

# May 2019



**BARLINA HOUSE  
PRESCHOOL**

CRYSTAL LAKE PARK DISTRICT

**NEWS FROM  
DONNA MacCRINDLE  
PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR**

Dear Barlina House Families:

Can you believe the school year is almost over? The year just flew right by. I hope everyone enjoyed their time at Barlina this year. It has been a very busy year. The classrooms continue to be very busy with the children continuing to develop and refine their skills. We are very proud of all the progress the children have made throughout the school year. The teachers are in the process of completing spring progress reports which will be sent home this month. If you would like to discuss your child's progress/development with the teachers, please feel free to contact us to set up a time and date.

Please remember to join us for our special Mom's Day events on May 9 for the T/TH classes and on May 10 for the MWF classes. Class times will be shortened for this event; class times will be from 9:00am until 10:30am. If you are unable to attend, please offer the invitation to a grandmother, aunt or friend. This is a very exciting time for your child, they like to show off their work and spend time with the special people in their lives.

On Wednesday, May 22 and Thursday, May 23, we will be having our special Olympic Days outside, weather permitting. Please be sure your child wears gym shoes for this event. Our Preschool Family Picnic will be held on Friday, May 24, at Main Beach, from 10:00 am until 12:30 pm. The picnic is for ALL the classes. Information for all these events will be sent home at a later date. Please be sure to check your calendars for all our special events during this month.

Thank you! The preschool staff would like to thank all our families for participating in providing snacks and also for your time visiting in your child's classroom.

We say a sad goodbye to all the children moving onto Kindergarten. We wish them the best! We look forward to a new school year in the fall and to all our returning students. Also, if you have not yet registered for next year, you may register online at [crystallakeparks.org](http://crystallakeparks.org) or in person at the Administrative Office.

Barlina House is offering a Preschool Summer Camp called "Explore with Barlina". Three, two week sessions will be offered during the summer. One day a week, this camp will meet at different park district sites. More information for this program and fun activities for the whole family are included in the Crystal Lake Park District summer brochure as well as on our website.

Be safe and enjoy your summer!

Sincerely, Donna MacCrindle, Barlina House Director

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We are sharing pictures of classroom activities, field trips and special visitors.

Plus, get updates on Park District programs and events that are just for our preschool age students.




We are thankful for your trust in Barlina House staff for your child's first school experience. We are always looking for feedback and would appreciate it if you would take a minute to leave a Google review for us.


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**CRYSTAL LAKE  
PARK DISTRICT**



*SUMMER 2019*



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## { CALENDAR OF EVENTS }

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Browse our Calendar of Events to find 1-Day programs and events, every month of the year.

In the calendar view, click the title for more information and link to register.

**Registration Opens May 1**

#### Summer Highlights for Tots (ages 3-6)

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**SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION  
NOW OPEN**

CREATE YOUR SUMMER FUN WITH US!

#### Featuring Camps for Ages 3-6:

- Explore with Barlina Preschool
- Pee Wee Camp
- Tiny Tots Dance Camp
- Tiny Tots Art Camp
- First Strikers Soccer Camp
- Hot Shots Sports Camps



#### Now Open for the Season:

- 2-Miniature Golf Courses
- Driving Range
- Birthday Party Packages