Edgewater News

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DATES TO REMEMBER Park Days

The Sprites and Munchkins will be walking to Los Altos Plaza Park on

The Chipmunks and Muskrats will be going on

Don't forget to wear your school T-shirt, available for sale in the front office (\$12).

Irvine Park Pumpkin Patch

We will be going to Irvine Park Pumpkin Patch on Mon. the 7th. This field trip is open to Sprites, Munchkins, Chipmunks, & Muskrats. Children must have fully mastered the potty learning process, unless accompanied by an adult. Each child who attends will receive a pumpkin, which will stay at the school until the Fall Festival.

Fall Festival

Join us for Edgewater's Annual Fall Festival!! The event will take place on Friday October 11th from 4:00 -6:00pm. Join us for a time of celebration and fun filled family activities while mingling with current families. Your children will assist in the preparation of a "Friendship Soup" for you all to enjoy at the festival. A sign-up-sheet will be posted for children to bring items to go into the soup. Reminders: A parent must sign out and accompany their child in order to participate in the event and please, no Costumes.

SCHOOL PICTURES Our school pictures are scheduled for Wed. the 16th and Thurs. the 17th. Children who attend MWF and 5 days will have their pictures taken on Wed the 16th and children who attend T/Th only will have their picture taken on Thursday the 17th.

Children are welcome to wear something special and the teacher can help them change before they go out to play. The children are photographed starting at 8:00am. As a thank you for your patience due to the rescheduling, all children will receive a free class composite and child ID card.

Great California Shake Out

At 10:17 am on Thursday October 17th, millions of Californians, include Edgewater Preschool, will participate in the largest earthquake drill ever. We will practice *Drop*, Cover and Hold On. We are adding a second day (Oct. 18th), so the children who do not attend on Thursdays will also have a chance to participate.

Pajama-Rama Day

Pajama-Rama day is here! It is a fun day for our children and staff to come to school in their pajamas. It will be held on Wed. the 30th and Thurs. the 31st. For safety reasons, please make sure they wear appropriate shoes, not slippers.

CURRICULUM

The following areas of focus are common topics that may emerge this month: Fall Changes, Apples, Human Body Parts, and Halloween Safety.

Scholastic Book Orders

Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on **Thursday 10th.** For each book your family purchases, the school receives bonus points to use toward books and other materials for the school! Also, the school receives a free book for each online order. Orders can be submitted to the office or online at: www.scholastic.com/bookclubs

Online activation code is: GZX8D

LOOKING AHEAD November

Preschool Parent Teacher Conferences-November 12th – 15th

Preschool classrooms only (Sprites, Munchkins, Chipmunks and Muskrats) Parents will have the chance to meet with your child's teacher, share ideas, and find out what your child most enjoys about school. This conference is for parents only and childcare is not available (unless your child is enrolled that day).

Sign-up sheets will be available the week of the 1^{st} . Sign up as soon as possible and please try to keep your appointment. Rescheduling may not be possible.

Thursday November 7th- "Coffee With Cristiane" at 9:30am

Monday November 11th- School Closed for Veteran's Day

Tuesday November 19th-"Tea with Cristiane" at 5pm

27th-November Wednesday Children's Feast.

Thursday 28th and Friday 29th -School Closed- Thanksgiving Holiday