



October 2020 Newsletter

Can't believe that another year is almost over !!! That means that all the holidays are approaching and all the stores are already celebrating early !!! LOL !!! Hoping that everyone has a great holiday season !!!

Last month we had a great start to a new school year !!! We got to know our school policy, meet new friends, and learn about our friends and their families... Thank you to everyone who made "All About Me" posters... The children really enjoyed sharing their posters and looking at others =)

October will be a little different this year.., We will not be able to have all the cool and exciting activities that we had in the past. We will make it worthwhile for the children though. I will be purchasing the pumpkins and we will have a pumpkin patch at school along with a day full of fun Halloween games and activities !!! The children can wear their costumes to school !!! YAY !!! BUT, please no weapons and please wear costumes that will make it easy for the children to use the bathroom.

Our parent/teacher conference will be the week of November 2nd to the 6th. This will be the first one for the beginning of the year then we will have another one in April to see the progress that your child has made. Please sign up for a time slot to meet with your child's teacher to discuss your child's academic progress !!! Sign-up sheets will be out towards the later part of October on ClassTag !!!

We registered with the State of California to participate in the Great California Shakeout on 10/15 at 10:15am. The Great California Shakeout is an annual opportunity to practice how to be safer during big earthquakes: "Drop, Cover and Hold On." The shakeout has also been organized to encourage your family to plan, review and update emergency preparedness plans and supplies, and to secure your space in order to prevent damage and injuries. We will have our monthly fire drill along with this program.

Some reminders...

1. Please don't forget to label your child's belongings.
2. Please bring a light jacket every day or leave one in your child's cubby... Fall is here and the weather has been cold in the mornings.
3. Please go through your child's cubbies to clean out and go through the clothes... Maybe adding a couple sets of clothes, taking out clothes that your child outgrew or switching the clothes out from summer clothes to winter clothes =)
4. **MOST IMPORTANT...** we had an incident here in the past about someone breaking a car window of a parent and stealing a diaper bag and wallet. All in less than 2 minutes while the parent dropped their child off. On the day that it happened, there were 6 other similar incidents. We haven't had or heard of any other incidents since. **Thank you for being more careful and bringing your belongings in with you when dropping off and picking up. This also includes younger or older siblings =) Anything can happen in a short amount of time. Not only that... It's illegal to leave a child alone in the car under any circumstance !!!**

CHECK THE CALENDAR FOR EVENTS !!!