NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2024

Nov. 1, 2024

Hi Parents,

We have enjoyed the most beautiful October at the preschool! No rain and great weather! The children have spent days outside enjoining the glorious weather, not to mention the amazing colors of the trees and our SPC Preschool Pumpkin Patch! And we have had several fun family events that are traditions here - Playdate at the Park, Daddy, Jack & Me, and Trunk or Treat! I hope you and your children had so much fun at these events as I did! I know I saw lots of smiles!!

After a busy October, we rush right into November! During this time of year, the children are happy and content at school, enjoying the company of friends and growing and learning through all of the activities in their classrooms! November is another busy month at SPC Preschool!

Brightwheel

Huge thank you to everyone for using their check in/out codes!



Be sure to add anyone who is picking up your child!

Upcoming Events

- Catholic Seeds 11/5 & 11/6
- Music & Movement 11/7 & 11/13
- Parent Pop In 11/11 & 11/12
- Art on the Line 11/11 & 11/12
- Sports Team Day 11/14 & 11/15
- Thanksgiving Feasts 11/20 & 11/21
- Thanksgiving Break 11/25-11/29

Libby Day Photography

Thank you to all the families who participated in Family Pictures Day with Libby Day Photography! Because of you, we were able to raise over \$200 to the Smasherson Foundation! The Smasherson Foundation is dedicated to funding novel and cutting-edge research through Children's Healthcare of Atlanta pediatric neuro-oncology team.

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Fall School Pictures

School Pictures were taken on 10/22 & 10/23. The children all looked ADORABLE in their little outfits!! The photographer, Atlanta School Portraits, will let us know when the pictures are ready. ASP will email you with your personal access code in order to view and purchase pictures. SPC Preschool will receive a percentage of sales during the 2 weeks after pictures are available! We hope you will support us and purchase a few pictures! I can't wait to see all of those beautiful, smiling face in the pictures!

School Closing

SPC Preschool is CLOSED for Thanksgiving from November 25th through November 29th. We will see you again on Monday, December 2nd.

Sports Team Day

This is our version of Field Day.
Children should dress in their
favorite team/sports shirt! Gross
motor skills are the focus as we
run, throw, crawl, jump and more
while we have fun outside!

What day?

<u>Thursday 11/14:</u>

TTh 2, TThF 2, M-Th 3, M-Th 4

Friday, 11/15:

MWF 2, TThF 3, MWF 3, M-F 4, PreK

Catholic Seeds

The children will meet Ms. Suzanne and they will learn the story of Moses and how God gave him the Ten Commandments. God gives us rules to live by because He loves us and wants what is best for us. What are rules? The children will about this, why rules are important and how to keep us safe. The children will also learn about the ambo! This is the place in our church where God's word in Scripture is proclaimed to all the people of the church. They will learn how Moses went up the mountain and heard God's message and then shared it with the people, just like our Priests share God's word from the ambo.

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Art on the Line

During November Parent Pop In days, we will be hosting our Annual Art on the Line!
Parents will have the chance to view and purchase their child's special art project for \$5!
This money will be used to pay for bounce houses and the DJ for our Family Fun Night, a beloved tradition on Jan. 31, 2025!
We ask everyone to walk in that day to see and purchase their child's art work!

We will also have car magnets & stickers available!

Monday, Nov. 11th and Tuesday, Nov. 12th

School Spirit Day

Monday, Nov. 18th is School Spirit Day! We will dismiss at 12:30pm.

Children still bring their lunch & wear their school spirit shirts!



Parent Council

Upcoming events!

Mark your calendars!

Scholastic Book Orders: Thanks to everyone who ordered books. Our last order of this year was sent home last week. This magazine will be the Christmas gift catalog, so stock up on stocking stuffers! Orders are due by 11/18, so we can get the books back in time for Christmas!

Mom's Mingle #2: All you need is love (and Pilates)! Dec. 5th in Room 6&7! More info coming soon!

Family Fun Night: Save the Date for our biggest and most fun fundraiser of the year!! Friday, Jan. 31st 6pm at McNamee Hall

SPC Movie Night: *NEW* Join us at Roswell Movie Tavern on 12/6 for a 5:30pm showing of of Dr. Seuss The Grinch (2018). RSVP coming soon!!

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Thanksgiving Feasts

It is almost time for our 2nd Annual Thanksgiving Feasts! We will be celebrating Thanksgiving as one big group (on 2 days!) Everyone is invited! We will have a parade, songs and full bellies! Please arrive by 11:15am, the children will starting parading in one class at a time with a little performance at 11:30am. We will need at least one family member present as we will be dismissing from the feast at 12:30pm.

What's on the menu?! Turkey, of course! We will have turkey sandwiches, chips, carrots & celery, applesauce, hot apples and pumpkin pie!!

Be on the lookout for a special invitation from your child! Please RSVP!!

The classes will celebrate on the following days:

Wednesday, Nov. 20th: MW 18mo, MWF 2, MWF 3 and M-Th 3
 Thursday, Nov. 21st: TTh 2, TThF 2, TThF 3, M-Th 4, M-F 4 and PreK Plus

Pop Tabs

Did you know we collect pop tabs to donate to Ronald McDonald House? With the holidays coming up, be sure to grab those tabs from cans & send them in your child's tote in a Ziplock bag!

Keep it Clean!

Wash your child's tote bag & lunch box thoroughly! Thank you!! Thank you for your continued vigilance in keeping your child home when you suspect illness. All of us appreciate and benefit from these efforts

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Many Thanks!

In this month of giving thanks, I am so very grateful for you and your beautiful children, the chance to be a part of their lives every day and for your support of SPC Preschool. We are grateful for parents like you who inspire a love of learning in their children. This Thanksgiving, I hope that you are surrounded by the love of family and friends and showered from above with many, many blessings!

Warmest,
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