



May, 2019

It is hard to believe we are writing our last newsletter. This year has gone fast! The children have grown and learned so much! It has been fun to watch them develop confidence in new skills. We will be sending home our end-of-the-year evaluations soon. If we have any questions or concerns about your child, we will contact you about a time to meet with you. If you are concerned about how your child is developing, please talk with us; and we will set up a time to meet together. Thank you for a wonderful year and for allowing us the privilege of working with your child and your family. Have a great summer!

SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS

Just a reminder....book orders will be due (or ordered online with Code: DY4TL) by: **Weds, May 8** in order to get the books before school is out.

If you would like to order books using the paper catalog, please return the form with your child's name and cash or a check payable to: **Mountainside Preschool.**

PRESCHOOL CLOSING PROGRAMS AND PICNICS

The **Blue Birds**, **Gray Squirrels**, and **Orange Fish** will have their closing program and picnic on Tues, May 21.

White Bunnies and **Green Frogs** will have their closing program and picnic on Wed, May 22.

Children should arrive at the regular time. Families are invited to **join us at 10:30 am** for a short program. We will then enjoy a picnic out by the playground for our last day of school. Please bring a packed lunch with a drink for your family as well as blankets or chairs. **If it's raining, we will eat indoors.**

PRE-K PICNIC

The **Red Ladybugs** and **Green Turtles** and their families will be having their picnic day at Fort LeTort in Carlisle on Thurs, May 9.

The **Yellow Ducks**, **Brown Bears**, **Purple Dinosaurs**, and **Black Penguins** and their families will have their picnic day at Fort LeTort in Carlisle on Fri, May 10.

(The rain date for ALL six Pre-K classes will be Friday, May 17. This will be a regular school day if rain date isn't needed.)

Families are asked to **join us with their student** at the Park at **10:00 am**. (We will not be having school this day.) Please bring a packed lunch with a drink for your family as well as blankets or chairs. There are also picnic tables available. We will eat about 11:00 am.

Please plan to bring your Pre-K student and join us.

Pre-K CLOSING PROGRAMS

Red Ladybugs and **Green Turtles** will have their closing program on Tuesday evening, May 21 at 7:00 pm. This will also be the last day of school for both of these classes.

Purple Dinosaurs, **Brown Bears**, **Black Penguins** and **Yellow Ducks** will have their last day of school on Wednesday, May 22. Their closing program will be that evening at 7:00 pm.

Both programs will be held in the Sanctuary. Family and friends are invited to join us for these special evenings. The children work very hard on their program and are excited to present it for you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 9 – Ladybugs & Turtles Pre-K picnic (rain date May 17)

May 10 – Ducks, Bears, Penguins & Dinos Pre-K picnic (rain date May 17)

May 15 & 16 – Program by the York County Sheriff's Dept. K-9 Unit

Thank you to everyone who helped with the candy fundraiser. We raised \$1,872.01. Thanks, also, to everyone who participated in the Giant A+ School Rewards program by registering your Giant Bonus Cards with us. This year Mountainside will receive a check for \$1,382.63

Close-Toed Shoes

Just a reminder that children must wear close-toed shoes (no slip-ons) in order to play safely on the playground equipment and in the mulch.

WE HOPE YOU HAVE A FUN SUMMER!

