

Luther Memorial Nursery



NOVEMBER, 2016

Dear Parents,

As Thanksgiving approaches, we pause to realize how privileged we are to be a part of your children's lives – Our entire team wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving! Cajsa Sheen, Director



Parent Teacher Conferences November 15th: On Nov.1 the schedules are posted outside the classroom for a convenient time. You may also call school for an appointment at 458-1481. The conference lasts no more than 15 minutes. We try very hard to stick to the scheduled timeframe so that we do not keep others waiting. We are offering child care this year. Mrs. O'Connell will be here to help watch the children at 5:00 pm. Please let Mrs. Sheen know if you need babysitting.

Fundraiser: The fundraiser was a BIG SUCCESS! Thank you to everyone who participated in our fundraiser. Pick up for the orders is Wednesday, Nov. 16 between 11 am-12:00pm. PLEASE NOTE: This is the only time to pick up orders. These are frozen items and must be distributed quickly. Please arrange to have items picked up if you are unable to be here.

Magic Carpet Reading Time: Miss Betty will be reading The Bear Snores On and Teddy Bear's Picnic. She is asking that each child bring in a teddy bear that day/ ***Yikes!!! The children will be going on a bear hunt!*** We would like to invite the parents to come and meet Miss Betty and see what this program is all about.



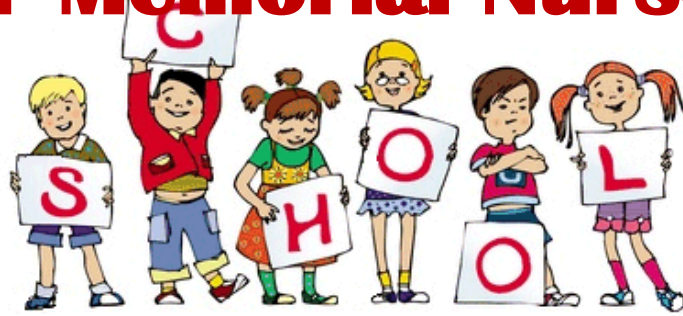
Outside: All children will be going outside every day if the temperature is 35° or higher (including wind chill). Please dress your child appropriately. The teachers of 3 & 4 year olds will send notes home if they plan on taking their classes out to play in the snow.

November Dates To Remember:

- 1 – Tuition due (on or before)
- 8 – No School
- 11 – No School in honor of Veteran's Day
- 15 – Parent Teacher Conferences (see schedule)
- 16 – Pick up Fundraising Orders 11am-Noon
- 16 – Corn Feast (3's)
- 16 – Magic Carpet Reading time for 3's & 4's
- 22 – Class Feast (4's)
- 23-25 – Thanksgiving Recess



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2 Year Olds

The children are transitioning nicely when they are going from one location to the other. For art they will be making turkeys and painting with feathers. The colors we will be learning about are brown and yellow. Dramatic play is farmers market and a bear cave. We will be listening to Brown Bear Brown Bear and We are going on a Bear Hunt. We will be singing Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star and 5 Little Ducks.

3 Year Olds

We are going to be reviewing Nursery Rhymes. The themes for the month are Color Mixing, Corn, and Turkeys. **On November 16th we will be having a Corn Feast. Please look for a sign- up sheet the week of November 2nd.** We will also be baking a Special Treat for our families. Dramatic Play will be bake shop.

4 Year Olds

We have started our Buddy Bag Program and the children seem to like it so far. Please read the cover page in the notebook and return promptly the next day! Keep up the good work! ~ Our themes for the month are Family Traditions, Turkeys, Harvest Chefs, Thanksgiving, and Hibernation. The letters are Q, K, G, T, H, M, & Z along with numbers 7-10. Popcorn Words are blue, where, two and is. Don't forget to look for the quilt on the bulletin board made from the squares they make! Each square tells a story about each child! **On Tuesday, November 22nd they will have a Class Feast. Please look for a signup sheet the week of November 14th.**

Contact Information:

We would be delighted to answer questions throughout the year. The office hours at Luther Memorial are Monday thru Friday from 8:30am – 3:30pm. A message for the Nursery School Director, Cajsa Sheen, can be left by calling 315-458-1481 Ext.2, or cell: 729-7103. Our website is: www.luthermemorials.org.