



SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING AT OUR HIVES:



Hello July!

Can you feel it? With temps in the triple digits, TBE families in North Texas sure can. And all you families in the Front Range are no stranger to extreme heat. Stay cool everyone and remember to hydrate.

July, of course, means celebrating Independence Day with family, friends, and fireworks. The booming, colorful displays are exciting to watch, but they can create sensory overload in kids with autism. Check out our blog at [BEHAVIOREXCHANGE.COM/BLOG](https://behaviorexchange.com/blog) for tips about how to help your child and family enjoy the celebration. Also, if you're taking a vacation or traveling this summer, be sure to let your TBE team know. We can help you identify learning opportunities during your travels, so your child can continue to make progress over the summer.



Closure: July 4th

All of our hives will be closed on Monday, July 4, in celebration of Independence Day. Look on page 4 of this newsletter for a special red, white, and blue art activity, featuring Buddy Bee as Uncle Sam.

Fall Schedules

Be on the lookout for Fall Request forms which will be emailed to you next week and due back to us by Friday, July 1st.

Group Parent Training (GPT) AND Parent's Night Out (PNO)

Since it's summer and so many families are traveling or busy doing other things, we're going to suspend both GPT and PNO until the fall. If you have any topic suggestions for future GPT sessions, please email: jfarrar@behaviorexchange.com

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TBE Calendar

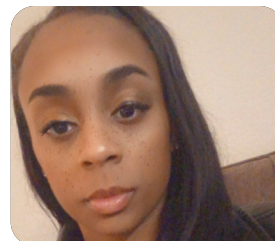
Notable Dates

For all the important dates in one place, be sure to pick up our printed calendar! You can also log on to our website and view selected events: [CLICK HERE](#)

7/1: Fall Schedules due date

7/4: Closed

Get to know us!



Meet Alexa.

While everyone who works for TBE positively changes the lives that lead to a brighter future, Alexa truly excels at it. Alexa strives for enrichment, growth, and

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Prosper Hive

We're excited to report that our new Prosper Hive in North Texas will be ready for families at the end of August! Check out our progress in the video we just posted on **Facebook**, **Instagram**, **Twitter**, **Youtube**, and **LinkedIn**. Be sure to continue to visit our social media for the latest updates!

If you'd like to make Prosper your preferred hive for the upcoming fall semester, please email enroll@behaviorexchange.com and let us know as soon as possible.

THE BUZZ AROUND DFW:

Psychedelic Robot. The Shops at Willow Bend, 6121 W. Park Blvd., Plano, TX 75093
Immerse yourself in a one-of-a-kind, artistic storytelling experience with interactive exhibits, augmented reality, 2D & 3D projection mapping, and mesmerizing light and sound effects. It's a thrilling tale filled with triumph over adversity, awakenings, redemption, love, and kindness that expresses the ideals of our inclusive humanity. [LEARN MORE](#)

Disney's Beauty & the Beast Jr. June 11—July 16. Artisan Children's Theater proudly presents Disney's Beauty and the Beast Jr. at its 150-seat Second Stage facility. The classic story tells of Belle, a young woman in a provincial town, and the Beast, who is really a young prince trapped under the spell of an enchantress. If the Beast can learn to love and be loved, the curse will end and he will be transformed to his former self. But time is running out. If the Beast does not learn his lesson soon, he and his household will be doomed for all eternity. [LEARN MORE](#)

Sensory Friendly 4th of July Celebration Laser Light Show. July 3 from 6:00-10:00pm
On Sunday, July 3, The Sound at Cypress Waters hosts a new Sensory Sensitive Fourth of July Celebration family experience to be held at the Rogers-O'Brien Amphitheater. [LEARN MORE](#)

Champions Day. On July 25, Hawaiian Falls partners with Special Olympics Texas to offer exclusive park access to individuals with special needs and their families from 9–10am. Season pass holders gain access at 10am. The parks will open to the public 10:30am–8pm. Champions and their caregivers and family can stay all day at no additional cost, or they can leave any time they choose. To be sensitive to some Champions' needs, Hawaiian Falls turns down the music, adds more staff to assist families, and reminds staff to be thoughtful about using their whistles. [LEARN MORE](#)

More buzz on the next page.

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meaningful developmental change in her clients' lives, as well as her own.

A little more about Alexa:

Favorite restaurant: Ruth Chris

Favorite movie: All about the Benjamin's

Favorite band/artist: Earth Wind and Fire

Favorite hobbies: Gardening, Traveling

TBE member since June 2021

TBE recommends

What It's Like To Have Autism From An Autistic Person

A KERA/Think podcast. Originally aired on September 3, 2021

Life with autism is a spectrum of abilities — and it doesn't need to be fixed. Eric Garcia is an autistic journalist, and he joins Krys Boyd to talk about what autism is and isn't, how it's portrayed, and the support systems that are currently failing. His book is called "We're Not Broken: Changing the Autism Conversation."

[CLICK HERE TO LISTEN](#)

TBE blog

Visit our BLOG to find tips for traveling and summer safety for children diagnosed with autism. Also learn more about TBE being the only ABA provider in North Texas with a 3-year BHCOE accreditation and why this is important. [CLICK HERE](#)





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Special Needs Swim Night. July 29 from 6:30-9:00pm. Children and adults with special needs, their families, and caregivers are invited to a pool party. The Rosemeade Rainforest Aquatics Complex will be open for extended hours giving those with special needs the opportunity to enjoy some time swimming and splashing in a less crowded and quieter environment. [LEARN MORE](#)

THE BUZZ AROUND BOULDER:

Fan Expo. July 1-July 3 – Denver, CO. FAN EXPO Denver is partnering once again with Pop Culture Classroom (PCC) and will welcome fans to reunite for a weekend of non-stop programming and special guests. Tickets for FAN EXPO Denver are available now and additional celebrities, creators, featured exhibitors and other guests will be announced in advance of the event. [LEARN MORE](#)

Colorado Music Festival Family Concert: Tubby the Tuba. July 3 at 11:00am – Boulder, CO In this year's concert, Vaudeville-inspired musical storytellers Really Inventive Stuff uses comedy, props, and interaction to refresh beloved musical classics and enchant audiences of all ages. Their imaginative Tubby the Tuba follows "the adventures of a red polka-dot yo-yo, a dapper bullfrog puppet, and a small piece of ribbon" as Tubby discovers that dreams can come true. Later, Really Inventive Stuff's "Orchestra-ologist" introduces the instruments "with wit and a wink" as the troupe reinvents Britten's classic Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra. [LEARN MORE](#)

Sensory Friendly 4th of July Community Fireworks Viewing Party. July 4 from 7:30-10:00pm – Aurora, CO. The Autism Community Store is a safe, inclusive space for our community to participate in the sensory magic of this day. We will have fun activities and hot dogs off the grill and refreshments available for purchase (Gluten Free options available). Join us for a hot dog, bring a picnic, or just come to see the fireworks! [LEARN MORE](#)

WOW! Children's Museum Sensory Friendly Playtime. July 24 from 10:00am-12:00pm Join us for Sensory Friendly Playtime, a special Museum program for children with autism spectrum or sensory processing disorders. WOW! will limit capacity, turn down sounds and lights, and provide adaptive equipment to offer a safe and fun experience for all! [LEARN MORE](#)

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Fun facts

The famed Macy's fireworks show in New York City uses more than 75,000 fireworks shells and costs about \$6 million.

Nathan's Famous Hot Dog Eating Contest is held annually on July 4th. In 2021, Joey Chestnut set a new world record by eating 76 hot dogs and buns in 10 minutes. 🤢

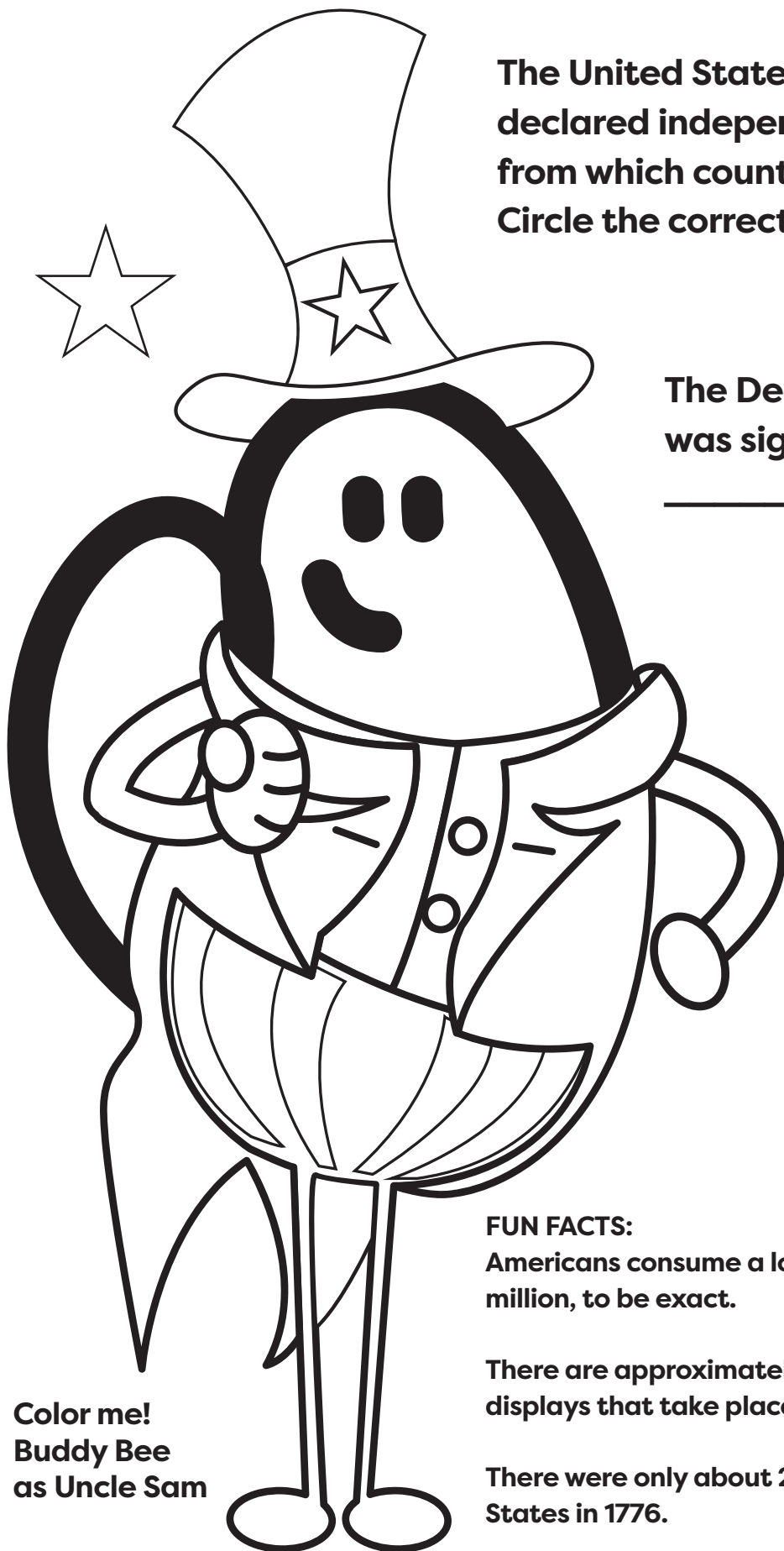
Starting in 1818, new stars and stripes were added to the American flag each July 4th to mark the creation of new states.

The first July 4th celebration took place at the White House on 1801, hosted by Thomas Jefferson.

There is Something Written on the Back of the Declaration of Independence ... and no, it isn't a treasure map written in invisible ink.

The Average Age of The Signers Was 45 Years. Of the 56 signers, the youngest signers, Thomas Lynch Jr. and Edward Rutledge of South Carolina, were only 26. However, Benjamin Franklin of Pennsylvania was the oldest signer at 70 years old.





**Color me!
Buddy Bee
as Uncle Sam**

**The United States
declared independence
from which country?
Circle the correct country.**

Spain
Chile
Great Britain
Russia

**The Declaration of Independence
was signed in the year,**

**4th OF
JULY**

FUN FACTS:

Americans consume a lot of hot dogs on July 4th. About 150 million, to be exact.

There are approximately 16,000 Independence Day fireworks displays that take place each year.

There were only about 2.5 million people living in the United States in 1776.



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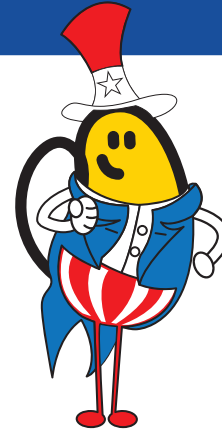
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**The Behavior Exchange
will be closed on:**

MONDAY JULY 4TH



**For Independence
Day Celebration.**

Thank you for your understanding.

Have questions? Contact your local hive for more information.

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Prosper Hive



OPENING AUGUST 2022!

Our Prosper Hive will offer plenty of room for children to learn, explore, and grow in our trademark environment full of bright colors, fun artwork, and inspirational design.

Our newest hive will feature:

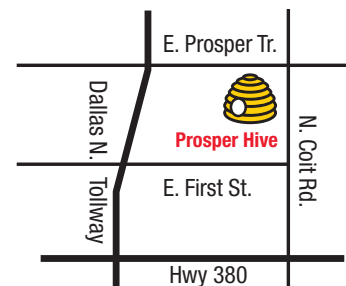
- Over 8000 square feet designed by a renowned architecture firm
- Plenty of private rooms for One-on-One Therapy
- Large areas for fun sensory experiences to build motor and social skills
- A fun, welcoming environment for children, families, and staff

See more at: behaviorexchange.com/locations



Prosper Hive

2250 E. Prosper Tr.
Building B.
Prosper, Texas 75078



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If you would like Prosper to be your preferred hive for the upcoming fall semester, please contact us:
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JULY

UNITED STATES INDEPENDENCE MONTH

SUNDAY

MONDAY

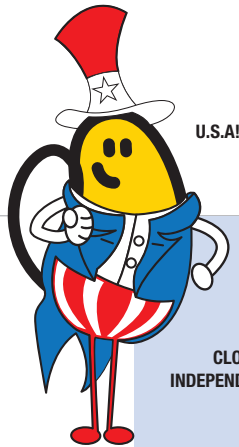
TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



U.S.A!

CLOSED.
INDEPENDENCE DAY

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			<i>Ker Pija</i>		Dress-Up Friday Lifeguard Day Dress like a lifeguard or wear all red!	Social Saturday Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
					<i>Canada Day</i> Be Safe	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	<i>National Blueberry Muffin Day</i>		<i>National French Fry Day</i>	<i>Shark Awareness Day</i>	Dress-Up Friday Team Jersey Day Wear your favorite team's jersey!	Social Saturday Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
	Be Athletic					
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<i>National Ice Cream Day</i>			<i>World Jump Day</i>		Dress-Up Friday Aquaman Day Wear gold and green and be a superhero!	Social Saturday Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
	Be Aquatic					<i>National Parents' Day</i>
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
		<i>National Aunt & Uncle Day</i>		<i>National Chili Dog Day</i>	Dress-Up Friday Be cool! Wear any cool color like blue, green, and violet!	Social Saturday Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
31	Be Aquatic					<i>Share a Hug Day</i>

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Curriculum schedule— 2022

Summer Camp at The Behavior Exchange

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 <i>May Day</i>	2 <i>End of May</i>	3	4 <i>May The Force Be With You</i>	5 <i>Class de Mayo</i>	6 <i>National Nurses Day</i>	7 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
8 <i>Mother's Day</i>	9	10 <i>National Clean Your House Day</i>	11	12 <i>Group Parent Training</i> Traveling with Autism 12pm, CST via Zoom	13 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Pattern Day</i> Wear your favorite pattern: Polka dots, stripes, or plaid.	14 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
15 <i>International Family Day</i>	16 <i>Week Day</i>	17	18 <i>National Hat Your Beliefs Day</i>	19 <i>Group Parent Training</i> ABA Visualized pt. 3 12pm, CST via Zoom <i>Parent Involvement</i> 7pm, CST in-person <i>Parent's Night Out</i> Frisco & Plano Hives: 5:30pm-8:30pm, CST	20 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Crazy Hat Day</i> Wear something silly on your noggin.	21 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
22 <i>Be Musical</i>	23 SUMMER CAMP STARTS (Frisco Hive) <i>World Turtle Day</i>	24	25	26 <i>Group Parent Training</i> Improved Outcomes with <i>Parent Involvement</i> 12pm, CST via Zoom	27 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>International Day</i> Wear something that represents another country. Maybe the flag or name or even a phrase in another language.	28 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
29 <i>Be Musical</i>	30 CLOSED. MEMORIAL DAY <i>National Death Day</i>	31 SUMMER CAMP STARTS (Plano Hive & Boulder Hive) <i>Be Musical</i>	MAY All times are in Central Standard Time Zone (CST).			

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 <i>Be Musical</i>	2 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	3 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>World Food Day</i> Wear your favorite food or food colors	4 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
5 <i>World Environment Day</i>	6 <i>Be Healthy</i>	7 <i>National Chocolate Ice Cream Day</i>	8 <i>Be Musical</i>	9 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	10 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Wacky Workout Gear Day</i> Sport your wacky workout gear!	11 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
12 <i>Be Healthy</i>	13	14 <i>National Bad Friends Day</i>	15 <i>Be Healthy</i>	16 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	17 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Wear Your Greens Day!</i> Wear your favorite veggie or fruit or deck yourself out in all green today!	18 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
19 <i>Be Healthy</i>	20 CLOSED. JUNETENTH OBSERVANCE <i>Summer Solstice</i>	21 <i>Be Safe</i>	22 <i>Be Safe</i>	23 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom <i>Parent's Night Out</i> Frisco & Plano Hives: 5:30pm-8:30pm, CST	24 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Fireman Day</i> Wear bright red or yellow!	25 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
26 <i>Be Safe</i>	27 <i>Be Safe</i>	28 <i>Be Safe</i>	29 <i>Be Safe</i>	30 <i>Be Safe</i>	All times are in Central Standard Time Zone (CST).	

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					1 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Lifeguard Day</i> Dress like a lifeguard or wear all red!	2 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
3 <i>U.S.A!</i>	4 CLOSED. INDEPENDENCE DAY	5 <i>Be Athletic</i>	6	7 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	8 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Baseball cap Day</i> Bring your favorite cap and play ball!	9 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
10	11 <i>Be Athletic</i>	12	13	14 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	15 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Team Jersey Day</i> Wear your favorite team's jersey!	16 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
17	18 <i>Be Athletic</i>	19	20	21 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom <i>Parent's Night Out</i> Frisco & Plano Hives: 5:30pm-8:30pm, CST	22 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Aquaman Man Day</i> Wear gold and green and be a superhero!	23 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
24 <i>Be Aquatic</i>	25 <i>Be Aquatic</i>	26	27	28	29 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Be cool!</i> Wear any cool color like blue, green, and violet!	30 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
31 <i>Be Aquatic</i>						

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				4 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	5 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Recycle day</i> Wear something that's been recycled or passed down to you. Or from sustainable fabrics like bamboo.	6 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
7 <i>Be A Good Citizen</i>	8 <i>Be A Good Citizen</i>	9 SUMMER CAMP ENDS (Plano Hive)	10 SUMMER CAMP ENDS (Frisco Hive)	11 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	12 SUMMER CAMP ENDS (Boulder Hive) <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Bright Colors Day</i> Be bold and bright!	13 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
14 <i>Be A Good Citizen</i>	15	16	17	18 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom <i>Parent's Night Out</i> Frisco & Plano Hives: 5:30pm-8:30pm, CST	19 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Tie Dye Hot Today Day</i> Wear something white and light.	20 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
21	22	23	24	25 <i>Group Parent Training</i> TBD 12pm, CST via Zoom	26 <i>Dress-Up Friday</i> <i>Favorite Movie or TV Day</i> Wear your favorite movie or TV character	27 <i>Social Saturday</i> Frisco Hive 9:00am-3:00pm, CST
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MAY

23: Summer Camps Starts (Frisco Hive)
23: Be Musical Theme
30: CLOSED
31: Summer Camps Starts (Plano & Boulder Hive)

JUN

6: Be Healthy Theme
20: CLOSED
21: Be Safe Theme

JUL

4: CLOSED
5: Be Athletic Theme
18: Be Aquatic Theme

AUG

1: Be A Good Citizen Theme
9: Summer Camp Ends (Plano Hive)
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