

Hope Lutheran Preschool News

November 2014

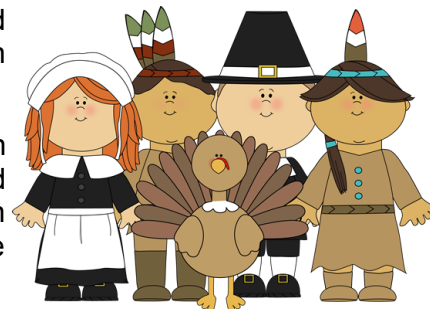
A Time of Thanksgiving...



October was a very busy month of exploring apples and pumpkins inside and out. Art projects dealing with leaves, scarecrows, pumpkins, bats & spiders adorn our hallways.

The preschool students also learned about Community Helpers in October. The Wake Forest Fire Department brought over a fire truck to visit with all of our classes. Everyone has practiced fire drills at school and also what to do if their clothes should catch on fire: **STOP, DROP & ROLL!**

During November all classes will focus on things for which they are thankful! God continues to bless us each and every day in many ways. God is good in all things, all the time!

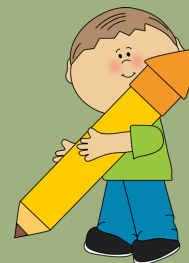


Important Dates to Remember

- * November 1—Tuition Due
- * November 4 & 5—Stay & Play
- * November 7—Book orders due
- * November 11—Teacher Workday, no classes
- * November 18 & 19—Stay & Play
- * November 21—Parents' Night Out
- * November 26-28—Thanksgiving Break

Upcoming in December

- * December 9 & 10—Stay & Play
- * December 17-19—Christmas Programs
- * December 22-January 1—Christmas Break
- * January 2—Teacher Workday



Parents' Night Out

It's your favorite night—Parents' Night Out! Bring your children, ages 18 months to 12 years to us, and enjoy an evening out on Friday, November 21st from 5:30pm - 8:30pm. Our staff will provide childcare, as well as age appropriate activities and dinner (chicken nuggets, grapes, chips + cookie). Cost is \$15.00 per child. Look for flyers with a registration form attached to go home soon. Return the form with your payment to the front desk to reserve your spot. Space is limited and is on a first come, first served basis.





Teacher Workday November 11

Lunch Bunch and Stay & Play

New sign up sheets have gone home for November's Lunch Bunch and Stay & Play. Dates for Stay & Play are November 4 & 5 and 18 & 19. See Angela or Regina to sign up or with any questions.



Preschool T-Shirts

For those of you who didn't place an order, but would like a T-shirt, we have several extra shirts in size small and x-small. Shirts are \$3.75 each. Please see Angela or Regina if interested.



School Pictures

Your child's pictures should arrive soon. We will have spring pictures taken in March. Thank you for your purchases and support! We will also take class pictures beginning in April.

Lunch Reminders



Please remember the following when packing your child's lunch for school:

- Put all cold foods into a ziplock bag labeled with child's name, date and teacher.
- Place ziplock bag in the lunch bin outside your classroom door.
- Non refrigerated items need to be kept in your child's lunchbox and put in their cubbie.
- No nut products, including Nutella.
- Hot foods in thermoses are not allowed. We are not able to heat items up for lunch.
- Cold packs are not sufficient, foods will still have to be refrigerated.
- Thermoses containing milk will have to be refrigerated.
- No hand sanitizer, please do not attach to lunch boxes or backpacks.

Thank you for your cooperation with sanitation policies!

What is it like to be a Christian?

A woman was asked by a co-worker, "What is it like to be a Christian?" The co-worker replied, "It is like being a pumpkin. God picks you from the patch, brings you in, and washes all the dirt off of you. Then He cuts off the top and scoops out all the yucky stuff. He removes the seeds of doubt, hate, greed, etc., and then He carves you a new smiling face and puts His light inside of you to shine for all the world to see."



Playground Reminder

Please remember to follow the rules posted on the fence when using the playground before and after school. These rules are there for the safety of the children. We also ask that if you are going to stay after school to play, please stay inside the playground area. It is not safe for the children to play around the shed or near the parking lot. Thank you for your cooperation!



Hope Kids Care



For the month of November we will be collecting **Non-Perishable Food Items** to give to families in need this Holiday season. We will be working with Hope's Brown Bag Ministry to fill Thanksgiving Dinner Bags for families in November, as well as donating to local food banks. Please place donations in the blue bins located at the Preschool entrances. Thank you for your support!

November Birthdays

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| Hannah Chang | November 1 |
| Tristan Edwards | November 1 |
| Mason Kinton | November 2 |
| Christopher Parise | November 2 |
| Lily Ellis | November 8 |
| Owen Johnson | November 9 |
| Bryce Mercadante | November 9 |
| Ethan Grant | November 10 |
| Savannah Breemes | November 12 |
| Miss Regina | November 14 |
| Lily Rivera-Sanders | November 18 |
| Jeddy Romig | November 18 |
| Jaden Tompkins | November 19 |
| Hannah Anweiler | November 21 |
| Samuel Dawson | November 21 |
| Sophia Sharpstene | November 22 |
| Ellie Anderson | November 23 |
| Taylor Bracali | November 24 |
| Eden Kim | November 24 |
| Lily Harris | November 29 |



Chapel

Chapel is a special time of praise & worship with Pastor Puls, Pastor Upchurch, Krista Young and Beth Agner. All parents and siblings are invited to share in this special time from 9:30-9:45 every Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thank You!!

Thank you to all Teacher Appreciation volunteers for bringing special Treats in October. The Preschool Teachers and Staff are thankful for all you do!

Student Spotlight



Miss Jamie's class doing a science experiment!



The 2's learning about fire safety from the WFFD!



Miss Fran's Class cleaning out their pumpkins!