

Cherry Hill Pre-School

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Newsletter

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General Reminders

All students returning in September including any student's siblings will be receiving a registration packet next month that must be filled out and returned with the most current information by Orientation Day so your child may start school on time. Feel free to mail them over the summer, mail is collected daily. If you know of anyone interested in our program we have several spots available. Please have them contact me. If you have not registered yet please do so ASAP. The 2019-2020 school year begins with Children's Orientation on Wednesday, September 4, 2019. Regular classes begin Thursday, September 5th.

Spring has hopefully arrived at Cherry Hill Pre-School with the crocuses coming up in our gardens! Please take care as you enter and exit from the building so as not to step in our gardens. We would really appreciate it. Our playground will be cleaned up and set up soon. I know the children are anxious but we have to wait for the ground to dry up. We will let everyone know when we will be going outside. Please do not assume and tell your children they will be going outside before you get to school. That has caused a lot of disappointment.

There are still several outstanding March Enrichment Fees that have not been submitted. Please do so as soon as possible. Thank-you.

Book orders are due no later than Thursday, April 4th

All picture previews are being distributed. Please remember to return with payment no later than Tuesday April 9th.

Letter Pocket pictures for April: S, T, U, V.

Our color for the month is YELLOW and our shape is OVAL.

Mother Nature will visit our classes on Thursday April 11th and Friday April 12th. If you do not attend school on a Thursday or Friday please see Miss Cheryl to let her know you would like to come to see Mother Nature.

No school April 15th-19th for spring vacation.

Mother's Tea-Thursday May 9th. EVERYONE will attend Mother's Tea on this day however there will be a special time set aside for you to attend with your child and there will not be regular classes on this day.

Pre-K students that are entering kindergarten in September be sure to check with your local school department for registering for kindergarten if you have not already done so.

Class News

Letter Pockets for the month of April are **S, T, U, V**. I would like to see every Pre-k student participate each week. We are nearing the end of the alphabet, finishing up letter pockets and our very special book. We will continue discussing

the changes in the season and what happens in nature during the spring season. We will center stories and activities around the season, the shape oval and color yellow. The first 2 weeks we will have some Easter fun! We will also be sending home another book bag activity with our Pre-K friends, beginning mid-month. This book bag encourages you to take a walk outside and observe what's happening in nature. The bag will include a story and a pair of binoculars for the children to use. You will have them draw what they saw in our class journal and you may write what they drew. Have fun!

Mother's Tea May 9, 2019

Mother's Tea is a very special event for you and your student. It is also our favorite time to honor you and see the joy in your child's face on this special day. There are lots of surprises in store for you. Cherry Hill Pre-School provides special snacks and beverages for both you and your student. Your child does not need a lunchbox on that day. **There will not be regular classes on this day.** Your Mother's Tea is Thursday May 9th. **Please note the special time we have for this day.** We will have 2 times set aside for the morning class. You will need to sign up for a time to attend. You will arrive with your child and we will take them in to get ready and then come get you within a few minutes. We will offer a 9:00-10:00am and a 10:45-11:45am tea time. The signup sheet will be on the parent bulletin board by the front door the week of April 22nd. When Mother's Tea is over your student will leave with you. Our afternoon students will arrive with their mom at 12:30pm and Mother's Tea will conclude at 1:30pm where your student will then go home with you. **Please keep in mind that this is a special time set aside for you and your child. Please make every effort to leave other siblings at home. Unfortunately due to the nature of this event it would be very uncomfortable for your child to attend alone. If you cannot attend you might consider sending a grandmother, aunt or another female who is close to your child. Please let me know if you will not be attending and if someone else will be taking your place.** Thank you.