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## BAC NEWSLETTER

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### **Letter from Jaime Nicklas, Educational Director:**

We are pleased to announce that the BAC is growing! A new little girl, Greta, has joined the “Little Kids” classroom. We are excited to welcome her and her family into the BAC community!

A new instructor has also joined the “Little Kids” classroom. Jacqueline Vidopio comes to the BAC with two years of experience utilizing the principles of Applied Behavior Analysis as a behavioral instructor in California. We are happy to have her on the BAC team!

If you haven't yet returned all of your child's paperwork for the upcoming school year, please send it in as soon as possible. This consists of a signed contract, internet consent form, video consent form, and general field trip consent form. If you have any questions, or need additional copies of any of these forms, please let us know!

### **Picture Day!**

Photographer Leah Michaelson will be coming to take school pictures on Thursday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 10 am. Leah took our school photos last year and did an excellent job capturing photos of BAC students. This year she will be photographing the students in a more natural classroom setting. Please see the attached form for details about the packages available and to place your orders.

### **September Fundraising Event**

We are excited to announce a fun fundraising event taking place on Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>! This event will feature a cocktail hour from 5-7 pm with food and drinks at the restaurant Pergola Des Artiste preceding a performance of the Tony-winning musical “In The Heights.” We will also be hosting a Silent Auction at the event. Tickets for \$150 may be purchased by check and will also be available soon on our web site.

We hope you will all be able to make it to this event! Please help us spread the word about this fundraiser by inviting your friends and family. We are also in the process of collecting items for the Silent Auction. If you or someone you know may be interested in donating something, please let us know. We need your help to make this event a success!

## **Take Home The Class Pet**

We are looking for a volunteer to watch our class pet “Blue” over the break from August 14<sup>th</sup> to September 14<sup>th</sup>. Blue is a beta fish who is a very low-maintenance pet - requiring only a few pellets of fish food every few days. If you are interested in watching our fish over the break, let us know!

## **Important Upcoming Dates:**

July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 1:00pm – Early dismissal for staff training

July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 10:00am – Class Picture Day

August 17<sup>th</sup> – September 14<sup>th</sup> – Summer Break

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