

# BASCP NEWSLETTER

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## Director's Notes

### Confirmation Letters

Confirmation letters for next year's enrollment will be sent to families on May 15<sup>th</sup> by USPS mail. If your child has been accepted, you will also receive a bill for September 2018, which is due June 1. Be sure to get this payment in as it is what secures your child's slot for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have any question please call Ellen at 617-969-3130. Thank you for your patience.

### Last Day of School

The last day of school this year is Friday June 22<sup>rd</sup>.

**BASCP will be open from 12:00pm-3:00pm.**

### BASCP's Sixth Annual Children vs. Adults Basketball Game and Ice Cream Social

Calling all Adults!!!! Dust off your basketball sneakers and begin practicing your ball skills because we need you on Thursday, June 14 at 5:00pm to take on the children in a game of basketball. The game will be followed by a delicious ice cream social.



### Donations of Water and Snacks Needed for Spring Fling

Once again BASCP is looking for donations of water and snacks to sell at the Spring Fling on Sunday, May 20. All proceeds from the sale will go to the Cliff Cohen Tuition Assistance Program. This program financially helps families whose children might not otherwise be able to attend BASCP. Please drop off all donations in the BASCP office by Wednesday, May 16.



## K Extended Day

Greetings Extended Day families! May is Mythology and Mythbusting month at BASCP! We will be doing a variety of activities, from those that feature myths from around the globe, to science activities that inspire children to question and explore the natural world! These include creating your own mythology characters and making dragons! Additionally, we are working during Extended Day on social-emotional skills and friendship guidance to help students get along with each other, advocate for themselves and others, and make the most of their time at BASCP!

## K-1 Stars

Greetings, K-1 families! May is Mythology and Mythbusting month at BASCP! We will be doing a variety of activities, from those that feature myths from around the globe, to science activities that inspire children to question and explore the natural world! Your child can look forward to magical, mythical activities such as "Unicorn Headbands", "Sun and Moon Fans", and "Solar Prints"! In our community activities, we will be focusing on the concepts of honesty and integrity, and aim to help students make the connection between these ideas and our theme!

## 2-3 Comets

For the month of May, we will be learning about Myths and Myth-busting! We have a bunch of thought-provoking and mind blowing activities planned! Some of these include making papier mache Greek vases, myth-busting science experiments, designing True or False Myth Trivia Cards, Reading books about Myths around the world, creating their own myths, and even having an Egyptian Day! Continue to check out our red binder for any field trips or enrichment activities throughout the month.

## 4-5 Ozone

Mythical May will be based on a true story, or will it? The Ozone will be exploring storytelling and myths as students learn about Greek Mythology and practice some mythmaking and deception of their own.

We'll have projects based on mermaids, monsters, and many mythical characters such as Hercules, Arachne, and Prometheus. Additionally, children may be creating and hearing current day myths and other mischievousness as they play Balderdash, poker (don't worry, there will be no money involved), and the classic 70's game show, Liar's Club, when teachers will have the opportunity to lie to your children.

Finally, it is not a myth that your children have been asking for more slime, clay, and photography, so you'll see that on our May calendar too.



# Enrichment & Billing - May 2018



## Enrichment:

Please check the enrichment binder located at your program's sign out station for all the scheduled enrichment opportunities that you are welcome to sign up your student to attend for the month of May.

## Jump Rope 4 Heart:

Thank you to all of our families who participated in our yearly Jump Rope for Heart fundraising event. I would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone that donation packets will be due on Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:55pm.

### K-1

What	When:	Time:	Where
Little Bits	Friday, 5/4	4:00-5:00pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip	Tuesday, 5/8	1:00-4:30pm	The Discovery Museum
Farm 2 Market	Wednesday, 5/9	4:00-5:00pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Little Bits	Thursday, 5/10	4:00-5:00pm	Mad Maker's Lab
3D Doodler	Friday, 5/18	4:00-5:00pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Little Bits	Monday, 5/21	4:00-5:00pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip (Farm to Market)	Tuesday, 5/22	1:00-3:00pm	Newton Community Farm
Field Trip	Thursday, 5/31	3:30-5:30pm	Webster Woods

### Comets

What	When:	Time:	Where
Robots!	Tuesday, 5/1	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
3D Doodler	Friday, 5/11	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Farm 2 Market	Monday, 5/14	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip (Rescheduled)	Tuesday, 5/15	1:00-3:00pm	Newton Centre
3D Doodler	Thursday, 5/17	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Robots!	Wednesday, 5/23	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Farm 2 Market	Tuesday, 5/29	4:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip	Wednesday, 5/30	3:30-5:30pm	JP Licks

### Ozone

What	When:	Time:	Where
Robots!	Tuesday, 5/1	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
3D Doodler	Friday, 5/11	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Farm 2 Market	Monday, 5/14	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip (Photo Club)	Wednesday, 5/16	3:30-5:30pm	Weeks Field
3D Doodler	Thursday, 5/17	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip (Farm to Market)	Tuesday, 5/22	1:00-3:00pm	Newton Community Farm
Robots!	Wednesday, 5/23	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab
Field Trip	Friday, 5/25	3:30-5:30pm	Laser Quest
Farm 2 Market	Tuesday, 5/29	3:30-5:30pm	Mad Maker's Lab

Thank You as always,

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