

October in Preview 2021

October 8th- Field trip to Luther Farms. Please arrive by 9:50 am-we are scheduled for a 10:00 hayride. They will also have a craft activity, snack & story time, petting zoo, corn pool, hay maze and a pumpkin cannon!! The cost of the fieldtrip is **\$ 5.00 per person (adults need to pay also)** and children under 2 are free. (Or \$15.00 per family) **CASH ONLY Please!!** **Permission** slips and your \$\$\$ will be due by **Monday 4th** so I can give them an accurate number of children and adults attending. We will be collecting the money and permission slips for this field trip at the sign-in table during drop-off and pick-up time. Remember, you do not have to participate in this activity if you cannot make arrangements to bring your child. More information for Luther's Farm can be found @ www.lutherfarms.com :Rain or Shine! Siblings are also invited- just make sure an accurate number of children participating is recorded.

October 11th- Dog Day. We will have a furry guest visit our classrooms this morning to "Hang Out" with us. We will take this opportunity to teach the children about pet responsibility and learn some safety lessons about approaching dogs that we don't know. Please let me know if you have a concern with this.

October 13th -Donuts with Dad is on this year! Bring Dad or another special man to school Wednesday morning at 8:45 am to share donuts together! If Dad is unable to attend, your child may bring Grandpa or another family member. If this is not your regular day to attend, you may take your child home when our morning concludes around 9:15 am.

October 18th - Book Orders Due. You will have the opportunity to order books every month through this wonderful book club. The books are priced at a very reasonable rate, and the school receives bonus points for every book purchased. You are not obligated to purchase anything. We have set-up an online account through Scholastic-Just go to www.bookclubs@scholastic.com and set up an account. Our class Activation Code is **H8L9Y**. This will be the easiest and most convenient way for our parents to order books. This order will arrive in plenty of time before Halloween.

Wednesday, October 27th - Picture Day. Teddy Bear Photography will be taking our Preschool pictures this year. They will be taking one close-up of your child with a Fall backdrop and one group shot with your child's class and teachers. If you wish to purchase pictures, please fill out the form that will be placed in your child's cubby and return it with your payment by Picture Day. Other family members and even pets can join in on the fun and get their picture taken too!

Friday, October 29th - Harvest Party! All the children are invited for this special day! All children will arrive at our normal time of 9:00am dressed in their costume ready for some fun! Because of our Covid protocols, we will not be asking any parents and siblings to participate in our morning activities but there will be a sign-up sheet available for snack items that will be needed. ***This is a Christian Preschool, so please discourage your child from wearing anything scary or inappropriate. No Weapons PLEASE***

Chapel Lesson- This month in Chapel with Pastor Bill the children will continue to learn about "Jonah and that BIG fish"

Follow-up News:

*Please send a coat or jacket with your child to school for our "chilly" days we go outside. A name clearly marked on the inside would be very helpful with our younger students.

* LUNCH BUNCH- every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:30 am-1:00 pm. Cost is \$6.00 per student per day. ****Punch cards are available to purchase or \$6.00 cash at pick-up.** All you need to do is bring a packed lunch and sign your child up at the lunch-bunch table. (A few days in advance would be appreciated)

****Scholastic Topics:** Pumpkins and Firefighters in our Community

****October Mission:** We will be making Home-Made dog treats to bag up for **Pay It Forward For Pets** in the valley. They will be sold on a donation option and all the money raised from our treats will go towards their Critical Care Program that helps fund critical care surgeries and procedures for rescue dogs. They are also in need of grocery plastic bags and old towels and blankets soooo look around the linen closet and see if you have any to add to our pile.

