



# Nest Notes

April 23, 2021

Dear Center Nest Parents,

We've had a busy week finishing our classroom project for our virtual Spring Fling auction, and now we have begun our precious Mother's Day presents. It is always amazing how our Nest projects come to life so beautifully. The children were able to choose their colors to paint their wood pieces using a wide selection of acrylic paints. They took two to three days to finish painting them and were all very proud of their beautiful little miniature masterpieces. After the pieces were completely dried, I varnished their little creations, so they will last forever. Finally, I put them together and created an abstract design. Now we wait and see to whose home it will go. Good luck to all!!

Our moving up toddlers will be visiting Primary classrooms next week. In preparation for the visit, we toured each of the Primary environments. The children were very respectful as we looked at work on the shelves using just our eyes and they are excited to return again.

We have two great parenting workshops in May that are available to our families taught by Primary 1 teacher and Positive Discipline instructor Saleha Hafiz. Both workshops will be conducted online and the registration form can be found on our website, [www.centermontessori.org](http://www.centermontessori.org). The first, "Kind and Firm Parenting" is Sunday, May 2nd from 4pm-6pm and the second, "Top Tools for Young Children" is Sunday, May 16th from 4pm-6pm. Don't miss the opportunity to attend these workshops, as they will give you many tools to work with at home and are consistent with what we are doing in our classroom.

Important Announcements:

-Thank you so much to the Congleton family for the delicious Starbucks treats for CMS staff and to the Alvarez Family for the book donation and volunteering to coordinate our end-of-the-year party!

-Mark your calendar: there is NO SCHOOL on Friday, April 30th; it will be our conference day.

-The virtual Spring Fling event will be scheduled via Zoom the week of May 10th – 14th.

-Thursday, May 27th, will be our last day of school and end-of-the-year party from 9:00am to 12:00pm.

We hope you all enjoy a beautiful weekend together!!

Rosa and Ashley



Children working on our Spring Fling Project.



Final masterpiece created by our class.

