March 2021 Newsletter

**Preschool Registration Fall 2021 starts 3/15/21!**

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# Special Easter Chapel in the Sanctuary

It’s time to start planning for the new school year in the fall! Please stop by the office after 3/15/21 to pick up the new school registration packet. The early bird registration fee is $75 per student. By paying for the fall registration now, you are saving $10! The price will go up on April 30th. **Refer a Friend:** When you refer a friend to our preschool for our fall 2021 school year & they sign up, you will receive 1 week of free Lunch Bunch! Please encourage your friends and family to consider taking a tour today!

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**The Carnival is Coming!**

Come see our playground transform into a fun Carnival atmosphere for one morning only on March 4, 2021! We will have booths set up all around the playground with games for the children to play. They will use tickets given to them that day as part of the experience. Games will include Football Toss, Duck Float, Fishing Pond, Bean Bag Toss, Watermelon Bowling, Sprite Bottle Ring Toss, Cereal Necklaces, Lollipop Tree, Shoot the Moon Basketball and many more! Hope to see you there (especially to help)!

Join us for a very special Easter chapel time in the large Sanctuary on Thursday, March 25th. Due to COVID restrictions, we have not been able to meet for our weekly family chapel times… but we are making a special fieldtrip exception! The beautiful architecture and ambiance of the Sanctuary will take your breath away. Please join us at drop off time. You won’t want to miss it!

# Spring is in the air!

**Parent Satisfaction Survey:**

Our hearts are full with gratitude and appreciation for the families here at First Presbyterian Preschool. We are pleased to announce the parent satisfaction survey results. Eleven responses were collected out of the 18 children enrolled. The responses indicated that the program is meeting the needs of the families and that they believe the general atmosphere is friendly, cooperative and welcoming. Many stated that the strengths include the nurturing staff and focusing on giving the children 1-on-1 care. Thank you for your responses and support. It is all very encouraging, positive and helpful! We will take this information back to our Preschool Board and use it for future planning purposes to make our program even better!

### First Presbyterian Preschool

Mesa, AZ

March 1, 2021

# This Month’s Volunteer Opportunity

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Monday

Plant an herb or vegetable garden together

Tuesday

Make up silly songs to sing and laugh!

Wednesday

Mix up some alphabet cards and have fun quizzing your child (out of sequence, of course)

Thursday

Take a trip to the park to look for shamrocks

Friday

Let them clean out their own toy box to donate unwanted toys and books

 **Volunteer with the Carnival**

Please consider volunteering to help set up the booths for the carnival, help to man the booths while the kids play, & cleaning up the play yard when all is said and done! The time commitment is from 9am-11:30am on 3/4/21. The more hands that help, the easier it will be! Please let Ms Shiloh know if you can help.

# Daily Support for your Preschooler

## Reminders to families

* Tuition is due on the 1st of each month. Please remember to turn it in on time. If it is turned in after the 10th of the month, you will be charged a $20 late fee per week. Also, just as a reminder: **We require a 2 week notice of departure for your child when you plan to leave the preschool or you will be charged the full rate.** We appreciate your help with this. Thank you!

**Spring Cleaning?**

* Are you thinking about spring cleaning at your house? We would love to have old newspapers, outgrown 3T & 4T pants or shorts, used underwear, etc. Thank you!

There have been many families who have forgotten to bring snack on their assigned day. If this happens to you, please plan to bring snack the next day to replenish our emergency snack supplies. Thank you!

**SNACKTIME Reminder:**

**Donation requests:**

* Girls & Boys 2T, 3T, 4T underwear
* 3 oz paper water cups (lots!)

#### Attention & Correction!

 **Spring Picture day will be on April 8th, not on the 22nd. Since we cancelled the Fall pictures, we will be doing entire class pictures during this time.**

## A look Ahead…

As always, our doors are always open to you, please feel free to share any thoughts or concerns with any of us.



**School Closures**

**1. The week of March 8-12**

Spring Break- NO SCHOOL

**2. Good Friday – April 2**

No School- Happy Easter! ![MC900446226[1]]()

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