

September Newsletter

SPC Preschool

Sept. 3, 2024

Hi Parents,

Welcome to another wonderful year here at SPC Preschool! I am thrilled to have your children filling the preschool hall with sounds of joy & laughter! I feel blessed to witness their enthusiasm and growth every single day!

Thank you for all that you have done to assist us as we begin the year: attending Parent Orientation, completing the necessary paperwork, setting up your billing in Brightwheel but most importantly, trusting us with your precious children!

With the first couple weeks under our belts, I hope you know that the days have been good ones for the children! Although a few may cry at carpool, all of the children quickly settle into playing after a few moments in the room. The teachers are there to give hugs and comfort if someone asks about mom & dad. They are enjoying getting to know each other and their teachers. When I visit the rooms, everyone is busy playing and exploring!

Make sure you have notifications turned on for Brightwheel! This is one of the main sources of communication.

This newsletter is the first in our monthly newsletter to keep you informed about what is happening school wide at the Preschool. Please read on for more information!

Carpool

Thank you so much for your patience with carpool in the morning and in the afternoon! With some of the children still adjusting to getting out of the car, we know carpool takes a bit longer. It will become a faster process as we get into the swing of things!

Reminder: Please stay in the car. We will get your children unbuckled and out of the car in the mornings.

In the afternoon, we will put your children in the car. You pull forward out of carline to buckle them before driving off!





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Parent Pop In Days

Our first days to “pop in” to drop off your child will be on:


- Thursday, Sept. 26th
- Friday, Sept. 27th

We will conduct carpool from 9:15am-9:30am. Then from 9:20-9:45am parents may opt to walk in to drop off their child! No walk-ins before 9:20am



Music & Movement


Some children will begin visiting Ms. Jeanne Lyons this week on Sept. 4th. Other children will visit her on Sept. 9th or the 17th! Ms. Jeanne’s creative lessons with emphasis on guitar and interesting stories makes everyone leave Ms. Jeanne with a big smile!



Catholic Seeds

Our first Catholic Seeds lesson is coming up on Sept. 10th & 11th for children in our 2s, 3s, 4s & PreK Plus classes. Ms. Suzanne will meet with the children in our beautiful. This month, she will tell the children the story of Creation. They will learn that God made everything (animals, plants, birds, the sun and the stars...and each of us!) The children will be introduced to making the Sign of the Cross and genuflecting and they will learn about the Tabernacle and what makes this a special items in our church.

Ms. Suzanne will send home a small Parent Newsletter (that will be in your child’s tote bag on the day they have Catholic Seeds) explaining how you can extend your child’s learning about Creation and the Sign of the Cross!



School Spirit Day

Our first School Spirit Day (and early dismissal!) is on Monday, Sept. 16th! Children still bring a lunch.

Wear your SPC Preschool Spirit Shirt! Can’t wait to see everyone showing their school pride!

We dismiss at 12:30pm



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Parent Council Info

Scholastic Book Flyers

September flyers were distributed last week! Scholastic books are a great value and your orders help us purchase books for the preschool! We hope to have at least 3 sets of flyers this year. The first round orders is due Sept. 20. You can order online at Scholastic Book Orders. Our school code is HD337

Mom's Mingle!

Parent Council is happy to sponsor our first Mom's Mingle on Tuesday, Sept. 24th at 6:30pm! Flyer is posted on Brightwheel!

Events coming in October/November {more info coming soon!}

Playdate at the Park: Join us at Mabry Park on Oct. 8th right after carpool

Daddy, Jack and Me: Sunday, Oct. 20

Trunk or Treat: Sunday, Oct. 27

Making Memories with Mom (painting Christmas ornament), Nov. 6 & Nov. 7

PC Donations

Mid September, look for a letter with a return envelope we will be sending to you in your child's tote bag. We collect a donation of \$10/child (\$15/family) that we use for Teacher Appreciation Week!

Class Playdates

We are pleased that so many of you have already enjoyed the chance to meet other parents at the Class Playdates! The remaining dates are:

Tuesday, 9/3: TThF 3s

Wednesday, 9/4: MWF 3s

Thursday 9/5: M-Th 3s

Monday, 9/9: MWF 2s

Tuesday, 9/10: TThF 2s

Wednesday, 9/11: MW 18mos

Thursday, 9/12: TTh 2s



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Preschool Family Portraits

Libby Day Photography is returning again to take beautiful family portraits on Saturday, Sept. 28th from 9am-11am at Barrington Hall.

A flyer went home earlier with the QR link to sign up. Just in case, here's the QR code again.



This is a fundraiser for the preschool & for the Smasherson Foundation!

FYI this is NOT THE SAME as our Fall Picture Day for the children.



From the Director

I have so enjoyed greeting you and your children in carpool every morning!! I am spending time in the classrooms getting to know the children more. What a joy!! The staff and I feel very blessed to have you and your children at SPC Preschool this year! I can't wait to spend more time with the children getting to know each of their personalities. Always contact me if you have any questions!

Warmest blessings,

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SPC Moms Group

Looking for a group of moms with children around the same age as yours?

Come over on Tuesday mornings at 9:30am in Room 1

