## Elementary Age Summer Camp 2018 Behavior Reward/Discipline System SUMMARY

## TIME OUT Center

If a child misbehaves (hits another child, disrespect, inappropriate language, etc.) they will write their name on our "TIME OUT" chart outside the director's office under the appropriate day. They will then go to our "Time Out Center" during Centers, Outside play, etc. Children's time-out period will be based on their age (i.e. a 10yr old will have a 10 minute timeout, 5 yr old will have 5mins, etc).

## **Behavior Reward**

On Fridays during summer camp, to reward and positively reinforce good behavior, every child that had not had a time-out throughout the week will get a special treat, such as ice cream, candy or Popsicle after our afternoon snack.

## **Tattle Box**

We will have a "Tattle Box ", in which the kids can at any time write down a tattle they may have against a fellow classmate. Every Friday, we take the "tattles" that have been submitted and use them as teaching tools (no specifics) through role playing some conflict resolution situations. We will be able to discuss the correct ways to deal with issues they have with others and let the kids work on different solutions to those problems. This will allow the kids the opportunity to be heard while at the same time letting them weigh out what is really worth "tattling" about and coming up with ways to help them address different situations and be able to handle them better in the future. This will hopefully help them learn how to deal with bullying and tell the difference between a "BIG deal" and a "not so big deal".