



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Picture Days

Picture Days will be on **Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> through Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Pictures will start around 8:00am. Please send your child to school wearing the outfit you would like them to be photographed in and if you wish, we will change them after they have taken their picture.

Digital proofs will be emailed directly to you to view and purchase within two to three days of picture day!

**Be on the lookout for an email titled Pictures Days for more details.**



### School Closed

School will be **CLOSED** on **Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup>** for our Annual Staff Continuing Education Day. This is an opportunity for our entire team to continue to grow and improve to provide the best experience for your children, including reviewing our safety and emergency procedures! Thank you for your continuous support and efforts!!



### Scholastic Book Club

March Scholastic book order forms are available by the sign in/out books and are **due Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup>**.

Please drop your order form and payment in the box in the office or order online at:

[www.scholastic.com/bookclubs](http://www.scholastic.com/bookclubs)

**Our school activation code is: GKJ9B**



### Room 5 Parent/Teacher Conferences

Due to the current pandemic, optional Room 5 parent teacher phone conferences will be provided on **Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup>**. If interested, we would like to give you the opportunity to schedule a phone conference with your child's teacher to discuss your child's development.

*Phone conferences are not our preferred method for conferences, but due to the pandemic, it is the best option for the time being.*

**If interested, please call the school by tomorrow, Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> to schedule a phone conference time.**

### Daylight Saving Time

Daylight Saving Time begins **Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup>**. The beginning of daylight-saving time can cause sleep problems for the whole family. Younger children (and parents) will especially struggle after "springing forward." Making some small changes to your child's sleep schedule beforehand can help cushion the transition.

### CURRICULUM

The following are common topics that may emerge this month: "Spring Weather" (clouds, rain, and the wind), "Birds", "Flowers/Sprouting Seeds" (gardening), "Animals that Hatch from Eggs", and "the Concept of Big and Small". We will also be celebrating Dr. Seuss's Birthday, which is Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, and will be celebrating all month long!

*We will also be observing the incubation of chicken eggs. We will let you know as soon as they arrive.*

### REFERRAL REMINDER

1. \$100 tuition credit to the referring family for each referral that pays the registration fee and at least one month's tuition.
2. For new parents who enroll, we will apply their paid registration fee to their first month tuition, saving them \$140.

You get a bonus, the new family gets a bonus, and the school gets a new family, EVERYBODY WINS! If you refer a family, please let the office know or ask the referral to mention your name so you do not miss out on your credit. As always, thanks for spreading the word!

### PARKING REMINDERS

We understand that drop off and pick up can be a little hectic with our limited parking, especially during the 8:15-9:00am and the 2:30-3:00pm busy times; therefore, it is imperative that everyone observes and follows the parking guidelines below to allow for a smooth morning drop off and afternoon pick-up.

- **When parking in the front driveway, please pull all the way forward and parking straight to one side following the painted lines. This will allow for cars to pass as needed.**
- The front driveway is for quick drop offs and pickups only.
- If you want to touch base with the office or your child's teacher, please park in the front 20-minute parking on the street (except Thursdays due to street sweeping in the morning) or in the back-parking lot.
- When parking in the back or front, please do not block the large white gate to the parking lot or block the driveway itself.
- Street sweeping is on Thursday mornings, so do not park on the street in the morning hours.
- Observe colored curb zones that are painted to indicate parking prohibition and restrictions. Parking in the red creates unsafe blind spots for other drivers.

### LOOKING INTO APRIL

\* **Monday-Friday April 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>** - "Week of the Young Child"

\* **Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**- School Closes @ 4pm for Staff Development

\* **The following events have been canceled due to the current pandemic.**

- Preschool Field Trip to Tanaka Farms
- Spring Family Fest - Due to the cancellation of this event, we will operate at regular hours on this day 7:00am to 6:00pm. **We will not be closing at 4:00pm in preparation of the event.**

