



HAZELWOOD



CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL

4-5 YEAR OLD PM CLASS

MAY 2012

Last Day of School

The last day for the 4-5 year old classes is Monday, May 21. The May Celebration will be at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, May 22.

Contact Information

Please feel free to contact us anytime with questions or concerns! We want to work with you to make your child's preschool experience great!

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Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
10:30 am - 1:30 pm
Tuesday
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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It's been a great year!

April Recap

In April we continued to work on good pencil control and concentration in writing the letters K and C. Also, we became more confident in writing numbers 1-10.

In our activities with Opposites, we related the pairs in size, shape, amount, position, and direction. These comparisons will play an important role in helping your child in their mathematical thinking.

We reviewed all upper and lower case letters along with their letter sounds. Also, we practiced correct letter formation in writing our first and last names.

In reading print, we followed words from left to right and from top to bottom. Also, we counted and stated the number of syllables in various words. It was a very busy month!

May Focus

It is hard to believe our school

year is drawing to a close. We're planning some fun activities for our final month!

We will celebrate God's special gift to us-our mothers. You can look forward to a loving gift coming your way!

We'll conclude our phonics fun with a study of the letter B.

During our final day of class, the children will choose all their favorite school activities for us to do together!

Thank you!

Thank you Tiffany Griffey, Rebekah Hanna, and Churie Townsend for providing snacks for our Easter Party. Thanks to Tiffany Branam, Jenelle Brewer, Sarah Gifford, Alisa Glaze, Erin Maidlow, Angela Martin, Dinah Michael, Angie Morey, and Amberly Riley for providing the filled eggs for the egg hunt. Special thanks to Molly Wantz for hiding all the eggs.



May Important Dates

- May 1-Tuition Due
- May 4 - Book Orders Due
- May 11 - Parent's Night Out
- May 16 - Field Trip
- May 21 - Last Class Day
- May 22 - May Celebration at 6:30 pm





Our Classroom Information

May Celebration



To celebrate the wonderful year we have had, we are planning a special May Celebration on Tuesday, May 22 at 6:30 pm.

Children in the AM and PM classes will sing together on stage. To help you better plan for pictures or video taping, students in the AM class will stand on the left side of the stage and the children in the PM class will be on the

right side. The balcony will also be available for taping. Children may wear church clothes.

Upon arrival, find your seats in the church sanctuary. At 6:15, bring your child to the classroom. Please save a seat for your child to sit with you after they receive their diploma. The program will last approximately 40 minutes. Refreshments will follow in Cartwright Hall. We look forward to your family and other relatives and friends joining us for this special graduation event!

GUESSING SACK LETTER

May 2
Letter B

May 9
Letter B (cont.)

May 16
Any letter we
have studied

Show and Tell

Please send in the item in a paper sack labeled with your name.

May 7- "Is Your Mama a Llama" - Bring in a picture of your mother.

May 14 - "When Summer Comes" - Bring in something you will enjoy playing with in the summer.

May 21- "HCP Favorites" - Draw a picture of your favorite preschool activity.

Book Orders

Thank you for your book orders this year. Your purchases have allowed us to acquire a nice selection of books for our library.

The May book orders are attached. If you wish to order, please send a check payable to Scholastic Books by Friday, May 4. To order online, please go to www.scholastic.com/bookclubs The class activation code is GKJRP.

Attached to this newsletter..

There are a few papers attached to this newsletter. These items are Summer PDO Fun Information, Parent Survey, and PNO Registration form.

Field Trip

On Friday, May 18 we will be going to a local horse farm (place to be determined still). There will be an opportunity to learn about horses

including grooming and riding. We plan to leave at 12:30 Permission slips are attached, along with a waiver that must also be completed, will be sent home later this week. It is suggested that students do not wear sandals.

A Special Thank You- Parent Volunteers

Words cannot adequately express how grateful we are to you for your many hours of volunteer work with the 4-5 Year Old Class. We thank you for your dependability, helpfulness, and most importantly, all the attention and love you gave to each child. We could not do this without your help!

Director's Notes

From the Teacher...

Great Expectations

by Maria Cuellar-Munson

It's time to say good bye,
Our year has come to an end.
We've made more cherished memories,
And many more new friends.

We've watched your children learn and grow,
And change form day to day.
We hope that all the things we've done,
Have helped in some small way.

So, it's with happy memories
We send them out the door,
With great hope and expectations,
For what next year holds in store!

This has truly been a great year for all of us. Thank you for sharing your child with us. It has been a joy to watch the children grow and develop in so many ways. We feel blessed to have been a part of their lives. Have a safe and wonderful summer!

Love,

Shauna, Becky, & Rebecca



PARENT'S DAY OUT INFORMATION

We have been having great fun at PDO this school year! We want the fun to continue this summer! Attached to the newsletter is information and registration forms for our Summer PDO Fun. Please contact Rebecca with any questions. Feel free to share our summer PDO with others in the community, as it is open to everyone!

Our last regular day of PDO will be Tuesday, May 22. We will be closed through Friday, June 1. We will reopen for our summer schedule starting on Monday, June 4.

Fall PDO Schedule

We are excited to announce our new schedule beginning Tuesday, September 4, 2012. The fall PDO schedule is:

Days: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday

Sessions: Early Bird - 8:00-9:00, AM Session - 9:00-12:30, Lunch Session - 11:30-12:30, PM Session - 11:30-3:00 After School - 3:00-4:00

May Parent's Night Out

Who: Children Ages 12 months through Second Grade

When: Friday, May 11 from 5:30-9:00

Cost: \$10 for the first child and \$8 for each additional child.

Registration form and additional information is attached.

