



Newsletter

March, 2010

Important Dates:

March 1	Tuition Installment #8 due
March 9-12	Teacher Appreciation Week
March 16	LBB 3rd Session forms due/ Zoo (A Walk On the Wild Side)

Teacher Appreciation Week

Teachers are often very busy with lesson planning, creating new activities, writing newsletters and, most importantly, spending time making sure that each individual child's needs are met. With this in mind, we have declared the week of March 9th *Teacher Appreciation Week*. Letters were sent home in your child's backpack with additional information.

Happy Hearts Tea

What a great day! Thank you to the entire group of dads or special guests who came to our 8th annual *Happy Hearts Tea*. What a wonderful time. Thank you to the teachers and parents who baked all the cookies for this fun day..

LBB

Just a reminder..... the 3rd session of LBB begins March 16th. This session will be about Dinosaurs.

Developmental Checklist

It is hard to believe that it's time to send the developmental check list home again. This list will go out the week of April 6th.

Garage Sale

The garage sale has been scheduled for April 24th. Knox preschool relies on fundraising to help keep our tuition down, so when spring cleaning save your items for the sale. The donations may be placed in the Social Hall on the stage.

Parent Workshop

Tired of your children watching too much television? We are pleased to offer a workshop on how to get children involved with fun activities. Brenda Hieronymus from the University of Cincinnati has **excellent** ideas and parents will develop a whole new concept on how to help children get involved with activities using simple items that you have at home. Information

on this workshop will be sent home in your child's backpack. If you have any question please call the office.

Spanish Class

The third session of the Spanish enrichment program begins March 15th. This session the children will be discussing Spring and nature.

Speech and Hearing Screenings

Knox Preschool is giving parents the opportunity to have their child's speech/language or hearing screened at school. The Hearing, Speech and Deaf Center of Cincinnati will be here on April 14th and will begin testing at 9:15. We will be sending out permission slips. If you are interested please sign the permission slips and return to school.

Spring Conference Week

Conference Week will be the week of April 20th. **SPRING CONFERENCES ARE OPTIONAL.** If you feel like you need a conference, or if the teacher feels there is a need for one it will be scheduled. If you have any questions please talk to you child's teacher or call the office. Forms will be sent home in your child's backpack the week of April 6th.

Saying Goodbye

Amy, our student teacher from the University of Cincinnati, will be finishing her winter practicum. We would like to thank her for all of her hard work and wish her lots of luck. Thanks Amy!!!!

Fundraisers

We will be participating in a pizza card fundraiser beginning in the middle of March. We will be sending home information next week in the backpacks. **Thanks to all that have supported our past endeavors, we are nearing our fundraising goal!** Without the support of parents we would not be able to keep tuition costs down and buy equipment for our school.

Upcoming Dates

April 6	Developmental Checklist sent home
April 24	Garage Sale
April 20	Parent/teacher conferences
April 2	Spring Break begins
April 12	Class resumes
April 27	Muscular Dystrophy Hop-a-thon