

March 13, 2018

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Spring is just around the corner! Flu season is almost over, and I am **VERY PROUD** to say that we did not have a single person we serve catch the Flu. Infection control, handwashing, the use of masks, Flu vaccinations and diligent care were all in full effect. We want to continue these measures that ensure the safety of everyone here at Marklund.

Unfortunately we will have to cancel Spring Fling this year. The Bloomington Park District will be closed for a remodel project from the end of April 2018 until June 2019. We are thinking of another fun activity for late spring or late summer such as an outdoor movie with set up in the field between Marklund and DuJardin School. With that being said, we will have our parent meeting the day of Summer Games instead of Spring Fling.

**Nursing:**

We are at the end of the flu season but please continue to wash your hands often. Proper hand washing is a great defense against fighting the flu. If you are ill, we ask that you postpone your visit until you are feeling better. We are in the process of hiring CNA's and nurses. For nursing issues contact Rose Cousins at ext. 3240 or email her at [rcousins@marklund.org](mailto:rcousins@marklund.org).

**Habilitation Team:**

Our habilitation team consists of Lisa Esposito (Volunteer Engagement Specialist), Natalie Rubino (QIDP), and Jenna Gasper (Recreational Therapist). We continue to have activities and outings in the evenings and Saturdays.

**Clothing:**

Jenna will be changing over winter clothes to spring/summer clothes in the upcoming months. For questions regarding clothing, please contact Jenna at extension 3286.

**Special Events:**

- **Parent Meeting:**  
June 23, 2018  
Dining Room MPC  
10:00am-10:30am