

#### Kick-Off Event! ECFE and Little Warriors 3's and 4's

What: Vehicle Fair AND Carnival Open House All ages welcome!
When: Wednesday – August 30th, 2023 6:00-7:00 PM
Where: Olivia Campus –West Side of BOLD Schools by bus loop/ playground
Meet the teachers, staff and special guests that make our communities a safe place to live.
(Police, Ambulance, Fire Truck, Superior School Bus, Central Community Transit Bus, Helicopter)
There will also be a bouncy house, snacks, BOLD bracelets for sale and more!
Come support the Little Warriors!

### **ECFE CLASSES**

### Magnificent Monday Classes

MONDAYS from **6:00-7:15 pm- \$5 each session**Ages <u>2 ½ - 5 years old</u>
BOLD Olivia Campus, Room 140
(9<sup>th</sup> street entrance by playground)

Each night will include fun activities, songs, snacks & circle time! Parent separation and discussion time as well.

Session 1: Sept. 25 Oct. 2, 9, 16, 30 Nov. 6

~Sept 25- Homecoming Week Celebration

Help us celebrate a new year at BOLD!

~Oct 2- All things Fall!

*Let's talk about fall colors, apples, leaves, and more!* 

~Oct 9th - Fire Safety week

Special Firefighter visit!

~Oct 16- Grandparents Night

Bring a grandparent to class!

## Friday Open Play

Lots of exciting activities, arts and crafts, songs, books and more!

This class does not separate.

BOLD Olivia Campus, Room 140

FRIDAYS 9:15-10:45 AM
Oct. 6, 13, 27 Nov. 10, 17 Dec. 15, 22
\$2 per child/per time
Ages- Birth to Pre-K

### Room to Run

Use some of that extra energy jumping in the gym, riding toys, playing ball, games and more. Parents or daycare providers are responsible for supervising the children.

BOLD Olivia Campus, Small Gym

FRIDAYS 9:15-10:30 AM

Dec. 1,8 Jan. 12, 19 Feb. 2,9

\$1 per child/per time

Ages- Birth - Pre-K

#### ~Oct. 30-Special Event -Halloween Bash

Wear your costume and come have some Halloween fun in the small gym!

~Nov. 6- Special class for ages 0-24 months! Class is from 5:30-6:30 pm

Session 2: Nov. 13, 27, Dec. 4, 11, 18

#### ~Nov 13- Turkey's

Join us for a special turkey project!

#### ~Nov 27- Zoo Animals

Lions, tigers, and bears- Oh my! Let's go to the zoo!

**~Dec. 4- Build with Me** (Sponsored by Home Depot) This is the night for Dad, Grandpa or another important male figure in your life to explore and build!

#### ~Dec 11- Sensory Night

Get messy and explore our 5 senses as you do it!

#### ~Dec 18- Cookies with Santa

Meet Santa Claus and have some holiday fun! Special guest- The Grinch

# Special one-time class! (AGES 0- 24 months)

Bring your child 0-24 months of age to our Monday evening class on November 6th from 5:30-6:30pm. Come explore the classroom, meet other parents, and learn some fun children's songs!

(No Parent separation)

#### Halloween Bash

Monday, Oct 30th in the BOLD small gym from 6:00-7:15 pm

Join us for games, crafts, treats and more!

Geared for children ages 0-5 years old (siblings welcome) \$5 per child

#### ECFE at B&D Market!

Kick off ECFE on Friday,

October 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am with a field trip to the grocery store!

We are excited to get out into our community and get a closer look at what they do.

Meet at B&D Market in Olivia for this free event!

#### Fire Safety Week

The Olivia Firefighters will come visit ECFE to show us their special gear, tour their firetrucks and talk about keeping safe during Fire Safety week held October 9-13<sup>th</sup>



Did you know that a UNITED WAY GRANT has helped to fund preschool at BOLD?

BOLD Early Childhood programs have received over \$70,000 since 2011 from the United Way of West

Central MN! We all know how important preschool can be to provide learning opportunities for children, and to help children gain skills they need to get ready for Kindergarten.

Thank you to the United Way! You have helped so many children attend the BOLD Little Warrior preschool programs.

#### What is ECFE?

ECFE stands for Early Childhood Family Education

ECFE is a Community Education program for parents and their children from birth to kindergarten age.

ECFE provides a staff of people committed to supporting parents as their child's first and most influential teacher.

ECFE supports and strengthens families by helping parents understand the many ways in which their children develop.

Children have the opportunity to be with other children and learn through creative activities.

### Flow of an ECFE Monday Night Class- 6:00-7:15 PM

#### Parent & Child

\*Generally, the first 40-45 minutes of class provide developmentally appropriate activities for you and your child to explore together.

Because children learn through play.

# **Everyone:** Join teacher on the rug for group/circle time.

\*Learning through songs, fingerplays, and stories

#### **Parent: Parent Discussion**

\* Learn various ways to enhance your child's interactions, feelings, and skills. Ideas will be shared with other parents. (20-25 minutes)

\* Only done for the 2 ½ to 5-Year-Old Class.

# <u>Child:</u> Snack, Stories, and Free Play

\* Promote children's social skills, develop trust in other adults, and enhance their positive self-concept.

#### GENERAL ECFE CLASS INFORMATION

#### **How to Register**

MAIL-IN your Registration & Payment to Lindsey Rengel- BOLD ECFE to 701 South 9th St, Olivia MN 56277.

#### **Immunizations**

Minnesota law requires that all children attending ECFE classes have their immunizations up to date. A current immunization record is required for each child on the first day of class. Bring it in and we will copy it here.

#### Instructors

Child Educators -Kassidy Zimmerman, Josette Repke & Lindsey Rengel Parent Educator –Laurie Lubitz EC Coordinator- Lindsey Rengel

ECFE Advisory Council Members Would you like to join the current ECFE/School Readiness Advisory Council? Please contact Lindsey Rengel at 523-1031 X 3147 or email <a href="mailto:lindsey.rengel@bold.k12.mn.us">lindsey.rengel@bold.k12.mn.us</a>. We plan to meet 1-2 times a year and through email.

# Register for Fall BOLD ECFE Classes 2023 Register ahead so we can prepare for you. Mark your calendar

| Parents' Name(s) | Email for cancellations, etc. |  |  |
|------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
|                  |                               |  |  |
| Address          | Phone                         |  |  |
|                  |                               |  |  |

| CLASS NAME – Circle dates you know you want to attend | CHILD'S NAME | BIRTHDA<br>Y<br>(list once) | Age | CLASS FEE            |
|---|--------------|-----------------------------|-----|----------------------|
| Vehicle Fair & Open House                             |              |                             |     |                      |
| Ages Birth to Pre-Kindergarten                        |              |                             |     | FREE                 |
| Wednesday, August 30th- 6:00-7:00pm                   |              |                             |     |                      |
| Open Play -Friday Mornings                            |              |                             |     | \$2/child/time       |
| Ages Birth to Pre- Kindergarten                       |              |                             |     |                      |
| (Located in the preschool classroom)                  |              |                             |     |                      |
| Oct. 13, 27 Nov. 10, 17                               |              |                             |     |                      |
| Dec. 15, 22   |              |                             |     |                      |
| Magnificent Mondays (Session 1)                       |              |                             |     | \$5 for each class   |
| Ages 2 ½ to 5 years old                               |              |                             |     | (\$25 for session 1) |
| Sept. 25 Oct. 2, 9, 16, 30                            |              |                             |     |                      |
| (Halloween Bash included in price)                    |              |                             |     |                      |
| Magnificent Mondays                                   |              |                             |     | \$5 for each class   |
| Ages 2 ½ to 5 years old                               |              |                             |     | (\$25 for session 2) |
| Nov. 13, 27 Dec. 4, 11, 18                            |              |                             |     |                      |
| (Cookies with Santa included in price)                |              |                             |     |                      |
| Special event for children ages 0- 24 months          |              |                             |     | \$5                  |
| Nov. 6th from 5:30-6:30 pm                            |              |                             |     |                      |
| Room to Run   |              |                             |     | \$1/child/time       |
| Ages Birth to Pre-Kindergarten                        |              |                             |     |                      |
| (Located in the small gym)                            |              |                             |     |                      |
| Dec. 1, 8 Jan. 12, 19 Feb. 2, 9                       |              |                             |     |                      |
| Halloween Bash  |              |                             |     | \$5/child            |
| Ages 0 to Pre- Kindergarten                           |              |                             |     |                      |
| Monday, Oct. 30 from 6-7:15 pm                        |              |                             |     |                      |
| Cookies with Santa (special guest The Grinch)         |              |                             |     | \$5/Child            |
| Ages 2 to Pre-Kindergarten                            |              |                             |     |                      |
| Monday, Dec. 18 from 6-7:15 pm                        |              |                             |     |                      |

| immunization Record – Your child must be up to date on their immunizations.                                 |       |
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| Food Allergies No food allergiesYes, my child is allergic to  |       |
| Photo Permission – ECFE has permission to take pictures for use on the website, end of year CD or school re | lated |
| brochures, newspaper pictures/articles promoting ECFE or preschool programsYesNo                            |       |
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ECFE - Early Childhood & Family Education BOLD Community Education Independent School District No. 2534 Bird Island - Olivia - Lake Lillian 701 South 9<sup>th</sup> Street Olivia, MN 56277

Return Service Requested

Non-Profit Organization U.S. Postage PAID Permit No. 76 Olivia, MN 56277

Has your 3 -5 year old been through early childhood screening?

Screening is best done between 3-4 years of age!

Contact Lindsey at 320-523-1031 ext. 3147 to sign up

# **ECFE Brochure**

Sign up for **ECFE** Classes Inside!