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LADYBUG CLASS ENJOYING SHAVED ICE BY LOCAL YOUTH
ENTREPRENEUR, MEEK BENTON



JULY NEWSLETTER

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Downtown Ithaca
Children's Center

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Happy July DICC Families!

It is an honor to be the new Executive Director of the Downtown Ithaca Children's Center.

The children have been very busy with visiting playgrounds, exploring the outdoors on walks, and keeping cool with some water play.

We are happy to announce a few exciting opportunities at DICC:

1. Parents at Pick-Up: Beginning August 15th, parents (masked) will be permitted to enter the building to go into their child's room at pick-up. This will allow families to connect more with teachers. If you do not have a FOB for entering the building, please let us know so we can order one for you.
1. Be Kind Ithaca: This wonderful organization has offered to donate \$1 from each keychain sale to DICC. Please spread the word and order yours today!



Grasshopper classroom visiting the Sciencenter.

3. Harvest Dinner/Open House: We are planning to hold this combined event in September. If you are interested in planning, please let us know!

As always we are hear to collaborate with families to make sure the children and families of DICC have a meaningful, kind, and equitable experience at DICC.

Thank you!



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STAFF SPOTLIGHT

LORRAINE VELEZ

Birthday: 3/27

Room: Ladybug

Years at DICC: 2 Years

FAVORITES

FOOD:

All of it! Especially Mexican

COLOR:

Black

DICC PERK:

"The kids. I love them. They're mine.
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means so much to me."

"Be who you
needed when
you were
young."

FAVORITE QUOTE



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Thank You

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