

# LPCP Newsletter

October 15, 2007

Wednesday Mozartiny music classes have begun. We have 4's, 3's and 2's in this class, they love each others company and enjoy learning about music tremendously. The class meets at 12:30. If you would like to join us, please do. Although LPCP students play with music instruments, sing songs, learn finger plays, kids do benefit from this additional music enrichment, so this is a great opportunity.

## Quick updates:

Our new door is in and we have been using it! We feel so spoiled, dismissal could not be easier. Please continue to pull your vehicle forward to buckle.

Look for the comments and suggestions box in the hallway near the fours room. Please feel free to jot down concerns or ideas; you don't have to write your name on it.

Our staff now has school Id's. We will be wearing them while we are in school and on field trips. These are primarily so that newcomers or first time 'pick-uppers' (aunts, sitters...) can identify who the staff is.

LPCP has reserved a spot to march in the Leesburg Halloween parade. Please let Meg know if you are interested in this event, there is a sign-up sheet outside the Four's room. We need at least 15 families to participate.

Parents and caregivers; we are always looking for guest readers or anyone with special skills to share with us. Please volunteer your time to the school or child's class; we would love to have you.



The fours class continues to focus on a letter a week. The students learn a letter song, practice writing each letter and gain phonological awareness in preparation for reading readiness. The teachers are integrating this information into their monthly themes which is Fall/ Halloween for the remainder of this month and All About Me and My family/ Thanksgiving in November.

The Three's and Two's have been talking a lot about Halloween. The students are learning to count to five and recognize the corresponding numbers, as well as, name recognition.

Our web page is always being updated and we hope soon to provide our families with pages about the child's classroom, songs they are singing and books they are reading...Our previous web master (who was phenomenal) is passing the torch to another, who is sure to be equally great, so please bear with us through these adjustments.

It's chilly; remember to dress warmly!

## **Late October and November dates to remember:**

- Oct 16- Picture orders due
- Oct 17- Art to Remember orders due and pumpkinville visit.
- Oct 31- Halloween party and parades.
- Nov 6- conferences/ No School

