Juneteenth - BCLC CLOSED
 ⇒ June 20, 2025 - BCLC CLOSED
 ⇒ June 23, 2025 - BCLC's 2nd Annual Open Championship
 ⇒ July 4, 2025 - Independence Day - BCLC CLOSED

# Beverly Children's Learning Center 2nd Annual Open Championship

Beverly Golf & Tennis Club

June 23, 2025



# Join us for the Beverly Children's Learning Center's

2nd ANNUAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP!

Registration: 9am Start time: 10am

You and your foursome will enjoy a day of golf at the Beverly Golf & Tennis Club (boxed lunch provided) followed by a dinner and awards. You'll have an opportunity to bid on one of our exciting auction items (golf experiences and travel destinations!) and purchase tickets for our raffle. We'll also have some fun "extras" you can purchase to boost your chances on the course.

Don't miss this opportunity to golf for a purpose! All of the proceeds will go to the Beverly Children's Learning Center (BCLC) supporting their efforts to provide the highest level of education and care for the children and families of Beverly and the surrounding areas.

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<u>Pre1</u> - We welcome Miss Tabbi to Preschool-1 this month! This month we will focus on Bugs! We will go bug hunting and learn about different bugs. We'll read *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* and *The Grouchy Ladybug*. We will do bug paintings, splat painting, finger painting, and fairy catchers for Art! For sensory play we will do playdough bug printing and insect sensory bins. Thank you! Miss Willy and Miss Tabbi







**Pre2** - This month we will focus on ocean animals. Our class will focus on The ocean and what animals live in it. We will do yoga lessons and dance parties outside to enjoy the weather. We will play with water bins and sponge paint, marble paint and finger paint for expressive art. Our outdoor experiences will explore what animals live near the water and their habitats. Mr. Josh and Miss Yani

**PreK** - This month our class will focus on insects and other little creatures around us, understanding the role that they play in our ecosystem, and how to respect their habitats. We will read *Waiting for Wings* by Lois Ehlert, *Everything Insects* by National Geographic Kids and *The Grouchy Lady Bug* by Eric Carle. We will be creating imaginary insects with folding paper and glitter and painting with yarn. For sensory and science, we will use the water table with assorted bugs and dirt trays and explore worms by digging in the gardens and tracing the shadow of insects in the sun. Miss Irena & Miss Michelle

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<u>Infant</u> - June is the Start of Summer! The month of June is also an awareness month. June is recognized as Pride Month in the US, a time to advocate for the LGBTQ rights. Our class will focus on Joy and Love, with Rose as the birth flower. We will read summer related books and play summer songs. Our projects will be simple art projects, such as footprint flowers and footprint flip flops! Happy Fathers' Day to all the amazing and hard -working Dads! Isa & Miss Hilary

<u>Infant/Toddler</u> - This month we will be exploring our outdoor classroom. The kids will go out back to explore trails, eat snacks, find bugs, and collect cool items! We will have our dance party which will include the "Going on a Bear Hunt" song and read books such as *And Then Comes Summer* by Tom Brenner and *The Hungry Caterpillar* by Eric Carle. For sensory activities we will dig in the dirt, make an outdoor sensory bin, and find bugs under logs and rocks! Miss Shauna & Mr. Louis









<u>Toddler</u> - This month we will introduce summer! The kids will learn about bugs, nature walks, and water activities. We will read bug books and books about adventure. The children will use natural materials to create art-like sand painting and for sensory activities they will discover insects and arachnids in our sand bin. Our outdoor experiences will consist of nature walks and water activities! Miss Mariah and Miss Mae

**Toddler/Preschool** - This month we discover the rainbow through nature! Our class will focus on the rainbow color theory and colors we find in nature and our surrounding habitats. We will sing and dance to "Colors of the Rainbow" by Jack Hartman, "What's Your Favorite Color?" by the Kid Kaboomers, and do daily kids' yoga. We will read *Brown Bear* by Eric Carle and *Curious George and the Hot Air Balloon* and *Curious George Visits the Library* by M. Rey. For art we will utilize the whole rainbow with paint, glue, and materials found in nature and more! We will explore sensory activities and have fun with water, rice, and mud in our sensory tables, trays, and playground. Walking in the woods will continue every Monday, Wednesday and Friday as well as begin to use our splash pads as it gets warmer! Miss Gia

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## **Look Who Turned Three!**

Happy Birthday to Frederick, our feathered BCLC friend who turned three on June 2!
Please stop by and wish her a happy birthday the next time you see her!





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