

DIRECTOR'S UPDATE: WINTER AT THE PRESCHOOL



JANUARY 2ND 2020 WE RESUME CLASSES AFTER RINGING IN 2020. THE START OF THE NEW YEAR, ALL CLASSES WILL BE LEARNING ABOUT WEATHER. ALTHOUGH WE WILL BE SNOW FREE, WE HAVE COME BACK TO SOME FAIRLY COLD WEATHER FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, BURR! TO EXPERIENCE REAL SNOW, ONE WILL NEED TO TRAVEL A FEW MILES TO OUR MOUNTAIN AREAS. MOST OF THE CHILDREN IN OUR SCHOOL AND MANY THAT LIVE IN OUR FAIR WEATHER HAVE NEVER SEEN SNOW, SO WE MUST IMPROVISE WITH A BIT OF MAKE BELIEVE. WE DO KEEP OUR FAKE SNOW HANDY TO PUT IN OUR SENSORY TUBS! YOU MAY SEE THE CHILDREN THROWING SOFT & FUZZY SNOWBALLS IN MUNCHKIN MUSIC AND TRYING TO CUT SNOWFLAKES IN THEIR CLASSROOMS. YOU GET THE PICTURE? IN SUNNY SAN DIEGO, WE MAKE BELIEVE WEATHER☺

FEBRUARY IS A FUN TIME OF LOVE, HEART SHAPED COOKIES, CHOCOLATE AND VALENTINES APLENTY. OUR VALENTINE PARTIES WILL BE ON THE 12TH AND 13TH THIS YEAR. THE CHILDREN WILL BONE UP ON THERE CUTTING SKILLS AS THE ROOMS WILL HAVE CUT-OUTS OF HEARTS AND VALENTINE CARDS EVERYWHERE. WE ALSO TAKE THIS TIME TO LEARN ABOUT THE POST OFFICE AND MAIL DELIVERY. THE 4'S CLASS DRAW PICTURES, PLACE THEM IN ENVELOPES, STAMP & ADDRESS TO THEMSELVES. THE CLASS WILL THEN WALK TO THE MAIL BOX TOGETHER TO MAIL THEIR SPECIAL LETTER. IN A COUPLE DAYS, TO THEIR SURPRISE, THE LETTER IS DELIVERED TO THEIR HOUSE BY SNAIL MAIL, MOST CHILDREN THIS AGE HAVE NEVER RECEIVED A LETTER ADDRESSED TO THEM; WHAT A NOVELTY IN THIS DAY AND AGE.

PARENT /TEACHER CONFERENCES WILL BE HELD FOR OUR 4'S CLASSES TO HELP ASSIST PARENTS WITH KINDERGARTEN READINESS. AT THE END OF THE MONTH, WE WILL ONCE AGAIN HAVE OUR PRE-REGISTRATION FOR THE FALL OF 2020-21. AS YOU CAN SEE BY OUR CALENDAR, THE NEXT 3 MONTHS ARE A BUSY TIME FOR THE PRESCHOOL WITH MUCH FUN FOR ALL. HAPPY WINTER!!

MARCH IS A QUIET MONTH; HOWEVER ON THE 17TH THE ROOMS HAVE SWEET AND SOMETIMES MESSY VISITS FROM THE LITTLE LEPRECHAUNS! TRAPS ARE PLACED AROUND THE ROOM TO TRY AND CATCH 'EM IF YOU CAN. TREASURES OF GOLD AND GREEN SHOW UP MYSTERIOUSLY ON THE PLAYGROUND TO THE DELIGHT OF OUR PRESCHOOLERS.

JANUARY

7TH KPPA MEETING

6TH & 7TH VISION SCREENING 9:30 A.M.

8TH & 9TH MUNCHKIN MUSIC RESUMES 9:30 A.M. (cont'd next page)

13TH CHAPEL 9:30 A.M.

21ST 4'S FIELD TRIP SEA WORLD 9:00 A.M.

22ND & 23RD Munchkin Music

27TH START COLLECTION OF RUMMAGE

FEBRUARY

1ST RUMMAGE SALE

3RD & 4TH 4'S WALK TO THE MAILBOX

4TH KPPA MEETING

5TH & 6TH Munchkin Music

10TH CHAPEL 9:30 A.M.

12TH & 13TH VALENTINE PARTY CELEBRATIONS, IN EACH CLASSROOM

14TH & 17TH SCHOOL CLOSED TO OBSERVE LINCOLN, WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY AND PRESIDENT'S DAY!

18TH 19TH & 20TH PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES 4'S CLASSES

24TH FALL REGISTRATION 9:00 A.M. IN CHILD'S CLASSROOM. OPEN @ 9:00 FOR ALL CLASSES!

26TH & 27TH Munchkin Music

MARCH

2ND CHAPEL 9:30 A.M.

2ND DEADLINE FOR FALL REGISTRATION

2ND DR. SEUSS BIRTHDAY / CELEBRATE HIS BOOKS ALL WEEK

4TH & 5TH Munchkin Music

17TH DRESS IN FESTIVE GREEN FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY

18TH & 19TH Munchkin Music