



# Edgewater News

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## HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

**Daylight Saving Time Ends 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Veterans Day 11<sup>th</sup> (School closed)  
Thanksgiving 27<sup>th</sup>**

## DAYS WE WILL BE CLOSED

Tues. November 11<sup>th</sup> – Veteran’s Day  
November 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> in observance of  
the Thanksgiving Holiday.

## WELCOME TO THE WORLD!

We would like to extend our congratulations to (Munchkins) who welcomed baby sister , (Sprites) who welcomed baby sister , and (Sprites) who welcomed baby sister into the world!

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Time Change

**On Sunday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 2:00am** we changed the clocks back one hour. Please be aware that it is normal for children to go through an adjustment period during this time. For the children who stay later at school, please explain to them that it might be dark when you pick them up, as this can be confusing to young children. This will reassure them that you will be here to pick them up at the usual time.

### Parent Teacher Conference

The week of **November 17<sup>th</sup>** preschool classrooms (Sprites, Munchkins, Chipmunks, and Muskrats) will be having Parent/Teacher Conferences. A sign-up sheet will be posted. Please be sure to keep your appointment, rescheduling may not be possible.

### 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 office (\$12).

## Children’s Feast

The children will be enjoying a special lunch on Wed. Nov. 26<sup>th</sup>. Each class will prepare a side dish for the feast and make decorations for their lunch tables. We will post a sign-up sheet the week of Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> for items needed. This event is for children only, however, children not enrolled on Wednesdays may attend the feast if accompanied by an adult volunteer (please let the teachers know). No siblings please.

## Scholastic Book Orders

Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on **Thursday the 13<sup>th</sup>**. Orders can be submitted to the office or online at:

[www.scholastic.com/bookclubs](http://www.scholastic.com/bookclubs)

Online activation code is: GZX8D



## End of the Year Program

Our End of the Year Program will be on **Friday December 5<sup>th</sup>** at The Grand Long Beach Event Center. Doors will open at 4:30pm and the event will start at 5pm. **The school will close at 3pm that day.**

The End of the Year Program is a time to have a nice dinner, an enjoyable performance by your children, a silent auction, and the opportunity to meet and mingle with other Edgewater families. The children will be performing songs with their class; Power Play, Webby dance and Nick Young Music Company may also be performing.

In preparation for the event, we are collecting baskets (any size) and accepting donations for special services or items to be used for the auction and raffles. Tickets to the event will go on sale November 10th. We hope everyone can make it!

## CURRICULUM

The following areas of focus are common topics that may emerge this month: Harvest Time, What is a fruit? What is a vegetable?, Leaves, Family, and We are Thankful.

## FALL FESTIVAL WRAP-UP

Thank you to everyone who joined us to celebrate our annual Fall Festival! We had a great turnout and enjoyed seeing you all!

## HOLIDAY PLANS

Please, let us know if you will be out of the center during any of the up-coming holidays. Knowing how many children we will have allows us to plan accordingly and staff may be able to get some vacation time in as well.

## CARTRIDGE RECYCLING

The school collects empty ink/laser cartridges and used cell phones for recycling. Not only are we helping to alleviate the volume of waste that goes into landfills, but we are also able to raise money to purchase school materials! All cartridge and cell phone donations can be dropped off in the labeled box near sign in folders. Thank you!

## LOOKING AHEAD

\* Fri. Dec 5<sup>th</sup>: End of the Year Program at 4:30 @ The Long Beach Grand Event Center. **School will close at 3:00 that day.**

\* Thurs. December 18th Book Exchange Party

\* **School closed:** Wed. Dec.24<sup>th</sup> to Thurs. Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>

