



Preschool Newsletter



Classroom Happenings

November 2023

DIRECTOR'S MONTHLY

A message from our Director

Fall is finally upon us! Thank you to all of our parents and families for getting all their Safe Environment paperwork turned in this year. Our first field trip to Fog Willow Farms was such a fun experience for all! We are so grateful for your continued support. The children are preparing for tomorrow's Halloween festivities. I hope many of you are able to join us for a fun school rally and Trunk-or-Treating. We will celebrate Hat Day on Monday, November 13th and Tuesday, November 14th. Send your child with a hat to reinforce the letter Hh. Please label with your child's name! Mark your calendar for our Thanksgiving Feast on Wednesday, November 15th and Thursday, November 16th. Let Miss Shannon know if you still need to complete any steps of our Safe Environment process. We will have a sign-up sheet available after November 1st that will include some traditional Thanksgiving dishes. We ask that your family contributes one item per child that is enrolled in our program. Also, if your child attends five days a week, please sign up for both days. Lastly, remember to send your child to preschool with a coat, sweater, or sweatshirt every day. Please label these items with your child's name. It is very chilly in the morning and it is important that your child is comfortable with the colder temperatures. Thank you so much for your help!



[Amaryllis and Scott experimenting with Rice at Miss Katy's Science table](#)

Monthly Classroom Prayer

Dear God,
I am thankful for all you give;
For home and food
and friends and fun.
Thank you, God, for everyone.
Amen

Happy Birthday!

The following child is celebrating their birthday this month:
Gemma Moore (11/23). Happy Birthday!

Curriculum Snapshot

Here is an overview of the curriculum we have planned this month:

Your children are exploring these exciting **Units**:

- Fall / Autumn
- Thanksgiving
- Community Helpers

We are introducing the following **Letters**, along with the zoophonic sounds and zoophonic movements associated with each letter:

- Review Letter E-F
- G
- H
- Review Letter G-H

We are introducing and reviewing **Numbers** 1-4.

Pre-K Press

The Pre-K children are continuing to work on writing and one-to-one correspondence. In preparation of the Thanksgiving holiday, the children will be watching *Charlie Brown's Thanksgiving* followed by a simple celebration.

The Pre-K children are closing out the preschool advent program this year. The program will be held on Wednesday, December 14th at 11:00 am. We are asking Pre-K parents to donate items from the Dollar Tree. Please look for a flyer with additional information. Speak with Miss Danielle if you can help.

Thanksgiving Feast Day!

We will once again celebrate our Feast Day on Wednesday, November 15th and Thursday, November 16th. Please look for additional information after November 1st. We request each family to bring one item per child to contribute to our Feast. If your child attends five days, you will be asked to bring an item for each feast. The list of requested food will be detailed on the informational flyer. Adult family and special relatives who have completed the Safe Environment process are welcome and encouraged to join us! Please inform a teacher how many family members will be joining us for our Feast.

Scholastic Orders

Scholastic Book Orders are due Wednesday, November 15th.

Catholic Journey

Help keep our Catholic traditions alive and thriving! Try focusing on the following catholic prayer this month as part of your prayer ritual:

Morning Offering

Dear Lord, I do not know what will happen to me today.
I only know that nothing will happen that was not foreseen by You, and
directed to my greater good from all eternity. I adore
Your holy and unfathomable plans,
and submit to them with all my heart for love of You, the Pope,
and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Amen

Supply Reminder

Coats/Gloves/Hats

The temperature outside is going to start dropping. Licensing requires that we provide a certain percentage of our day outside. In order for us to comply with licensing, we are asking you to send your child to school in clothing that is appropriate to play outside. Warm coats, hats, and gloves or mittens are needed to keep them warm in the inclement weather. Please label them with your child's name. Thank you for your help!

Upcoming Important Dates

1. October 31st: Halloween Rally and Trunk-or-Treat
2. November 13-14: Hat Day
3. November 15-16: Thanksgiving Feast Day
4. November 23rd: Thanksgiving Day

Monthly Early Dismissal Days

1. Tuesday, October 31st (Halloween)
2. November 8th

NO School Days

1. Monday, November 20th through Friday, November 24th (Thanksgiving Break)

Click below for monthly attachments!