



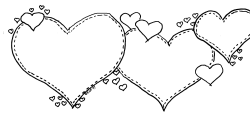
Bits and Pieces

2010-2011 Registration

Registration for currently enrolled families, alumni families and church families will begin on Monday, February 8th. Information packets will be emailed to all currently enrolled families. If you are not on our email list you may call to request a packet or they will be available that morning, in the office. Registration for new families will begin on Monday, March 1st.

Spring Break

Preschool will be CLOSED for Spring Break: March 8 - 12.



Laundry & Dish Help!

Once again we are sending out a reminder and a request that we need help with dishes and laundry on a daily basis. Our efforts to use cloth napkins, rags and non-disposable cups has been very successful. To continue this practice we need your assistance. It doesn't take much time-come in at 11:10, everything will be ready. Thank you to those who have been helping throughout the year.

Conferences

Phone Conferences will be offered for those parents with questions regarding Kindergarten or Preschool placement for the 2010-2011 school year.

A separate communication in regards to phone conferences will be emailed or sent home next week.

End of the year conferences will be held the first two weeks in April!

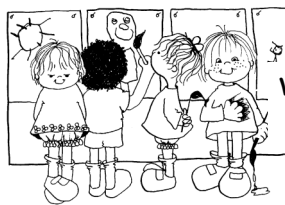
Coming Soon: Field Trips

January 26th **North Crest Gymnastics** - 3/4's Mrs. Tritabaugh & Mrs. VonderHaar
Leave PS at 9:15 and return by 11:30

January 27th-**Bowling Granite Bowl South** -4's Mrs. Nelson & Mrs. VonderHaar
Leave PS at 9:40 return by 11:15

Open House

Bethlehem Preschool will hold an Open House for prospective families on Tuesday, February 23rd from 5:00-7:00 PM. If you know a family who is interested in BLP please encourage them to attend this event. It will be a great way for parents and children to become familiar with our Preschool program. Families new to Bethlehem, who attend, will be able to register at this time.



We Need Frames for our upcoming ART SHOW

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN Preschool

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*Topic: Getting to Know
The World Around Me*

MISSION

Bethlehem Lutheran Preschool will inspire creativity and nurture the social, emotional, intellectual, physical and spiritual development of children in a Christian environment.

Dates To Note:

- *Jan. 5 Tuition Due
- *Jan. 18 NO SCHOOL
- *Jan. 26 3/4's Field Trip Northcrest Gymnastics
- * Jan. 27 4's Field Trip Bowling Granite Bowl South
- ♥ Feb. 5 Tuition Due
- ♥ Feb 8 Registration Begins
- ♥ Feb. 15 NO SCHOOL
PRESIDENTS DAY
- ♥ Feb. 23 Open House 5-7 Prospective Families
- † March 1 Open Registration Begins
- † March 8-12 NO SCHOOL
SPRING BREAK

Rough and Tumble Play—Wrestling

Has your child come home and said they are “wrestling” at Preschool? Maybe you have wanted a few more details. Teachers are beginning to introduce WRESTLING as part of our large motor time. It is always a choice, there are many other activities for children to participate in. Teachers are always “mat side” AND... there are rules!

1. Start on your knees, stay on your knees.
2. Two wrestlers at a time.
3. If a wrestler says, “STOP”, you have to stop.
4. Watch each others face!.Are they happy faces? If someone is not happy “STOP”.
5. No pushing, biting, hitting, punching or grabbing above the neck.
6. If someone goes off the mat, start over.
7. Everyone has to follow the rules.

Questions? Ask your child’s teacher. We have included an article from Everyday Exchange, July/August 2009 to give you more info on this activity.

Special Days in January and February

Watch your classroom newsletter about upcoming special days in your child’s classroom. Teachers will let you know anything extra your child will need to wear or bring.

January 20th OR 21st—HAT DAY

February 10th, 11th, OR 12th—Grandparents or Special Person Day

February 22nd– Winter Olympics

March 3rd and 4th Beach Day

Sounds like fun!