

Edgewater News





September 2019

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www.edgewaterpreschool.com NEW SCHOOL YEAR

We would like to welcome everyone to the 2019/20 school year. We are looking forward to a great year! The sun is still shining bright, but fall is just a few weeks away, and it is time to get back into our school schedules. That means aettina children up, fed breakfast and to school by 9:00am. Please remember late arrivals are disruptive and are unfair to all children and the teachers, but most of all, your child will miss a great part of the enrichment program offered to them. If you are going to be late, please notify the office. Keep in mind that preschool is a wonderful opportunity to start good school habits!

Beginning October 2019, we will be closing at 4:00pm one Tuesday or Thursday every month for staff development. (See calendar for dates) Closure dates and time will be e mailed and posted as reminders.

OUR TEAM

Our teachers for this school year are as follows:

- Pixies-Gersonita and Nery
- Sprites- Alyson and Diana
- Munchkins- Eliana
- Chipmunks- Dawn
- Muskrats- Lindsay
- Outside Resource/Floater-Olaa
- Cook/Aide-Teresa
- Office Team Andrea & Jessica

BOON SUPPLY FUNDRAISING

Our Boon Supply fundraiser started on **Thursday**, **August 29th!** The proceeds will be used to support staff development. Boon Supply offers a variety of household items, office supplies, leisure items, accessories and much more! The school will receive 50% profit on total purchase. **All orders are due into the office on or by <u>Friday</u>, <u>September 20th</u>.**

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS

September book orders will be available on the 4th and due on the 13th. You will find the order forms on the shelf by the entrance door. For each book your family purchases, the school receives bonus points to use toward books and other materials for the school! Parents can also order online at:

www.scholastic.com/bookclubs
Online activation code is: GZX8D



SPECIAL CELEBRATION REMINDER

We welcome you to celebrate your child's birthday or any other special occasion at the center with a nutritious snack. Please note: the first 2 ingredients may not contain and type of sugar ingredient. The following are acceptable nutritious suggestions: fruit, pudding, yogurt (make fruit sundaes), muffins, 100% fruit popsicles, bagels with flavored cream cheese, frozen yogurt pushups, fruit smoothies, pizza, string cheese, nut free snack bars (fruit or granola. Cupcakes, donuts and cakes are not allowed.

All treats must be commercially prepared, <u>NOT HOME MADE</u>. You are welcome to participate (see volunteer requirements) in preparing a treat with the class. No peanut or nut products allowed. Under no circumstances will candy be allowed to be distributed to children at school.

NATIONAL PLAYDOUGH DAY

Monday, September 16th is National Play-dough Day. Each classroom will make play dough on that day. Children will use cutters and rollers to mold and explore their self-made play dough.

CUBBY BOXES

Children's belongings cannot come into contact with another child's belongings; therefore, each cubby has been supplied with a plastic storage bin. The cubby container MUST remain on site at all times and cannot be taken home. We suggest parents bring a pillowcase or reusable bag to transport your child's belongings to and from school. Please refrain from putting any type of lotion. hand sanitizer, sunscreen or diaper ointment in their cubbies. These items cannot be administered without the proper forms and must be stored in the office.

LOOKING INTO OCTOBER

Tuesday, October 22nd is our trip to the Pumpkin Patch. This trip is open to Munchkins, Chipmunks & Muskrats. (Sprites may attend with a designated chaperone) Children must have fully mastered the potty learning process unless accompanied by an adult. While at the pumpkin patch, the children will have the opportunity to pick their own pumpkin from the pumpkin patch. All pumpkins will be labeled with children's names and will stay at school for the remainder of the week to be incorporated into our curriculum. All pumpkins will be sent home after the Fall Festival, which is that Friday the 25th.

Oct. 18th = Great American Shake Out at 10:19am.

Oct. 25th = Fall Festival

Oct. 31st & Nov. 1st = Pajama Days

