

WEE WUNS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2022



FROM THE DIRECTOR:

Director's Message:

OCTOBER

Be present.

Let the day flow with grace.

Expect joy.

Serve with compassion

Speak only kindness.

Impart only love.

Never forget you're not alone.

Give thanks for everything.

See goodness in others. **Mary Davis/everydayspirit.net**

Hello Fall! As we continue to settle into the routine of the school year, we have welcomed the changing of the seasons. Living here in Texas we haven't yet been able to enjoy the leaves changing or the cooler weather. But's that's okay because there are so many other things about this time of year that fills my heart with happiness such as football, festivals, and pumpkin spice lattes.

We are especially excited here at Wee Wuns to be able to bring back our Fall Festival on October 29. Our last Fall Festival was in October 2019. We have a group of very dedicated volunteers who have been working very hard to make this a very memorable event. We look forward to seeing you there!

This is only one of many upcoming events in the coming months we have planned for our students and families.

We thank you for sharing your children with us and we look forward to sharing our traditions with you during this season.

Geralyn



DROP IN REQUESTS

We have had an increase of interest in “drop ins” this school year. During COVID years we were able to accommodate most “drop ins” due to decreased class sizes; however, this year with fuller classes we may not have availability in all classes.

The “drop in” fee is \$35.00 per a day. Any request for a drop in must be made using a written form which will be sent home to you upon your request. This allows teachers ample time to prepare for additional students in their classrooms. Upon receipt of your request, we will let you know if we can accommodate your child for a drop in and if so, what the total cost will be.

We will NOT allow the switching of days. You are enrolled in specific class days and any day(s) you choose to come outside of that will result in a fee. You can not choose to trade a day you are enrolled in for another.

Please feel free to call the Director’s office with any questions. In addition, if there is a rare need for an emergency drop in need please call Geralyn, 281-469-2058.



PUMPKIN PATCH

The CUMC Youth Ministries will open their pumpkin patch from 10-7 each day beginning October 7th. All classes will visit the pumpkin patch and participate in a day full of activities during our Fabulous Fall event on October 13th and 14th. Each child will receive a small pumpkin to take home.





PRESCHOOL DAD'S NIGHT OUT

Dads are invited to join their preschool students at school for a special evening event from 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 19th (MWF and 5 day 4's) and Thursday, October 20th (Mrs. Neely and Ms. Christensen, T/TH, T/TH/F and Bridge).

Our theme for the evening is SUPERHEROS! Students and dads are encouraged to wear their favorite superhero attire.

More information regarding Dad's Night will be sent home.



WEE WUNS ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL RETURNS

After two years, we are excited to bring back our FALL FESTIVAL this year!! Wee Wuns 31st Annual Fall Festival will be October 29th from 10-2! The day will be filled with fun for the entire family including games, bounce houses, DJ, food trucks, a petting zoo, a bake sale, shopping and a silent auction. Proceeds will be used for school improvements, to provide scholarships, staff training and to add funds to our playground. If you can help or would like to make a donation, please contact the Wee Wuns PTO at WeeWunsPTO@gmail.com

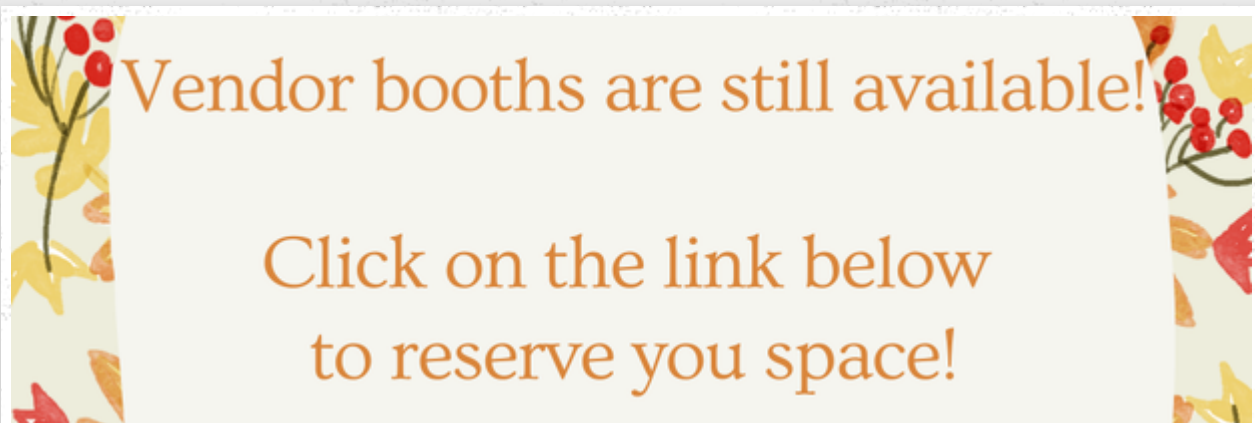
Thank you to all who have contributed to the class baskets! We will continue to collect class basket donations through October 7th.



Fall Festival Packet 2022

Click on the link to view the information that was sent home in your child's folder.

[Download](#)
5.7 MB



VENDOR APPLICATION

Vendor booths are still available! Click below to complete an application.



FALL PICTURES

2 Chicks Click will be taking individual Fall photos on the following dates:

TODDLERS - Tuesday, 11/1 & Wednesday, 11/2

PRE-SCHOOL - Thursday, 11/3 & Friday, 11/4

Sibling pictures may be taken in the Fellowship Hall from 8:30-9 on any of these days. Siblings do not need to attend Wee Wuns to take sibling pictures.

The photographers' clothing recommendation for the backdrop is denim or fall color clothing.

www.2chicksclick.com

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CHARLESTON WRAP FUNDRAISER

Now more than ever, YOU can make a difference! We have extended our annual Fall fundraiser through October 9th and we are counting on your support!

Our Fundraising Goal: \$5,000

Helping us reach our goal is QUICK, EASY, and only takes about 5 minutes. We have partnered with Charleston Wrap® to make it happen! With over 2,500 gift ideas, including UltraHeavy™ gift wrap, gourmet kitchen essentials, personalized gifts & more, friends and family can help us reach our goal by checking off their holiday shopping list! But first, you'll need to invite them to support our fundraiser! Complete the three (3) steps below and we'll be on our way to reaching our goals!

Here's how to help:

- 1) Please visit registercw.com to register today! Use our ORGANIZATION ID 22439 to register! One registration per family.
- 2) Send 10 unique and valid shopping email invites to your friends & family using our invite tool at registration.
- 3) Shop! With over 2,500 gift ideas, you can check-off your holiday gift-list and support our important cause, too.

PRO TIP: The more email invites you send, the more supporters we'll get! So, break out your email contact list, share on social media, and help spread the word!

If you haven't done so already, please click the link below and take a few minutes and register now.

Thank you so much for your support!

Wee Wuns

Questions about registration? Call CW Customer Support at 1-866-395-2926.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD HERE



**STATE LICENSING REQUIRES ALL FOUR YEAR OLDS
ENROLLED IN A PRESCHOOL PROGRAM TO BE
SCREENED FOR VISION AND HEARING. SCREENINGS
WILL BE COMPLETED AT WEE WUNS ON 10/4 AND
10/5. IF YOU PLAN TO HAVE THE SCREENING
COMPLETED ELSEWHERE, WE WILL NEED
DOCUMENTATION FOR OUR FILES.**



Houston Cy-Fair
Lions Club Early
Vision Screening



FREE VISION SCREENING

Tues. and Wed.
Oct. 4 and 5, 2022
9:30 AM

For children 6 months of age and older
If you do NOT wish to have this free vision
screening, you MUST sign the waiver at the
front desk.



Wee Ones Preschool will be doing free KidSight Vision Screening on **Tues. and Wed. Oct. 4 & 5, 2022 at 9:30 AM** by the Houston Cy-Fair Lions Club, using the Plusoptix Early Vision Screener. This vision screening is done by a special image of the child's eyes to determine the presence of eye disorders. No physical contact is made with the child, and no eye drops are used during the screening. This screening is approximately 82-99% effective in detecting problems that can cause reduced vision. Participation is voluntary and there is no charge to participate. Children must be at least 6 months of age at screening. Children will be brought into the screening room in groups, and a school worker will always be present. Some vision problems, if not caught and treated early, can lead to permanent blindness. Typical vision screening where a child reads from a chart 10 feet away only checks for the ability to see far away. We use a special camera by Plusoptix, which takes a picture of the child's eyes, and within 3-5 seconds, and can detect vision problems including nearsightedness, farsightedness, astigmatism, unequal pupil size, "lazy eye" (amblyopia), and other problems. With this device, we can easily and successfully screen children from six months of age and older. Children with vision problems are not aware that they cannot see well, as they cannot compare their vision to others. Vision problems in children do not cause pain or inflammation, so parents and teachers are not aware that there is a problem. The Plusoptix Vision Screener gives us a message of PASS or REFER immediately at the screening. Children who are referred should be seen by a professional for a complete vision examination. The sooner vision problems are addressed and corrected, the better it is for the child. You will be informed of the results immediately after the test by a form sent by the school and the Lions Club. The information obtained from this vision screening is to be considered a preliminary procedure only, and does NOT constitute a diagnosis of vision problems. **YOU** are RESPONSIBLE for arranging for a full eye exam with an eye care professional if your child is referred as a result of the vision screening test. The Lions Club will not be held accountable for any errors of commission, omission or other misdiagnosis.

If you do NOT want your child to have this free Vision Screening, you must sign the waiver at the front desk. We look forward to screening your child for potential vision problems. This is a **FREE** screening, no cost to you. Thank you very much.
Houston Cy-Fair Lions Club KidSight Vision Screening Program



PRESCHOOL CHAPEL

This month we will be focusing on God's great plans He has for us. We will learn Bible stories that support that fact! God keeps his promises for us.

Ideas for home:

While on the go, ask your child what their favorite animal is. Talk about how God put two of every kind of animal in the ark with Noah and his family. We will be making a giant rainbow for the hallway on week 2!

Add a toy boat and/or toy animals to bath time. Talk about how Noah trusted God's plans and built the ark, just like God told him to. Then, God sent two of every animal to get on the ark with Noah and his family.

Our memory verse this month is:

"FOR I KNOW THE PLANS I HAVE FOR YOU," SAYS THE LORD." JEREMIAH 29:11, NLT



SPANISH

It's been a "FANTÁSTICO" first month with Spanish!

Our friends are getting familiar with our Spanish class routine of "Mira" ("Look"), "Escucha" ("Listen") y "Repite" ("Repeat") and are actively involved in practicing and singing our weekly songs and rhymes: "Buenos días, ¿cómo estás?", "Me llamo", "¿Qué hora es?", "A la fila yo ya voy, ¡ Sí señor!".

We've been practicing following basic instructions in the Spanish class and the recognition and pronunciation of new vocabulary and expressions related to their homeroom class unit guides.

Here is an outline of the contents that we have covered for this first month:

Language Practice: (continuous)

- Siéntate/Ponte de pie (Levántate). Mira/ Escucha/ Repite.
- Buenos días, ¿ Como estás ? Bien, gracias, ¿Y tú?.
- ¿Cómo te llamas? Me llamo....
- ¿De qué color es? Es...
- ¿Dónde está el color .../ el abuelo/la abuela? "Ahí"
- ¿Qué hora es?
- ¡Adiós! ¡ Hasta la semana que viene!

Vocabulary: (continuous)

- Numbers: 1-3 (3years old) 1-5 (4years old) 1-10 (Bridge).
- Colors: rojo, amarillo, verde, azul y morado.
- Family: el papá/ la mamá, el hermano/la hermana, el abuelo/la abuela y el bebé.
- Pets : el perro, el gato, el hámster, el conejo, y el pez.

Songs/finger plays/chants (continuous)

- "Buenos días, ¿cómo estás?"
- "¿Cómo te llamas?"
- "Te quiero papá"

Ms. Mesa y Curro



Fabulous Fall/Pumpkin Patch

T/TH, T/TH/F, Bridge - October 13th

MWF, 5 Day 4's - October 14th

Preschool Dad's Night Out

MWF, 5 Day 4's - October 19th

T/TH, T/TH/F, Mrs. Neely and Ms. Christensen, Bridge - October 20th

Cy-Fair ISD Student Holiday (No School).

October 24th

31st Annual Wee Wuns Fall Festival - 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

October 29th