

# Wee Wuns Newsletter

DECEMBER 2022

## DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Happy Holidays! It's the most wonderful time of the year! There is so much excitement in the air. The children's joy is so contagious as we hear them singing their favorite Christmas songs and watch them working on their special Christmas crafts.

Chapel during December is especially meaningful as it will all be focused on Christmas and the birth of our Lord. I can't wait to see our 4-year-old classes bring the story of Jesus' birth to life as they present The Christmas Story.

As we enjoy all the excitement and celebration that this season brings, our staff would like to wish you and yours a most Blessed Christmas and a wonderful New Year!

*Geralyn*

***Make a joyful noise to the Lord all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing. Psalm 100:1 &2***

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY BABY JESUS

All students will attend a birthday party for baby Jesus to be held in the MAC on **Tuesday, December 6th and Wednesday, December 7th** at 9:15 a.m. The celebration will begin with a reenactment of The Christmas Story which will be presented by the 4's classes. All preschool families are invited to join us for the celebration. Preschool children will enjoy birthday cake in their classrooms afterwards.

## CHRISTMAS PARTIES

Preschool Christmas parties will be held on Wednesday, December 14th and Thursday, December 15th at 1:00 p.m.

Toddler parties will be held at various times on the above dates. Toddler teachers will have sign up sheets outside of the classroom so that parents can volunteer to bring snack items for the parties.

All toddler and preschool students are asked to bring a wrapped child's book (gender neutral) of approximately \$3.00 - \$5.00 value for a gift exchange.

## TUITION REMINDER

Tuition is due on the 1st of every month. Tuition is considered LATE after the 10th of the month.

A \$25 LATE CHARGE WILL BE APPLIED TO EACH CHILD'S ACCOUNT FOR ANY TUITION PAID AFTER THE 10TH OF EACH MONTH.

## PIZZA DAY

All students will have the opportunity to order a pizza lunch on Tuesday, December 6th or Thursday, December 7th. Pizza notes went home this week. Please return the note along with \$5 if your child would like to eat pizza on these days.

## Christmas Dress Up Days



### Monday: Grinch Day

"It came without ribbons, it came without tags. It came without packages, boxes or bags" - The Grinch



### Tuesday: Holiday PJs

Snuggle up in those warm Christmas Pajamas. No Slippers please!

### Wednesday: Holiday from Head to Toe

Wear your festive Holiday Hats and headbands! Don't forget your Christmas Socks.



### Thursday: Christmas Sweater

May all your sweaters be silly and bright!



## CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Friday, December 16th - Monday, January 2nd are school holidays. NO CLASSES WILL BE HELD DURING THESE DATES. Classes will resume on Tuesday, JANUARY 3, 2023.

## UPCOMING DATES

January 13: Cy-Fair ISD Student Holiday (No School)

January 16: MLK Holiday (No School)

February 2-3: Staff Training Workshop (No School)

February 13/14: Valentine Parties

February 17 & 20: Cy-Fair ISD Student Holidays (No School)

February 28 & March 1: Mornings With Mom

## AUTHORIZED PERSON(S) TO PICK UP YOUR CHILD

You may authorize another person to pick up your child by providing a dated note with your signature authorizing the child's release to someone else on that day. If the individual picking up your child is unknown to the teacher, he/she will be required to present a driver's license to the teacher during pick-up. The information on the driver's license will be verified with the information provided to us from the parent.

If you have extenuating circumstances and need to contact us by phone to authorize another person to pick up your child, you must be able to identify and verify that you are the parent/guardian giving the driver's license number and other identifying information of the person picking up the child.

**Wee Wuns will not release a child to an unauthorized person, even if the person is known to the child. We will ask for photo identification such as a Texas Driver's License to verify identification. We cannot release any child without prior notification and verification.**

## 2023-24 RESERVATIONS

An opportunity to make a reservation for 2023 - 2024 school year will be available from January 23 - February 3. All classes will be filled on a first come, first served basis. More information will be sent home closer to these dates.



## Spanish

Our friends are becoming more and more fluent every day in our weekly conversational routines. During these three weeks we will continue practising our basics on greetings, colors, counting 1-10 for 3 Y group and 1-20 for 4Y and bridge . We will continue playing out actions with our game “ Amanda manda” ( similar to “Simon says”) and when celebrating Baby Jesus birthday our friends will learn to ask and talk about their age in Spanish. Be ready to listen to our friends singing at home “ Navidad, dulce Navidad”, our Spanish Christmas Carol Song!

### Language Practice:

- “¿Cuántos años tienes?” ( How old are you?) “Tengo tres/cuatro/ cinco años”.
- ¡Feliz cumpleaños! ( Happy Birthday!)
- ¡Feliz Navidad! ( Merry Christmas!)

### Vocabulary:

- Introduce new color: blanco (white).
- La fiesta de cumpleaños ( birthday party) : la fiesta, el regalo, la tarta, la vela, el globo, el gorro (party , present, cake, candle, balloon, birthday hat).
- La Navidad: la estrella, la campana, el Niño Jesus, el reno, el árbol de Navidad, el regalo y Papá Noel.

### Songs:

- “ Navidad, dulce Navidad” carol song.
- “Cumpleaños Feliz”.
- ¡Feliz Navidad amigos!

Ms. Mesa y Curro