

# St. Michael's Preschool Newsletter

## June 2017

### Upcoming Events

#### Chapel

Every Wednesday  
9:30am- Frog, Giraffe and Elephant  
class  
10:00-Owl and Butterfly Class.

*Parents are always welcome to  
attend.*

#### June 9

Pre-K Graduation  
6:30 pm in the church

#### June 12

Summer Program Begins

#### June 16

Father's Day Potluck at  
Baldwin Park 12:00

### Looking forward to next month

#### July 3-4

*We are closed Monday and  
Tuesday for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July*

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### Director's News

Dear Families,

Welcome to June! I love the fun filled days of summer. We will be enjoying water play and our new water slide, we will be bringing back some of our favorite weeks from last year, and trying out some new things too! Can't wait!

This month brings lots of transitions. First, our Pre-K graduate and begin leaving us for their new schools. Always a bittersweet time for us. We also begin welcoming in new friends, and lots of kids start transitioning into new rooms. We usually have children visit the classroom several times before the actual move. I will let you know when they will be moving.

As a reminder, we are closed on Monday July 3 and Tuesday July 4<sup>th</sup> for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Holiday. Please make sure your child has extra clothes here everyday. We do try to keep extra clothes here, but don't always have the right size. If we have no extra clothes and your child has an accident, you will be called to bring us some. Much easier for all if we have plenty of clothes here! We also anticipate that we will be doing lots of water play/messy art outside this summer now that the drought is over and often have to change clothes after these events as we don't want the kids to stay in their wet/dirty clothes.

Thank you to all who came to the Mother's Day Lunch. We had a great turnout and it was nice to see everyone enjoying their time with family and friends. Dads, your day is coming. Join us on June 16 at Baldwin Park for our annual Father's Day Lunch. We will do our usual 3 legged race, water balloon toss and maybe even eat some lunch!

As we wind down this academic year, we want to say to all our families, THANK YOU! You have entrusted us with your greatest treasure and we are so thankful that you did. St. Michael's families are the best!

Until next month,  
Ms. Colleen



## Pre-K Frogs News

Dear Families,  
I wanted to thank you all for the flowers, treats, gifts and all the wonderful notes and messages sent during teacher appreciation week. It really made me feel special. It's hard to believe that the school year has come to an end. I am truly blessed to have been your child's teacher and I could not be more proud of each and every one of them. Love them dearly. Thank you for a very successful year. Summer time is here and that means lots of outside time and water play. Please check your child's box to make sure he or she has an extra set of clothes. During the summer your child will get to go on field trips these days your child must wear their chapel shirt. We'll continue to work on themes as well as review numbers, letters, shapes, colors and of course, we will keep them writing!

Here's to a super fun summer!  
Love, Ms. Diana



## Pre-K Giraffe News

Hi Giraffe Families,

It's graduation time here at St. Michael's Preschool! In just a few weeks your Giraffe will be walking their first milestone stage. I hope you enjoy and treasure the moment. I would like to inform you that I have chosen to work with another classroom after this school year ends. Ms. Misti will take over the class after graduation and will be the Pre-K Teacher in the fall. It is truly her passion! I have decided to work with the 2's and 3's supporting both classrooms and continuing my work as St. Michael's First 5 coach. I am excited for the summer program to begin, I will be attending some of the field trips with the Giraffes, so you'll still see me. Thank you for a great year!

Jeremiah 29:11 "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

With lots of love,  
Ms. Shonece

## Owl Class News



Summer is finally here! The Owls have been very busy these last several months, but now it is time for them to have a little bit of fun in the sun. But first, let's go over some of the things they did in May.

We started off by preparing for Mother's Day. We were so happy that so many made it to our lunch. WE also learned about flowers, and their parts, Community Helpers and Science where they got to make rock crystal sticks. It took a while but they grew and changed colors. Great science experiment that amazed the Owls!

Summer bring plenty of fun art projects and lots of fun in the sun. We will take a walking field trip to Baldwin Park, all are welcome to join us. Ooey Goey Art week is sure to have us getting messy!

Lastly, don't forget about our Father's Day Picnic. Hope you can join us!

Ms. Jessy & Ms. Misti

As you might of read, Ms. Misti will be taking over the Giraffe class as of June 12. Ms. Shonece will be working in all classrooms, supporting our goals with First 5. Misti has taught Pre-K for over 20 years, and is excited to be going back to her first love. She will be attending a Handwriting without Tears Conference in July and will be working closely with Diana as to all the specifics of our Pre-K program. We know this will be a great transition for both Misti and Shonece and are excited for this to happen!



## Elephant Class News

Dear Families,  
Another month has passed us by and we are getting ready to say hello to summer. In the month of May our main focus was on our wonderful mothers. The kids were so excited and proud of the gifts they made. They all enjoyed talking about their mommy and what they so special. I hope all moms enjoyed their special lunch and had a wonderful Mother's Day. In May we spent a lot of time talking about mother nature and how to make the planet a better place for everyone.

We are now in June and getting ready for summer. We have so much planned this summer that it will not only be fun but still educational. Because summer is approaching and the weather will be changing I am asking parents to please take a look at the extra clothes that your child has in their box. Please make sure they still fit and are appropriate for the season.

I am looking forward to a summer full of fun and great memories.

Love,  
Miss Miriam



## Butterfly Class News

Hello Families,

I can't believe that the school year is ending. Last month the butterfly friends mastered big milestones. While the friends were doing activities inside and outside, they would play with another, talking, interacting with movements and copying each other's expressions. It was really impressive to see them playing and interacting with each other. Another big milestone was that a lot of our butterflies are potty trained or potty training right now. Awesome job butterflies!

Last month butterflies had a great time making their Mother's Day gifts. It was wonderful seeing all the moms and grandmas at the luncheon. This month we will be working on our Father's Day gift. All Dads, Grandpa's, Uncles are welcome to attend our picnic!

Lots of fun planned for the summer. So much fun for the butterflies, getting wet and dirty, messy art and learning every day.

Have a great month,  
Ms. Kittie

# June Lunch Menu



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Chili French Bread Carrots Apples Milk	2 Taco Salad Cornbread Watermelon Milk	
	5 Confetti Rice Peas Peaches Milk	6 Taco Salad with Meat and Cheese Cornbread Oranges Milk	7 Spaghetti Green Beans Apples Milk	8 Mac and Cheese Corn Pears Milk	9 Bean and Cheese Burrito Salad Pears Milk	
	12 Corndogs Garden Salad Apples Milk	13 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Carrots Oranges Milk	14 Chicken Nuggets Wheat Bread Peas Apples Milk	15 Spanish Rice with Meat and Cheese Green Beans Applesauce Milk	16 Father's Day Picnic in the Park at 12:00  School Closed After	
	19 Mac and Cheese Green Beans Peaches Milk	20 Black Beans and Chicken Peas Pineapple Milk	21 Fish Sticks Corn Bananas Milk	22 Penne Pasta with Meat Mixed Veggies Apples Milk	23 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Salad Pears Milk	
	26 Bean and Cheese Burrito Salad Pears Milk	27 Meatball Sliders Peas Watermelon Milk	28 Chili Mac Corn Applesauce Milk	29 Hot Dogs in a Bun Green Beans Apples Milk	30 Mac and Cheese Mixed Veggies Pineapple Milk	



# June Snack Menu

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Belvita Bars and Apples  Orange Smiles and Cheez-its	2 Oatmeal and Peaches  Graham Crackers with Cream Cheese and Bananas	
	5 Blueberry Muffins and Milk  Salami and Cream Cheese with Wheat Thins	6 Life Cereal and Milk  Trail Mix and Bananas	7 Waffles with Jam and Milk  Ritz Crackers and Cheddar Cheese	8 Pancakes and Applesauce  Rice Cakes with Cream Cheese and Pears	9 Granola Bars and Pears  Fruit Smoothies and Animal Crackers	
	12 Biscuits with Jelly and Milk  Trail Mix and Fresh Fruit	13 Life Cereal with Bananas and Milk  Cheese Quesadillas	14 English Muffins with Apple Slices  Fruit Salad and Cinnamon Pita Chips	15 Waffles with Jelly and Fresh Pears  Triscuit Crackers and Cheddar Cheese	16 Bagels with Cream Cheese and Orange Juice  Closed in PM	
	19 Nutra Grain Bars and Oranges  Yogurt and Fresh Fruit	20 Oat Bran Bread and Apples  Pretzels and Bananas	21 Pancakes and Pears  Guac and Corn Chips	22 Cinnamon Toast and Orange Juice  Granola Bars and Pears	23 Yogurt and Fruit  Cheddar Cheese and Triscuits	
	26 Bagels with Cream Cheese and Orange Juice  Hummus and Pita Chips	27 Cheerios and Milk  Fruit Smoothies and Animal Crackers	28 Blueberry Muffins and Milk  Fruit Kabobs and Cheese Sticks	29 Waffles with Jam and Oranges  Granola Bar with Pears	30 Muffins with Jelly and Milk  Rice Krispy Treats and Apples	