

February 2013

Hello parents! Happy February and Happy Valentine's day! What a great time to say how much we love your children and enjoy working with them!

Here is the latest news and information for the preschool; as always, please call or email me if you have any questions!

1. We will be celebrating Valentine's Day with a special luncheon and valentine exchange on Thursday the 14th (All kids that are enrolled in the MWF program in PK2 and PK3 classes are welcome to attend for the morning, free of charge). We will provide a pizza lunch and a special heart shaped cake for snack time). (There is no extra fee for the lunch) You will receive information from your child's teacher with the names of all his/her classmates so that you can address a valentine for each one.
2. Picture days are coming to the preschool! This year we will be using J&J Photography and we will be photographing ALL age levels! Be on the lookout for a separate flyer with information on purchasing the photos and fee information. Your child's individual *and* class photos will be on the same day. Here is the schedule:
 - Infants: Tuesday, 3-12-13
 - Toddlers: Tuesday, 3-12-13
 - Miss Murphy's class: Wednesday, 3-13-13
 - Mrs. Hoppood's class: Wednesday, 3-13-13
 - Mrs. Forrestall's class: Wednesday, 3-13-13
 - Miss Power's class: Wednesday, 3-13-13
 - Miss Ferro's class: Tuesday, 3-12-13
3. Be on the lookout for the sign-up sheets for the Dad's breakfast. Much like the Thanksgiving Luncheon, we will ask for you to bring in a specific food item to share. These sheets will be posted outside your child's classroom. (PK2, PK3, VPK)
4. Enrollment – It is that time of year again! By now you should have received your enrollment packets; you may begin submitting them on February 5th. Church enrollment begins on the 14th, so be sure to get your applications in before then. A reminder that I cannot accept any applications if you have an outstanding balance due to the preschool. Open enrollment begins at 7:00 am on February 19.
5. Our Federal ID number for tax purposes is: 590638497
6. Here are two web sites regarding children's health that are worth looking at: Prevent Obesity site from DCF: <http://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/child-care/prevent-obesity> 95210: <http://www.95210.org/>
7. You may have noticed on our schedule that there is no date for the spring performance. We are not scheduling a spring performance this year and have instead decided to increase the program for the Dad's Breakfast and Mother's Day Luncheon. The kids will sing and perform at both of these events; we hope you will enjoy the changes! Dad's Breakfast and Mother's Day Luncheon are for children in the PK2, PK3 and VPK classes.
8. Our VPK Graduation has been scheduled for Wednesday, May 22, 2012 at 11:00 am. We are excited about the changes made to this program and are planning a luncheon to go along with the event. Details to follow.
9. Thanks to preschool teacher's aide Sarah Tokumaru for organizing a "Date Night" for Trinity Preschool parents! Please be on the lookout for a flyer with more details, but save the date...March 1, 2013 from 7:00 pm to 11:00 pm.

10. A big thank you to the wonderful staff at Clothesline! We had a problem with our new staff shirts and David Farran could not have been more accommodating! I am happy to continue to do business with them and would encourage you to call them if you have any apparel or promotional needs!
11. Trinity Marketplace: Each month I will promote a business or service provided by one of our Trinity Preschool family! If you own a business or have a service to provide, please let me know and I will add you to the "Marketplace" list.
12. Dates to remember:
 - March 8: Dad's Breakfast 9:00 am PK2, PK3, VPK classes
 - March 18-25: Spring Break, Teacher Planning day; school is closed
 - March 29: Good Friday; school is closed (*public school is open)
 - May 10: Mother's Day Luncheon 12:15 pm PK2, PK3, VPK classes
 - May 22: VPK Graduation 11:00 am for VPK children and families
 - May 27: Memorial Day Holiday; school is closed
 - May 31: Last day of the regular school year; end of the year party!
 - June 3-7: school is closed for maintenance and cleaning
 - June 10: first day of the summer session

Jesus said to him, 'You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.'

This is the first and great commandment.

And the second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

Matthew 22:37-39 (NKJV)

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