

April 2025 News

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Vision Screening—**New Format**

The Bucks County Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired will be at school on April 7 and 8 for vision screening. **All children will be screened, unless an “OPT OUT” form is submitted prior to the screening.** Info/opt out forms will go home in folders this week. Donations are encouraged and the association provides a QR code for your convenience. With their state-of-the-art tool, the screening takes less than 10 seconds per child and is a very valuable opportunity. Each year, this screening flags multiple students who may be in need of corrective action. We can't stress enough how simple and worthwhile this evaluation is!

Thank You

Thank you for your kind and thoughtful donations to our Safe Stuff Collection. Many will benefit from your generosity! A million thanks for the wonderful and overwhelming response!

Tuition

April will be the last month to pay tuition for most families, as May was collected at time of registration. Completed payment envelopes will be returned shortly and should be saved carefully for tax time.



Donation Item of the Month—Tissues/Paper Towels

Thanks so much for your consideration in donating a box or two of tissues or a roll or two of paper towels during the month of April. We have “blown through” our stash of tissues and wiped away all the winter germs with our paper towels! Children who donate will be entered in the Donation-Item-of-the-Month Book Drawing. Thank you in advance for your generosity!



Memory Books

We have noticed that over recent years, some families are starting "school memory books" for teachers to sign at the end of each school year. We are more than happy to take part; please start sending in those books NOW. As you can imagine, our school days are very busy and the end of the school year is jam-packed. It may take teachers several days to return your books with thoughtful handwritten messages; we want to avoid the last-minute rush! Books, if desired, should be sent in by **May 6th** and will be returned before our regular school year concludes. Please be respectful of this date. Books that come in after this date may have to be picked up later in June.

Parent Conferences

Spring Parent Conferences will be held on Thursday, May 8. There is no school for students on this day to accommodate conferences. Be on the lookout for a Sign-Up Genius email to arrive shortly to schedule your time with your child's teacher. We look forward to celebrating all of our students' accomplishments!

Tax Info

Our tax ID number is **23-2435162**. To compute total amount of 2024 tuition paid, multiply this year's monthly payment by 4 and add to 5 times last school year's monthly payment, if your child was in school. If you have tax documents for me to sign, please have all computations completed before submitting. If you need to contact me with tax concerns, please do so promptly. I may not be able to assist with last-minute requests.

Important Dates

April 3—**COLOR CRUSH** DAY for Step One

April 4— **COLOR CRUSH** for all other classes; Yay for Yoga

April 7/8—Vision Screening (Check teacher calendar for your child's day)

April 9-16-23—Fun Frolics

April 17-21 -- No school--Spring Break

April 25—Hot Lunch Friday for Kindergarten

April 29—Kindergarten Walking Trip to Broad Commons Park

May 7—Half Day for Kindergarten

May 8—Spring Parent Conferences; No School

May 19--Park/Certificate Day for Step 2, PreK, and Kindg (half day for Kn dg); Families invited

May 20--Park/Certificate Day for Step 1; Families invited

May 21--Last day of "Regular School" for M/W/F classes

May 22--Last day of school for Step 1 and 5-Day PreK

May 23 and May 26--No school for Kindg (Memorial Day Long weekend)

May 27--Full Day for Kindg; "Moving On" Ceremony in PM

May 28--Kindg last day (half day)

June 3-6--BBLC Summer Fun Camp "CIRCUS"

