

CONNECTION

JULY 2023

NEWSLETTER

Kids  Kids
Learning Academy

of Jersey Village

SPECIAL EVENTS



- July 4th: KRK will be closed.
July 5th: **Wacky Wednesday:**
Wear red, white and blue
July 6th: **Summer Camp Field Trip:**
George Ranch
July 7th: World Chocolate Day
July 11th: **Summer Camp Field Trip:**
Space Center Houston
July 12th: APK Field Trip: Cypress
Academy of Gymnastics
Wacky Wednesday:
Houston Pride
July 13th: **Summer Camp Field Trip:**
HMNS & Planetarium
Houston Day 713
July 18th: **Summer Camp Field Trip:**
Discovery Green
July 19th: **Wacky Wednesday:**
Crazy socks day
Summer Camp Field Trip:
Constellation Field
July 24th: Happy Parents' Day
July 25th: **Summer Camp Field Trip:**
Children's Museum
July 26th: **Wacky Wednesday:**
Christmas in July
July 28th: Parents Night Out

10 AMAZING Facts for the 4TH OF JULY



1

Benjamin Franklin wanted the turkey to be the national animal but was out-voted when John Adams and Thomas Jefferson chose the bald eagle.

The stars on the original American flag were arranged in a circle to ensure that all colonies were represented equally.

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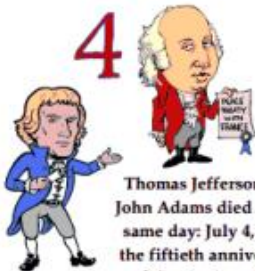


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John Hancock was the only person to actually sign the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. The other 55 signers did not sign it until later.



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Thomas Jefferson and John Adams died on the same day: July 4, 1826, the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

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History's first submarine attack took place in New York Harbor in 1776.



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There were no fireworks on July 4, 1776, but there were fireworks 1 year later, on July 4, 1777. This was still 6 years before Americans knew whether the new nation would survive the war.

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George Washington was the best spy master in American History! He ran espionage rings in British-held areas and he was a genius at misinformation. He constantly befuddled the British by leaking, through double agents, inflated reports of the strength of his army.

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Washington was a robust man with a seeming immunity to disease and bullets. In one encounter in the French and Indian War, he absorbed 4 bullets in his coat and hat and had 2 horses shot from under him without any injury to himself.

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The United States of America won its independence despite the fact that the British Army was established, experienced, disciplined, and trained and the American army was not. In addition to this, the British Army had ample quantities of powder, guns, and clothing and the American Army was not well supplied.

The song "Yankee Doodle" was sung originally by British officers making fun of backwoods Americans.

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Usually, playing and exercising outside boosts a child's physical and mental health.

However, a heat index at or above 90°F, as identified by the National Weather Service, poses a significant health risk.

High temperatures and extreme heat can cause children to become sick very quickly in several ways. It can cause dehydration, heat exhaustion, heat cramps and heat stroke, which is a medical emergency. High heat can also contribute to irritability both for children and their caregivers.

If you are going to be outside, there are several steps you can take to beat the heat and protect your child from heat-related illness and hazards: stay hydrated, dress lightly, plan for extra rest time, stay cool with water mists or swimming, and never leave a child in a car.

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

How great will it be to have Christmas twice a year? At Kids 'R' Kids of Jersey Village we could not wait until December, so we decided to have an amazing "Christmas in July"!

Dress up in your Christmas outfits on Wednesday, July 26th and let us celebrate the most wonderful holiday of the year with a special Christmas dance and without having to wait until December.

PARENTS NIGHT OUT

We will be hosting Parents' Night Out on Friday, July 28th from 6:30pm to 11pm. Let us take care of the children while you enjoy a special night out!

Please sign up at the front desk if you want to participate!



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

We want to recognize Marissa Valadez for her amazing job with our school age children during this summer camp.

Ms. Marissa is working hard to ensure our children are safe while having the most fun this summer.

We are very proud of her!

Way to go Ms. Marissa!
Congratulations!

