

Best Beginnings Preschool Family Newsletter May 2019



May is our last full month of school for the year. It's hard to believe that the school year is almost over. We'd like to thank Father Jim for taking time to plant seeds with our classes last month. This was a fun activity for our students to do after our planting, seed, spring themes. This month the 3's will enjoy a trip to Kelsey Creek Farm to see the farm animals. Our PreK and TK classes will head to Brackett's Landing and Marina Beach in Edmonds to hunt for moon snails, sea stars and many other sea life creatures. All of our classes will celebrate moms at our Mother's Day Teas this month. *Happy May! ~ Kerry*

Dad's Night

Thank you to all the Dad's for joining us for your special night with your child. We had two wonderful evenings with dad's during April. Dad's and their child worked on special gifts that will be given to mom's at our Mother's Day Tea.



Mother's Day Teas

Our Mother's Day Teas are coming up next week. This is a special time to celebrate moms and all the wonderful things you do for your children. Please note the teas are for moms and the enrolled child, no siblings. Nursing babies are of course welcome. Moms, please be sure that you are here on time. We have multiple teas scheduled each day, so we need to keep things moving along. The children get upset if they don't see mom at the start of the tea. For those of you who have children with various food allergies, the cake being served contains gluten and may or may not be totally nut free. Would you provide us with something that would work for your child, please?



May Tuition

All tuition is due by Thursday, May 9th. This is the last tuition payment for the school year. Please help us out and make your payment on time.



Thank You

A Big Thank You to Jade Blank! This year Jade took on the roll as our Scholastic Book volunteer for the entire school. Jade has done a great job putting flyers together, collecting and inputting book orders, and making sure the right book makes it to each student. We greatly appreciate all of Jade's hard work on behalf of Best Beginnings.



Graduation for our PreK and TK classes will take place June 4-11. Please check your child's individual class calendar for specific information. Formal invitations will be sent home a couple weeks prior. On Graduation Day, children come to school for graduation only. Each family is asked to bring a finger food item to share at the reception following the ceremony. Beverages will be provided.

Mother's Day Tea Schedule

<u>Tuesday, May 7</u> 9:15 am– Corrine/Siobhan TThF 10:45 am– Lori/Paula TTh 12:15 pm– Stephanie/Janelle TThF



Upcoming Dates

- 5/7-5/9 Mother's Day Teas (check class calendar for specific information)
- 6/4 Graduation Day TThF PreK (Stephanie)
- 6/6 Last day for TTh 3's (Lori), TThF 3's (Corrine), TThF PreK (Stephanie)

Graduation Day TWThF PreK (Karen)

• 6/7 Last day for MWF 3's (Lori) & TWThF PreK (Karen)

Graduation Day MWF PreK (Joi) & MTThF PM PreK (Joi)

TK comes to school for a make-up day

- 6/10 Last day for MW 3's (Corrine) & PM PreK (Joi)
- 6/11 Graduation Day TK (Marjorie)

All School Picnic 11-1pm @ Cottage Lake Park <u>Wednesday, May 8</u> 9:15 am– Corrine/Siobhan MW 10:45 am– Lori/Monika MWF 12:15 pm– Joi, Francy, Siobhan MWF

<u>Thursday, May 9</u> 9:15 am– Marjorie/Andrea TK 12:15 pm– Karen/Magda TWThF 2:30 pm– Joi/Monika MTThF pm

Monthly Happenings Church of the Holy Cross

Dear Parents,

Before Easter, we had fun together planting zucchini squash seeds. They have sprouted in my office, and are growing strong for their journey to Food Bank Farm. There we will transplant them to grow fresh produce for area food banks. Hopelink volunteers will come to the fields beginning mid July to harvest twice a week. If you have a child who is curious about the natural world, I invite you to come to the farm or attend the summer day camp we will host there. Our gates are always open for a visit. Contact me, Fr. Jim Eichner for more info 425-223-7249

