

# Preschool Newsletter

## May 2019

Dear Parents,

Thank you so much for an amazing year! We have enjoyed these children so much. You are a terrific group of parents and it has been a pleasure to partner with you all.

We will spend the last month of preschool working on pre-reading skills. We will work on beginning and ending sounds, vowels and consonants, special sounds (th,sh,ch etc.) and rhyming words as well as an 'Under the Sea' science unit.

Please take note of some important dates on the May calendar. On Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> we will have our end of school picnic at the park across the street. This is for the students only. We would greatly appreciate it if the students would please wear tennis shoes on that day (**no flipflops**). We will have the children bring the snacks as usual. If your child's name is on the calendar for snack that day, you will receive a note regarding what to bring. Our programs and last days of preschool will be **Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** and **Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>**. The morning programs will begin at 9:00 a.m. and the afternoon programs will begin at 2:00 p.m. Please bring your child to the classroom 10 minutes prior to the programs. Our programs last about 20 minutes and will be held in the school cafeteria. We will present the children with "diplomas" at the end of the program and then they will leave with you. This will be their last official day of preschool (no preschool on Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup>). Feel free to bring cameras.

It has been a great year! The kids have grown so much and have been a joy to have in class! It is always a bit sad to see our "older" children go off to kindergarten and leave us and yet exciting at the same time. We look forward to those of you who will be returning in the fall. You can expect to receive a letter from us sometime during the first week of August. We are currently looking at August 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> for open house dates and August 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>st</sup> for our first official days of preschool.

God's Blessings! And have a great summer!!

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