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THE COUNTRY WOODLAND CONNECTION 2016

Theme This Month: Down on the Farm



WEATHER ALERT

Since the weather is getting cooler, all of our students need to bring in a warmer change of clothes to leave in their classroom. We still go outside even when it is chilly, so a jacket is recommended daily. Please remember our policy; if your child is well enough to attend school, then he/she must go outside with the rest of their class.



HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

We have many awesome activities planned for fall. One of them being a Halloween party on Mon. Oct. 31. Sign-up sheets will be posted in each room. Please pay special attention to any allergies that may be present in your child's class. We understand that it may not be possible for all goodies to accommodate these allergies, but if you do make something homemade, it is helpful to include the ingredient list. Please ask your child's teacher if you have any questions. Please do not feel obligated to bring in treats. On the 31st we also have a dress up Halloween parade around our front horseshoe then the 3s and 4s go over to Leewood Nursing home to perform a Halloween singing show. The 3s and 4s will also be taking field trips to Burke Nursey and the infants, toddler and 2s and will enjoy a pumpkin patch right here on the Playground. See the attachment for more details for days and times of these special events.

SCHOLASTIC BOOKS was a huge success! We earned many points for each class to receive free books. Attached is the order form for October. Remember, books make great gifts and the holidays are right around the corner!

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Here are the email addresses for the office. Good communication is very important. Please know our door is always open if you have any questions or concerns. We do our best to quickly respond to emails however sometimes we may be covering a classroom, walking around the rooms, doing a tour, etc. For urgent matters, if you feel you haven't received a response within a reasonable amount of time, please give us a call.

REMINDER, Tuition is due Wednesday of each week to avoid the \$15 late fee. Thanks for your consistent on-time payment!

FALL FUNDRAISER

CW is doing a Gourmet Delights fundraiser just in time for Thanksgiving. Prices are reasonable and we think there is something for everyone! Packets including details are attached. Proceeds will go towards playground equipment.

PLAYGROUND POLICY

Written with the support of our licensing representative a few years ago, with your Childs safety in mind, it is the policy of Country Woodland that parents not enter our playground. Please go to the side gate located behind the main office and a staff member will retrieve your child for you. We apologize for any inconvenience, but hope you understand this is for precautionary measures and helps us maintain order on our especially large playground.

BUG SPRAY/SUN SCREEN

Bug spray and/or sun screen should be taken home for the season. Teachers will bag it up, label it, and set it out on the table in your child's classroom for you to get. If it has not been taken home in the next few days, we will have to throw it out. Thank you.

MONTHLY REMINDERS...

- *Mon. 10/10 CLOSED for Columbus Day
- Thurs. 10/13 Ident-a-kid 9:45
- * Fri. 10/14 Burke Pumpkin Patch –Tigers & Owls leave @ 9:30
- *Mon. 10/17 Burke Pumpkin Patch—Sea Pals leave @ 9:30
- *Wed. 10/26 @ 10:30 Puppet Show
- *Mon. 10/31 Halloween Dress-Up, & parties, Outdoor parade @ 9:30, Leewood @ 10:00 for 3s & 4s

BACKPACK PUPPETS

A good ol' fashioned Down on the Farm show will be here on 10/26 at 10:30 presented by Joe Pipick and his backpack puppets! This is an amazing, realistic puppet show that incorporates life lessons into fun adventures.

EXTRA, EXTRA, READ ALL ABOUT IT!!!

NEW FACES

You may have noticed a few new friendly faces around here lately! We are so happy to have Ms. Sara in The Sea Pals Class in the afternoon and Ms. Sabrina in The Rainforest Friends Class in the afternoon. Both are so sweet, kind and full of energy. They join us after classes in the morning but may sub in the mornings when available. Ms. Linda joins The Cuddle Bugs in the afternoons. She has TONS of childcare experience and early childhood education, is gentle, and genuinely loves children. We are still interviewing for that special person to join our Rainforest Friends full time with Ms. Dawn and Ms. Lema. Interviews have been going well and a decision should be made very soon.

IDENT-A-KID

IDENT-A-KID is an optional child identification program that will be at CW on 10/13 at 9:45. They weigh, measure, photograph and fingerprint your child, then transfer the information onto something similar to a credit card that you keep with you in case of an emergency. Again, this is an optional service. Application forms will be sent home soon with more information. Turn into the office once completed, if you would like your child to participate.

INVITATION POLICY

To keep things fair and make sure there are no hurt feelings, if you choose to pass out invitations here (for birthday parties, etc.) please invite the entire class or at least all of the boys or all of the girls. If you choose to only invite a few children from a class, the office can give you the home addresses and you are welcome to mail them. Thanks for your cooperation.

**REMINDER!!! COUNTRY WOODLAND WILL BE CLOSED
MONDAY, OCTOBER 10 FOR COLUMBUS DAY! HAVE A
GREAT LONG WEEKEND!**

*"If you bungle raising
your children, I don't
think whatever else you
do matters very much."*

- *Jacqueline Kennedy
Onassis*

