

# First Presbyterian Weekday School

116 South Loudoun Street - www.fpwds.com

Mother's Day Luncheon for 3's, 4's, and Pre-K

This event will be held on Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, and Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 12:00. Moms and special ladies are invited to join us for a potluck luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. The children, under Ms. Amy's guidance, have been practicing songs to honor the special women in their lives. Following this performance, the children will join you at your designated table in Fellowship Hall.

The sign up for covered dishes/food is available at

http://www.PerfectPotluck.com/meals.php?t=CBDW3807

The password is fpwds

The children and their teachers will be working to create place settings for each of our guests, and the classes will have designated tables to allow for fellowship and connections.

You should have received an invitation from your child for this event. RSVP's are due by May  $2^{nd}$  so we can make seating and high chair arrangements. We look forward to seeing you there!



**May 2016** 

#### **School Calendar**

#### <u>April</u>

Fri, Apr 29<sup>th</sup> – NO SCHOOL, Apple Blossom Weekend Begins



#### May

Weds, May 4th NOON Dismissal

Thurs, May 5<sup>th</sup> and Fri, May 6<sup>th</sup> – Mother's Day Luncheon at 12:00 pm in Fellowship Hall

Thurs, May 12<sup>th</sup> and Fri, May 13<sup>th</sup>
– Parent Liaison meeting, 9:15
am in Room 208

Weds, May 18·12:30 pm – Celebration of 4's and 5's in Fellowship Hall

Thurs, May 26<sup>th</sup> and Fri, May 27<sup>th</sup>
- Last days of school

# Mother's Day Luncheon Participation

If your child is in a class that meets Monday - Friday, you may be wondering when his or her class will attend the Mother's Day Luncheon.

## Thursday, May 5th

Ms. Carrie and Ms. Karen: Bears Ms. Susan and Ms. Denise: Owls

Ms. Kim and Ms. Yelena: T/Th Penguins Ms. Mandy and Ms. Sherry: T/Th Whales

## Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup>

Ms. Stefanie and Ms. Elizabeth: Otters Ms. Ann and Ms. Viviana: Arctic Foxes Ms. Sarah and Ms. Eleanor: Jellyfish Ms. Kim and Ms. Yelena: M/W/F Penguins Ms. Mandy and Ms. Sherry: M/W/F Whales

#### Celebration of 4's and 5's

On May 18<sup>th</sup>, our 4's and 5's will gather in Fellowship Hall at 12:30 to celebrate our time together. Parents, it's helpful to arrive early to find parking! This celebration will include a slideshow which features the children's growth over the past school year. Not only is this a time to reflect on the past, it is also a time to look forward to the future! We will definitely be wishing our school family members well as they make their journey to new schools. Although we may be going separate ways, know that you will always be a First Presbyterian Weekday School family member!











#### Thank You!!!

We would like to thank our Weekday School team, the LaMaster/Willingham family, our Parent Liaisons, and our volunteers who worked to make the Spaghetti Dinner, auction, and Giving Tree a success. As in any family, we count on each other to ensure that group events run smoothly. It is truly a joy to connect with our families during this ritual!

# Our Amazing Substitutes

Speaking of counting on each other, we would like to thank our loyal substitutes for their dedication. If you are interested in joining our roster of substitutes for the 2016-2017 school year, please get in touch with Ms. Tricia at (540) 662-7588, or at <a href="wds@fpcwinc.org">wds@fpcwinc.org</a>.

### Crime and Punishment!

Feeling curious about how consequences impact your children? Stop by the Weekday School blog to read about how natural consequences foster learning and growth. The blog can be accessed at http://fpwds.com/category/blog/.

# LifeTouch Photography

Friendly reminder that pictures and/or payments are due to the Weekday School no later than May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

# What's Happening in the Community?

- Handley Library will be hosting dance parties on Fridays, at 10:30 am, during the month of May. For more information, please visit: http://www.youseemo<u>re.com/handley/calendar.asp?cal=35</u>
- Friday, May 6th, Discovery Museum Free First Friday, 5:30 7:00 pm. Admission is free! For more information, please visit: http://discoverymuseum.net/calendar/
- Saturday, May 14th 11:00 am 5:00 pm Old Town Winchester Kids Fest in Old Town Winchester. For more information, please visit: http://www.visitwinchesterva.com/events/event/2427-kidz-fest
- Monday, May 30th at 8:00 am, The Shenandoah Valley Runners are hosting the Loudoun Street Mile, which includes the Children's 100 Yard and the Tot Trot. For more information, please visit:
  - http://www.visitwinchesterva.com/events/event/1297-loudoun-street-mile

## Conference Time!

If you wish to schedule a conference before the end of the school year, please contact your child's teacher. Currently, teachers are scheduling times to meet with parents to talk about their children's year at the Weekday School. If you have any questions, please contact the Weekday School office.