

May

Preschool Newsletter



Classroom Happenings

Monthly Prayer

The children will be practicing the following prayer throughout May:

Oh, Jesus, I give you today all I think, do and say. Amen

Happy Birthday

The following children are celebrating their birthday this month: Brayden Gonzalez (5/13), Luke Mikaelian (5/13) and Donovan Soria (5/29). Happy Birthday!

Curriculum

We will introduce the letters W through Z along with the sounds and Zoophonic movements associated with each of these letters. We will also review letters W through Z the fifth week of May. The children will explore units on the Food Pyramid /Plate, Mother's Day, Farm and Pirates. We will be reinforcing the Yy sound by celebrating Yellow Day on Thu, May 17th and Fri, May 18th. Please send your child in something yellow. We will be reinforcing the National Food Pyramid / Plate program with a Share-A-Snack day on Wed, May 2nd and Thu, May 3rd.

REGISTRATION

Preschool Registration

Registration packets were distributed to families and children not moving on to Kindergarten in the Fall. Open registration began Wednesday, March 15th at 5:30 pm with an Open House for perspective parents. We do not currently have spots available for preschool for the 2018-2019 school year. If you know of anyone who is interested in enrolling their child in preschool, we would be happy to add their name to our waiting list.

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Special points of interest:

- ASQ:SE Due: 4/9, 4/10
- Share-A-Snack: 5/2, 5/3
- Book Orders Due: 5/3, 5/4
- Cinco de Mayo Party: 5/4
- Cinco de Mayo: 5/5
- Spring Raffle Tickets Due: 5/11
- Pre-K Mother's Day Tea: 5/11
- Yellow Day, 5/17, 5/18
- Winning Raffle Tickets Drawn: 5/18
- No School: 5/28
- Early Dismissal: 5/31, 6/1 (NO PRE-K on Early Dismissal)
- Pre-K Celebration: 6/22
- Last Day of Preschool: 6/28 and 6/29

Pre-K Press



Pre-K

We are excited about this last fun month of Pre-K. Your children have all done amazing this past year. They have demonstrated strong aptitude in language, math, social and communicative skills. We will spend the month

reviewing the alphabet, numbers 0-20, and rhyming concepts. We are looking forward to a unique and enjoyable final month of Pre-K

Your Pre-K students are preparing for a Mother's Day Tea on May 11th @ 1:30 pm. They will be making personal

invitations and will deliver them a week before May 11th.

Mark your calendars for our Pre-K celebration, June 22, 2018. Additional information will go home in your child's Pre-K folder.

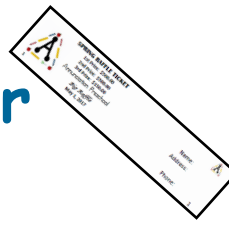
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Scholastic Corner



Fundraiser Update



Books

Thank you for supporting our Scholastic Book Program. May book orders are due Thursday, May 3rd and Friday, May 4th. This will be the last book order for the year. Teach your child about the power of literacy!



Assessment Zone

Ages & Stages: SE (ASQ:SE)

The Ages & Stages Questionnaire: Social and Emotional screening tools were distributed before Easter Break. The completed questionnaires were due back by Tuesday, April 10th. Please turn in your questionnaire if you haven't done so already. The information we gather from these assessments are invaluable to your children and our program. We utilize the information to best serve your child and family. Thank you so much for supporting our efforts and making this request a priority!

School Calendar



Early Dismissal

Please note that Thursday, May 31st and Friday, June 1st are Early Dismissal Days. Remember that all children need to be picked up by 11:30 and there will be no Pre-K class on early dismissal days.

No School

There is no school on Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day.

Spring Raffle

Our last **mandatory** fundraiser this year is our Big Spring Raffle. Each **family** is expected to sell 10 tickets. The tickets are \$10.00 a piece. The tickets will be distributed the first part of April. The ticket stubs and money are due Friday, May 11th. Children will pick the winning tickets on Friday, May 18th. The prizes are as follows:

First place: \$500.00

Second place: \$300.00

Third place: \$150.00

Good Luck!

Catholic Journey



Prayer Traditions

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

Act of Contrition

Oh my God, I am sorry for my sins. In choosing to sin and failing to do good, I have sinned against you and your Church. I firmly intend with the help of your Son, to do penance and sin no more. Amen

Party Central



Cinco de Mayo

Annunciation Preschool will be celebrating Cinco de Mayo on May 4th! We will be introducing traditional Mexican foods to the children for snack, making guacamole in Science, and listening to some favorite Latino music throughout the day.



Last Day of Preschool

Our last days of preschool are inching closer. The last days will be Thursday, June 28th (TTH) and Friday, June 29th (MWF, M-F and Pre-K). We look forward to the fun curriculum we have planned for your children.