

February 2022 Newsletter

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Feeling the LOVE...

Thanks to all of our families for their continued cooperation and support. January was indeed a challenging month with the Omicron surge. We are thankful for your patience and understanding as we navigated new guidance and made the best decisions we could for our school. We appreciated every sweet comment, email, and note of encouragement. They mean more than you know.



Donation Item of the Month...Hand Sanitizer

Thanks for all the paper towels! We will use every roll! During the month of February, we will be collecting **pump bottles of HAND SANITIZER**. We are so appreciative of all donations and will enter all donors in a Free Book Drawing at the end of the month! Congratulations to Kiersten in PreK, winner of the January drawing!

Valentine's Day...Let's show LOVE for our classmates!

Classroom parties are scheduled for Wednesday, February 10 and 14. If you signed up to help with party treats, reminder slips already came home in folders. **Don't forget to wear your Valentine RED AND PINK!!**



Guidelines for Valentine cards were sent home previously. One simple thing to kindly remember--**NOTHING EDIBLE**. Cards are due for Step One by 2/8, and for all other classes by 2/11. Consult info sheet for more details.

Reminder about Held Seats...

If your child's seat for next school year is being held with an \$80 registration fee, the May 2023 tuition deposit is due by **March 1**. Reminders will be sent soon. If you've had a change in plans, and your child will not be returning next school year, please let me know ASAP. Kindly make note of this due date to avoid disappointment, and make me aware of any special financial circumstances.

Cloth masks...

As you may have heard, the CDC recommends upgrading your child's cloth mask to a multiple-ply disposable type, or KN95/KF94. I purchased about two hundred kid-sized disposables for the school, and if you would like to have a few sent home for your child, simply send me an email and I'll pop them in your child's folder.



Make Up Days and Summer Fun Camp...

Mark your calendars...we will be making up the two extra days of closure after the holiday break. Tuesday, May 31 and Wednesday, June 1 will now be regular school days. Our Summer Fun Camp will be held Monday, June 6th through Thursday, June 9th. Much more info to follow--camp is ALWAYS a hoot!



General Tax Notes:

- Our EIN # is **23-2435162**, for those who need it for tax purposes. To calculate total tuition payment for 2021, multiply this school year's monthly payment by four (September to December) and add to 5 times (January to May) last school year's monthly payment, if your child was in school.

Important Dates...

- February 2 --Groundhog Day
- February 8--Valentine Cards due for Step One classes
- February 8--Tuition due
- February 11--Valentine Cards due for all other classes
- February 10/14-- Valentine Parties--please have children wear their Valentine colors!
- February 18 & 21 -- **School Closed**--Presidents' Day Long Weekend
- March 1--Deposits Due for next year's enrollment
- May 31 and June 1--Make up days
- June 6 though 9--Summer Fun Camp

