

September

Preschool Newsletter



Classroom Happenings

Monthly Prayer

The children will be practicing the following prayer throughout September:

Dear God, watch over us while we sleep.

Happy Birthday

The following children are celebrating their birthday this month: Sebastian Perez-Luna (9/19) and Ella Ranuio (9/22). Happy Birthday!

Curriculum

We will continue with our Zoophonic review this month. We will introduce the letters A-B and the sounds and zoophonic movements associated with the letters. The children will also explore units on Dinosaurs, the Solar System, Numbers, Apples, and Bears. We will be hosting "Bring a Bear" to school on Tuesday, October 1st

and Wednesday, October 2nd. Remember to send a bear with your child on these days. We will also reinforce the letter Bb by celebrating Blue/Black/Brown Day on Thursday, October 3rd and Friday, October 4th. Don't forget to send your child in something blue, black or brown on these days!

Parish Fiesta

Annunciation Parish is hosting its next Parish Fiesta on Saturday, September 7th. Bring your family and enjoy good food, music and raffle prizes!



Pre-K Press



Pre-K

Welcome to Pre-K! Pre-K is an introduction to Kindergarten academic, social and emotional requirements. They will thoroughly explore each letter and number. In essence, the class is a small modified Kindergarten classroom. Their experience will enable them to develop their self-esteem and their ability to speak in public through small group projects with their peers. They will learn to explore units in depth: for example, sequencing of the growth of an apple seed to the tree to apple harvesting. We are looking forward to a fun and exciting school year full of exploration and discovery. Please look for occasional additional pre-k correspondence in your child's folder.

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Special points of interest:

- Book Orders Due: 8/28, 8/29
- No School: 8/30, 9/2
- Parish Fiesta: 9/7
- Bowl-A-Thon: 9/14
- Pre-K Mass: 9/18 @ 8:20 am
- Bring-A-Bear Day: 10/1, 10/2
- Blue/Black/Brown Day: 10/3, 10/4
- Fall Festival: 10/12
- Fog Willow Farms: 10/16

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Scholastic Corner



Books

Your first book orders will be due August 28th and 29th. Additional information for Scholastic on-line ordering was placed in your child's file folder. Please speak with Miss Angie if you have any questions.



School Calendar



Early Dismissal

There are no preschool early dismissal days this month. Wednesday, September 11th will be a noon dismissal for Annunciation School.

No School

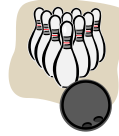
There is no school on Friday, August 30th due to a diocesan teachers mass and In-Service day. There is also no school on Monday, September 2nd in observance of Labor Day.

Fall Festival

Look what's coming up this Fall! Annunciation Elementary School will be holding their annual Fall Festival on Saturday, October 12th. Please consider attending this great community event. It is big fun for the kids and a wonderful way to get to know families from Annunciation School and Annunciation parish.



Fundraiser Update



Bowl-A-Thon

Our first mandatory fundraiser this year will be a preschool Bowl-A-Thon hosted by Pacific Avenue Bowl on Saturday, September 14th from 12:30 until 2:30 pm. The minimum sponsor amount is \$50 per child. A flyer with additional information and a sponsor form was placed in your child's file folder.

As always, we are offering the following incentive for the children who receive the highest dollars sponsored:

- 1st: One Month FREE Tuition**
- 2nd: 50% OFF on Oct Tuition**
- 3rd: 25% OFF on Oct Tuition**

*Thank you for supporting
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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:

Grace Before Meals

Bless us, O Lord, and these Thy gifts, which we are about to receive from Thy bounty, through Christ our Lord. Amen

Fieldtrip Express



Fog Willow Farms

Our first field trip will be to Fog Willow Farms on Wednesday, October 16th. This field trip experience is open to all our students. Please let one of the teachers know if your child is enrolled in Tuesday-Thursday and you will be joining us. We will meet at Fog Willow Farms no later than 9:15 am. It is mandatory for each child to be driven to a field trip destination by their own parent or designated adult. All field trip drivers need to complete the safe environment clearance for our parish before they can drive their child on a field trip. Please see Miss Shannon for a volunteer packet if you haven't done so already. This process does **NOT** need to be done annually. Additionally, there is no full time nor extended preschool on field trip days. All children will be dismissed following the field trip experience. Field trips will be announced in time for parents to make necessary arrangements for child care.