

St. Michael's Preschool Newsletter

May 2018

Upcoming Events

Chapel

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

Parents are always welcome to attend.

April 30-May 4
Teacher Appreciation Week

May 7-11
Mother's Day Week

May 11
Mother's Day Lunch
Reservations Required!
School closes after

May 28
Closed for Memorial Day
Looking forward to next
month

June 8
Pre-K Graduation

June 11
Summer Program Begins

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Director's News

Dear Families,

Welcome to May! So excited to be looking forward to summer and all the fun that it brings! Our summer session starts on June 11, we will have the calendar out to you later this month.

I hope you have all had a chance to go check out our new garden boxes! We would like to thank Stella's Nana, Marcia Almeida for helping us beautify the campus. She painted the shed, painted the garden boxes and the flower beds near the Esperanza entrance. It really looks great! We enjoyed getting the garden ready, and most days the classes walk over to water and check to see how the plants are doing. Can't wait till we get to eat what we have planted! It is such a great learning opportunity for the kids!

Happy Mother's Day to all our wonderful moms! This year we are doing our traditional Mother's Day lunch a little different! You know how we always ask you to bring the food and then the line to get food is soooooo long? Well, this year Alicia and I are cooking all the food! You hear that right. You know how your kids say we are the best cooks? You are going to have a chance to see for yourself. Reservations are a MUST! We need to know how much food to purchase and prepare! PLEASE, no last minute adds! We are happy to cook but don't want to scramble to find extra tables and chairs for you! After you sign up, you will be given tickets for the lunch. Your child's teachers will be your wait staff, and even better, no tipping! Curious about the menu?? Just you wait!

If your child is leaving us in June, please make sure I have their last day notice. If you are staying for summer, get ready for "Fun in the Sun!"

Until next month,
Ms. Colleen



Frog Class News

Hello!

It's hard to believe that the end of the year is upon us! This will be the last newsletter of the school year! The children have grown so much over the course of the year!

During the month of May our activities will be fun and enjoyable. We will be talking about community helpers and celebrating how special our moms are May 1th! Mark your calendars! We will also be reviewing many of the concepts we have been working on through the year. I will be providing extra practice in the areas of fine motor, gross motor and social skills. We will also continue to work on our writing.

Starting May 2nd, we will start practicing for the big day! Yes, it's that time- Pre-K graduation! From the bottom of my heart, it has truly been an absolute pleasure to have had each one of your children in my class! I will miss them very much!

Love, Ms. Diana

Monkey Class News



Hello Families,

I cannot believe it's May already. We had an awesome April. We learned how to take care of our earth and our bodies by eating healthy and exercising. We also talked about the life cycle of butterflies and flowers, growing fruits and vegetables and watering our garden every day. We also have watched our caterpillars change into butterflies.

During the month of May, we will be talking about all about my world, Mothers and how special they are, community helpers and everything they do to help us. We will also have our Mother's Day lunch on May 11 at 12pm. Hope to see you there.

Graduation is quickly approaching. If you have not turned in your photos for the graduation ceremony, please email them. We will start our graduation practice on May 21 and that will give each child enough time to learn their part in the ceremony.

Love,
Ms. Misti



Elephant Class News

Hello Elephant Families,

We are done with another month of learning and fun. In the month of April, we became more aware of nature around us. We learned how and why it is important to keep our earth safe and clean. The kids loved learning all about bugs and insects. We shared what was our favorite bug and why bugs were an important part of nature.

April brought the showers and May is bringing all the flowers. In May our theme is all about "my world." We will be discussing what community helpers we see in our everyday lives, and how they help us. Also, we will dedicate a week to our wonderful moms. And having our school Mother's Day luncheon on May 1th. Please remember to always take a peek at our class curriculum for any special events in our class and the school as a whole. Hope everyone is ready for the wonderful month of May!

Love,
Miss. Miriam

Butterfly Class News



Hello Families!

Have you seen our schools garden? Almost every day and we go water our garden. Ask your butterfly what's in the garden. They probably tell you, it's ants. Every time they go beeline to the fence and look for the trail of ants. That's the highlight of going to see the garden. This month are caterpillars changing into chrysalis and will be able to have the butterflies in our classroom. Then, we all left the butterflies be free in the butterfly garden.

We been working on following: directions and listening to the words of the teachers. This month we're really going focus on talking clearly and understanding the teacher's words and our classmate's words.

This month will be working on the special gift for our mothers. Please join us at our Mother's Day luncheon. We will also make cards and little gifts for our teachers.

Also, in the next few months will be transitioning the older butterflies to visit the owl class, so it's a smooth transition when they join that class.

Have a great month,
Ms. Kittie

Owl Class News



OWL FAMILIES,

MAY IS OFFICIALLY HERE, HOW TIME FLIES. WE HOPE THAT YOUR CHILD'S EXPERIENCE IN THE OWL CLASS HAS BEEN BOTH MEMORABLE AND INSIGHTFUL. FOR US, EVERY DAY IS A NEW DAY TO LEARN, EXPLORE, EXPERIMENT, CREATE, AND DISCOVER. ALTHOUGH SUMMER IS NEAR, WE STILL HAVE SOME REVIEWING TO DO.

APRIL WAS A TIME FOR THE OWLS TO REALLY LEARN ABOUT HOW IMPORTANT OUR EARTH IS AND HOW WE CAN TAKE CARE OF IT. THEY LEARNED ABOUT GARDENING, RECYCLING, INSECTS, AND HEALTHY FOODS. LAST MONTH WAS ALSO A MONTH OF CELEBRATIONS. WE CELEBRATED TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK AS WELL AS MS. COLLEEN'S BIRTHDAY!

THIS MONTH WE WILL BE REVIEWING OUR LETTERS AND NUMBERS, SHAPES, COLORS, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY THE LETTERS IN THEIR NAMES. ALSO, THIS MONTH THE OWLS WILL BE PREPARING FOR MOTHER'S DAY! OUR MOTHER'S DAY FESTIVITIES WILL BE ON THE 11TH SO MARK YOUR CALENDARS. WE WILL ALSO BE CELEBRATING NIKO'S BIRTHDAY THIS MONTH, YAY!

LOVE,
MS. JESSY & MS. SHONECE



*Happy Mother's
Day to all our
Moms and
Grandmas!
Thank you for all
you do!
Come celebrate
with us
Friday May 11th at
noon!*

May Lunch Menu



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Sloppy Joes Green Beans Apples Milk	2 Beanie Weenies Peas Pears Milk	3 Fish Sticks Wheat Bread Corn Mixed Fruit Milk	4 Spanish Rice with Meat and Cheese Corn Peaches Milk	
	7 Chicken Nuggets Garden Salad Pineapple Milk	8 Bean and Cheese Burrito Mixed Veggies Apples Milk	9 Meatball Sliders Carrots Pears Milk	10 Chili Mac Peas Peaches Milk	11 Mother's Day Luncheon	
	14 Chicken Fried Rice Peas-N- Carrots Oranges Milk	15 Chili French Bread Pears Milk	16 Taco Salad Cornbread Applesauce Milk	17 Cheese Zombie Tomato Soup Mandarins Milk	18 Tuna Sandwich Corn Peaches Milk	
	21 English Muffin Pizza Mixed Veggies Oranges Milk	22 Pasta with Meatballs Peas Pears Milk	23 Enchilada Casserole Green Beans Peaches Milk	24 Tacos with Meat, Cheese and Avocado Garden Salad Oranges Milk	25 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Carrot Sticks Apples Milk	
	28 <i>St. Michael's is Closed for Memorial Day</i>	29 Mac and Cheese Mixed Veggies Oranges Milk	30 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce Garden Salad Applesauce Milk	31 Taco Salad Breadsticks Pears Milk		



May Snack Menu

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Oatmeal and Bananas Bagels and Apple Juice	2 Biscuits with Oranges Ritz with Cheese and Salami	3 Tortilla Rollups with Turkey and Cheese Trail Mix and Apples	4 NutriGrain Bars with Milk Granola Bars with Oranges	
	7 English Muffins with Apples Hummus and Pita Chips	8 Cinnamon Toast and Oranges Egg Salad and Crackers	9 Waffles with Jam and Milk Cheese Quesadillas	10 Blueberry Bread and Milk Monkey Bread and Apples	11 Granola Bars and Oranges <i>Closed After Luncheon</i>	
	14 Oatmeal with Bananas and Milk Tortilla Chips and Guac	15 Granola Bar and Milk Yogurt and Mixed Berries	16 Life Cereal with Bananas and Milk Tortilla Roll-Ups	17 English Muffins with Cheese Rice Krispy treat and Bananas	18 Oatbran Muffins and Pears Pita Chips and Hummus	
	21 Grahams with Milk and Bananas Pigs in a Blanket	22 Cheerios with Milk Cinnamon Toast and Applesauce	23 Apple Slices with Ritz Crackers Yogurt and Bananas	24 Waffles with Syrup and Pears Cheese Quesadillas	25 Granola Bars with Orange Juice Ritz and Cheese with Salami	
	28 <i>St. Michael's is closed for Memorial Day</i>	29 Belvitas with Orange Slices Bagels with Cream Cheese and Turkey	30 Pancakes with Jelly and Milk Trail Mix and Apples	31 Oat Bran Muffins with Pears French Bread and Cheese		