

TRINITY WEEKDAY SCHOOL

March 2010



SPECIAL NIGHT

We will be having a Special Night at Trinity at the end of March. Traditionally, this has been a night when the students bring their father to school in the evening. We sing songs, show our dad around school, and make a craft. It's an opportunity to show Dad or a special guest what we do at school everyday. We want everyone to know that if Dad is unavailable to come to school, that Grandpa, an uncle, a friend or mom may attend instead of Dad. Each child should only bring one guest. Also, only children who are enrolled at Trinity may attend. We cannot have siblings come to school that night. The AM Special Night will be held on March 22nd. There will be no class for the AM children on March 23rd. PM children will attend school on March 23rd. The PM Special Night will be held on March 24th. The PM children will not have class during the day on the 24th but the AM class will attend school on that day. Both nights will begin at 7:00 PM. There will be more information on this special event in the future. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask your teacher or Barb Luckhardt.



TWS REGISTRATION SAFETY FIRST

We have completed both our in house and open registrations. We are doing nicely and getting close to being full. We do have some openings in our PM Pre-K and 3 year old classes. Please be sure and let your friends, family, and neighbors know about our school. You really are our best form of advertising.

Also, we have a long waiting list of people wanting to get into the AM Classes. Some of these people will not be able to send their child in the afternoon. If anyone who is registered for the AM would consider switching to the PM, I would really appreciate it.



THINGS WE NEED

Sometimes as we go through the year we have projects that require some special supplies that we do not have on hand. When this happens we will notify you and ask if you have this item that you would send it into school. This does not mean you have to go out and buy anything. Right now we are collecting empty toilet paper rolls, and brown paper grocery bags (with or without handle). We could use some Styrofoam containers with higher sides such as the ones that vegetables come in. We use these when we paint. Thanks so much for all your help.

This is just a reminder that we have asked that anything that is brought to the school be free of peanuts and peanut butter since we have many children who have this allergy. This would include any treats or candy that you may bring in for holidays and special occasions. We will be asking for cookies for our Special Night at Trinity. We are asking that you make sure they do not contain peanuts or nuts of any kind, and that they are not manufactured in a facility that processes peanuts, etc. Please help us to keep the children safe by following the guidelines that we have established.

Always make sure you have your child and the other children in your care by the hand as you are leaving the building. If you stop to talk before leaving, make sure the children stop also. We do not want to lose a child or have them in the parking lot without an adult. Also, please drive very slowly in our parking lot. Even if you are late getting somewhere else, it can't be more important than keeping the children safe.

GERMS

Please make sure you keep your child home if they are not well. Severe coughs and very goopy noses mean your child may be contagious and will cause other children to become ill. For the protection of all the children, please keep your child home until they have completely recovered from an illness. Please wait for 24 hours after a temperature breaks or after a throwing up episode occurs before your child returns to school. Thank you.

UNITS OF STUDY

We will begin the month of March with a Safari Unit. This is a new unit for us and we think it will be a very interesting unit. We will also be getting ready for our Special Night at Trinity. This is always lots of fun and the children love bringing a special guest to school. Later in the month we will celebrate Easter.

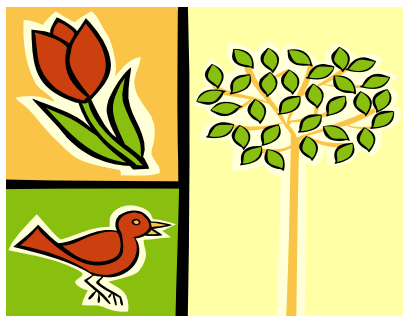
In addition, we will be discussing spring and looking for signs of spring. Let's hope we can find some soon.

Our bible verse for the month is: *God has made everything beautiful. Ecclesiastes 3:11.*

The Pre-K classes are continuing their alphabet work and are finishing their number books. They will also be learning their phone numbers and addresses before the end of the year. Of course, we constantly work on listening skills and following directions.

The 3 year old classes continue to work on listening skills and following directions as well. They will also be working with number concepts. Of course, there are many activities planned that will continue to develop small motor skills. We plan on being very busy as you can see.

Our staff has been invited to attend a Kindergarten-Preschool Tea at Bower Hill Elementary School. This will allow us to meet with kindergarten teachers from Bower Hill and Pleasant Valley. It is always very informative.



SHARING

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We are still selling Sarris Pretzels and candy bars. If you would like to take a box, please see Barbara Luckhardt. Don't forget Easter is coming and they would make nice treats for those Easter baskets. Thanks for all the support you have given us during this year. Our fundraisers have gone very well due to all your efforts.

IMPORTANT DATES

March	2	Stretch and Grow comes to TWS
	3	Beach Party
	10	Book orders due back
	17	Pittsburgh Puppet Works comes to TWS?
	22	AM Special Night at Trinity
	23	No AM Classes, regular PM Classes
	24	PM Special Night at Trinity, no PM Classes, regular AM Classes
	31	Easter Celebration
April	1	Regular Thursday Class
	5	Easter Vacation begins—No school
	12	School Resumes
	14	We have John Lege, That Guy With The Birds, coming to Trinity.
May	5	May Luncheon
	11	A.M. Springhouse Field Trip, classes cancelled for PM
	12	P.M. Springhouse Field Trip, classes cancelled for AM
	19	School Picnic and last day of school
	20	In-Service Day
	25	Possible snow make up day

