

## What to expect for Fall 2020

### **OUTDOOR CLASSES**

#### Teachers will:

- ♪ Wear a mask while passing out instruments or during the clean up song
- ♪ Teachers will not wear a mask while singing but we are hoping to stay as socially distanced as possible at this time.
- ♪ Use hand sanitizer between boxes after the clean-up song
- ♪ We will make an announcement at the beginning of every class to remind people to be respectful of distance. We know kids are going to have a hard time with that but it's important for us as a group to always be mindful of other's personal space.
- ♪ We will have tarps down on the ground to ensure people set up at least 8 feet apart.
- ♪ Absolutely no sick teachers will be permitted to teach

#### Parents:

- ♪ Will bring your own picnic blanket or towel to sit on
- ♪ Please bring your own hand sanitizer or wipes if you have it. We will have some available but the more we can remain seated/standing in our own space the better.
- ♪ Parents will be required to have masks with them and they must be worn when social distancing is not possible. It is up to you whether or not you want to wear it when you are seated on your blanket.
- ♪ Please be as engaged with your child as possible during class. We will be outside and we don't want any escapees 😊 We also want to make sure the kids are able to socialize with each other but under your watchful eye.
- ♪ Please bring your cookie/treat to hand out at the end of class

#### Instruments/scarves:

- ♪ We will still use our very special boxes to bring out the instruments. Once the box is open we will hand out instruments.
- ♪ We always have and always will sanitize our instruments between classes with Clorox
- ♪ Scarves will be washed after each class
- ♪ All instruments and scarves will be placed in the clean-up bin during clean up and they will not be touched until cleaning time.

#### Bubbles:

- ♪ Bubbles will be blown by the bubble machine

#### Kids:

- ♪ Do no need to wear masks- this is up to the discretion of the parents
- ♪ Kids have been great about staying close to their blankets

#### Attendance/illnesses:

- ♪ It is crucial that only healthy people come to class and we reserve the right to refuse class to any family that is displaying signs of illness.

- ♪ Our attendance policy is as long as you let us know you won't be making it, you won't be signed in for that day. This allows you to use your classes in the way that works best for your family and keeps sick kids home.
- ♪ You may switch around classes at any point and as long as you keep us in the loop you may use your classes in any way that works for you. We will be outside for the summer but these classes never expire (provided you let us know you can't make it) and you can use them once classes are moved inside.
- ♪ Please don't come to class if you think you may have a high chance of infection or have been feeling just a little under the weather.
- ♪ You can always freeze your package (just email us) if you need to have an extended break.

#### Weather cancellations:

- ♪ Rainy days will unfortunately happen. We will post cancellations on our Facebook page.
- ♪ You won't be signed in for cancelled classes obviously.
- ♪ You can always join classes that have room in them
- ♪ Outdoor classes will move inside when there is stormy weather. We will only sign you in if we see you.
- ♪ We are at the mercy of fall weather, if it is getting too cold we will move these classes inside.

#### Forms:

- ♪ The town will not allow anyone to participate in this location until we have collected your release form.

## **INDOOR CLASSES**

#### Teachers will:

- ♪ Wear a mask while passing out instruments or during the "clean-up" song
- ♪ Teachers will not wear a mask while singing but we are hoping to stay as socially distanced as possible at this time.
- ♪ Use hand sanitizer between boxes after the clean-up song
- ♪ We will make an announcement at the beginning of every class to remind people to be respectful of distance. We know kids are going to have a hard time with that but it's important for us as a group to always be mindful of other's personal space.
- ♪ We will have tarps down on the ground to ensure people set up at least 8 feet apart.
- ♪ Absolutely no sick teachers will be permitted to teach

#### Parents:

- ♪ Please bring your own hand sanitizer or wipes if you have it. We will have some available but the more we can remain seated/standing in our own space the better.
- ♪ Parents will be required to wear masks during class.
- ♪ Please bring your cookie/treat to hand out at the end of class
- ♪ Please make sure your child doesn't trade instruments with other children in class

#### Instruments/scarves:

- ♪ We will still use our very special boxes to bring out the instruments. Once the box is open the teacher will hand out the instruments. We ask people to wait on their pillow until instruments are handed out.
- ♪ We will only load enough instruments in the box for the people in that class and we are asking people to please not share.
- ♪ We always have and always will sanitize our instruments between classes with Clorox
- ♪ Scarves will be washed after each class
- ♪ All instruments and scarves will be placed in the clean up bin during clean up and they will not be touched until cleaning time.

#### Bubbles:

- ♪ Bubbles will be blown by the bubble machine

#### Kids:

- ♪ Do no need to wear masks- this is up to the discretion of the parents
- ♪ Kids may interact freely with other children in class

#### Attendance/illnesses:

- ♪ It is crucial that only healthy people come to class and we reserve the right to refuse class to any family that is displaying signs of illness.
- ♪ Our attendance policy is as long as you let us know you won't be making it, you won't be signed in for that day. This allows you to use your classes in the way that works best for your family and keeps sick kids home.
- ♪ You may switch around classes at any point and as long as you keep us in the loop you may use your classes in any way that works for you. Provided you let us know when you cannot make it, your classes NEVER EXPIRE.
- ♪ Please don't come to class if you think you may have a high chance of infection or have been feeling just a little under the weather.
- ♪ You can always freeze your package (just email us) if you need to have an extended break.
- ♪ No refunds but you can always freeze your package.