

# November

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### November

The month of swirling leaves, early sunsets, turkey feathers, the smell of pumpkin pie and giving thanks for our many blessings! Just like the little squirrels on our playground, we too will be very busy this month! Our 'Thankful' discussions and projects this month will lead up to our classroom Thanksgiving Celebrations! We will perform a quick fingerplay & song at dismissal - details and date will be sent home via backpacks.



### Scholastic Books

Thank you for your continued participation in our Scholastic Book Clubs. Several flyers will come home this month and next, in anticipation of the holidays. Many include great selections for holiday gift-giving. Should you want to order any items and stash them away for holiday gifts, just give your child's teacher the heads up and we will gladly get them to you without your child's knowledge!



### Registration

Believe it or not, November is the month that we begin to assess our needs for next year. Inquiries about our school have already begun and we are setting up tours between now and the end of the year for families interested in attending our school during the 2024/2025 school year. Our BBLC families have always been our best sources of advertising, if you know of a family that is looking for a preschool for next fall, please invite them to give us a call soon and schedule a visit. Our own families will be able to register current students, as well as siblings, for next year in December. Open seats will be available to the public beginning January 2, 2024.



**DONATION OF THE MONTH** We were positively overwhelmed by your generosity throughout the month of October. We are blessed with such thoughtful families. In keeping with this time of the year we offer a humble and heartfelt thank you! The optional donation this month: napkins or baby wipes



## Election Day

This is a reminder that Building Blocks Learning Center **WILL BE CLOSED ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> FOR ELECTION DAY.** St. Peter's church (BBLC) becomes a polling location, and the logistics of the building are not conducive to school/children. School will resume on Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.



## Parent-Teacher Conferences

This is a reminder that Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup> is our IN-PERSON CONFERENCE DAY. **There are no classes for the children on this day.** Conferences will be arranged using Sign-Up Genius. **These are PARENT-ONLY conferences.** If you are unable to attend the November 27<sup>th</sup> in-person conference day, your child's teacher will be in touch to schedule an alternate date/time (ie - before or after school). If an in-person conference is completely out of the question, a phone conference can be arranged.



## Thanksgiving Holidays

BBLC will be closed from Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> for the Thanksgiving holiday. Monday, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> will be our School-wide conference day and there are **no classes for the children.** Classes will resume on Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>.

Enjoy your holiday family time! The staff of BBLC wishes you a Happy Thanksgiving! We are so very grateful for our wonderful families who share their most precious blessings, their children, with us!

## November Reminders:

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Step One Family Quilt Square due and full-length days begin (dismissal at 11:45am for remainder of year)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> PreK Turkey Disguise due
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Step Two turkey feather due
- 7<sup>th</sup> NO SCHOOL ~ Election Day
- 8<sup>th</sup> Doylestown Hospital 'Mindfulness' assembly 1pm (PreK only)
- 10<sup>th</sup> PreK Report Cards Distributed
- 10<sup>th</sup> PreK tee shirt money due (\$3)
- 17<sup>th</sup> Step One 1<sup>st</sup> Show-n-Tell
- 17<sup>th</sup> Scholastic Book Order due
- 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> Classroom Thanksgiving Celebrations
- 20<sup>th</sup> PreK Show-n-Tell day
- 29<sup>th</sup> Step Two Show-n-Tell day
- 22<sup>nd</sup> thru 24<sup>th</sup> NO SCHOOL ~ THANKSGIVING BREAK
- 27<sup>th</sup> NO SCHOOL - PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
- 28<sup>th</sup> Classes Resume

...BUT WAIT!!!! THERE'S MORE 😊



Yep, I can't believe I'm saying it either, but.....

**THE HOLIDAYS** will be here before we know it! I want to give everyone plenty of advance notice of our upcoming Festivities!

### Step One - Mommy & Me Holiday Gingerbread Event

**Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup> @ 10am**

Children arrive at normal time (9am), mommies arrive promptly at 10am for some deliciously sweet, decorating fun! We'll be singing and dancing to a few holiday songs ~ you won't want to miss it! Details will come home in the next few weeks.

### Step Two - Holiday Sing-a-Long

**Wednesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30am**

Children arrive at normal time (9am), guests (maximum 6 per student) will promptly take their seats in the 'Big Room' and await the 9:30 performance! Details will come home in the next few weeks.

### PreK - Holiday Sing-a-Long

**Wednesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> @ 11:30am**

Children arrive at 11am, guests (maximum 6 per student) will promptly take their seats in the 'Big Room' and await the 11:30 performance! Details will come home in the next few weeks.



The Holidays are all about family, togetherness, and joy.....  
and wherever the presents and cookies are!!