

FCC PRESCHOOL

“SAVE THE DATES” JULY NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

Our 2018/2019 school year is quickly approaching. We are excited to start a new year! Please “save these dates” to your calendar. We wanted you to have plenty of time to plan around our school schedule.

*** Parent Open House, Thursday, August 30:**

Group Meeting @ 7:00 p.m. in our Meetinghouse. This meeting is for *parents only*. We encourage every family to have at least one parent at this informational meeting. There will be new information given, so even if you have attended in the past, you won't want to miss out! ☺

You are invited to visit your child's classroom and meet the teachers *before* or *after* the meeting:

The following parents are invited to meet your child's teacher **BEFORE** the group meeting: **6:20-6:50**.

- Room 1: **PreK 5s class** (M-F) with Mrs. Tinker and Mrs. Bighinatti
- Room 2: **PreK 4s 3-day and 5-day** classes with Mrs. Ostergren and Mrs. Anup
- Room 3: **PreK 3s 2-day a.m. class** (T, TH) with Ms. Lisa and Ms. Nikki
- Gym room (last room on left): a.m. **PreK 4s 4-day class** with Mrs. Cacioli and Mrs. Sunshine

The following parents are invited to meet your child's teacher **AFTER** the group meeting.

- Room 1: **PreK 4s/5s PM class** (M-TH) with Mrs. Tinker and Mrs. Hacker
- Room 3: **PreK 3s 3-day class** (M, W, F) & **PreK 3s 2-day PM class** (T, TH) with Ms. Lisa, Ms. Nikki and Ms. Gina
- Gym room: **Add-on PM classes** with Mrs. Bighinatti

*** Parent/Child Open House, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 4 and 5:**

At your scheduled time, we look forward to seeing you and your child at Parent/Child Open House in their classroom. In late August, your child/children will receive a “welcome to school” postcard from their assigned teacher, containing the **date and time** of your Open House. We divide each class to allow for a more intimate meet and greet. Your child will meet their new teacher and a few new friends—and have an opportunity to play with some of their classroom toys.

*September calendar is attached. Please make note of these important dates.

- ✓ **Shortened days for the 3s:** the **3-year-old classes** are shortened to 1.5 hours on their first day away from you, so they will have a positive introduction to school!
- ✓ **Scott's Orchard:** (Every child will need an adult with them)

There is an observation room for parents between the 3s- and 4s-year-old classrooms that is available throughout the year.

* We need a **completed and signed copy of the application/contract** from everyone A.S.A.P. If you have already submitted one, please disregard. If you have a ‘balance due’, your spot is NOT guaranteed. Please contact us at 860.529.1575 to immediately pay your \$100 deposit.

*** FINANCE:** You will be receiving your first statement by mid-July. **REMINDER:** All monthly payments are due by the first of each month beginning **August 1 and ending May 1**. *It is important that*

you submit your first tuition payment by August 1 to guarantee your child's placement. You will have the capability of paying your tuition on-line, either by automatic bill pay through your bank account or via your credit card.

If you prefer to pay in person, all payments should be given to Pat Gilbert, my administrative assistant, at the reception desk, or mailed directly to her at: First Church of Christ Preschool, 250 Main Street, Wethersfield, CT 06109.

I am working part-time throughout the summer. The offices are closed on Fridays. *E-mailing is the best way to communicate with me over the summer.* My e-mail address is vickie@firstchurch.org. This is a partnership and we want to be here to support you. Please feel free to call the office @ 860.529.1575. Pat is available all summer long to answer any questions that you may have.

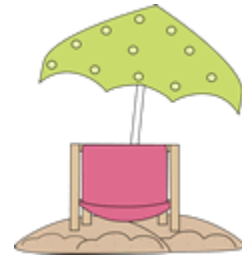
Thank you for enrolling your child in our school! We warmly welcome you and look forward to an exciting year ahead! Hope to see you all at our August 30 Parent Open House. ☺

Sincerely,

Vickie Anderson

Director of First Church of Christ Preschool

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AUG/SEPT 2018

| Monday Mrs. Cacioli's B-Day on Aug. 18  | Tuesday | Wednesday | August 30 Thursday | August 31 Friday |
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| 3 Labor Day No School | 4 Parent/Child Open House 3s-2 day 3s p.m.-2 day 4s-4 day 4s-3 & 5 day 4s/Pre-K Pre-K *Mrs. Bighinatti's B-day  | 5 Parent/Child Open House: 3s-3 day First Full Day: 4s-4 day 4s-3 & 5 day 4s/Pre-K Pre-K First day of Add- on class (Early Morning Drop-off, Lunch Bunch & Late Pickup Begin) | 6 Shortened Day 3s-2 day (a.m.): 8:45-10:15 3s-2 day (p.m.): 12:30-2:00 | 7 Shortened Day 3s-3 day (a.m.) 8:45-10:15 |
| 10 Full Day: 3s 3-day class (M, W, F) | 11 Full Day: 3s 2-day classes (T & TH) | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21* Mrs. Tinker's B-day  |
| 24 Child/Parent Fee-\$6 → | 25 ← | 26 | 27 | 28 → |
| 4s 4-day Class: Arrival time: 9:15 | 3s 2-day Class: 9:15 3s p.m. Class: 12:45 Arrival times | 4s 3- & 5-day Classes Arrival time: 9:15 | Pre-K 5s: 9:15 4s/5s: 12:45 Arrival times | 3s 3-day Class: Arrival times: 9:15 |

← Scott's Orchard Fieldtrip Schedule →