

Dear Parents, May 2021

I can't believe school is almost over. Our year has just flown by. Wow, what a year it's been! We made it through a lot of once in a lifetime moments!!!!

We will close the year this month with some fun units, Springtime at the Zoo, Down on the Farm, Ocean Commotion and Forever Friends! I only need 1 thing from you this month. A <u>washed</u>, <u>plain white t-shirt</u>, <u>labeled</u> with your child's name, on or before <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 4<sup>th</sup></u>. It can fit proper or be a little bit big. The children will make a cute splash day t-shirt to use as a cover up on splash day or for their dry clothes at the end of the splash day during our lunch together.

Please mark your calendars: <u>SPECIAL CELEBRATION HONORING our Pre-K 4's!</u> Our class will celebrate the morning of <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 5<sup>th</sup></u>. This is a very special time. The children usually wear "church clothes" for this special occasion, but it is not a requirement. 4 guests can come to celebrate your child's preschool years with us. All will be required to wear a mask while we social distance in the prayer garden. A short cookie reception will follow, then we will continue on with our regular school day.

The children will get to celebrate our year together with a Super Summer Send-Off! (Sorry no adults this year) For those of you new to our school, Splash Day is a kid favorite. We rotate through several areas in the school having fun with music, bubbles, WATER FUN, popsicles or snow cones and lots of other surprises. Please remember to send your child to school <u>already in their swimsuit</u> and with <u>sunscreen already applied!</u> We get started right away so you'll want them to be ready and get here quick. Also, send 2 <u>labeled</u> beach towels! We use one of the towels as we move through stations. The second towel is to use when they are changing into dry clothes for lunchtime inside. It gets very cold if they stay in their wet clothes. The Fun is happening on Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>. This will be <u>our last special event together</u> so we will plan for a splash day pizza lunch. And ssssh ~ we will have a Sundae FunDay on our very last day of school.

I cannot express enough what a wonderful year we've had. The children have grown in so many ways. It's wonderful to see the friendships they have formed & how each child has blossomed. I have laughed so hard at some of the cute things your children have said and done this year and I can assure you, their Pre-K teacher loves each of them very much! They'll always have a huge place in my heart. I want to thank all of you for your endless help & support this year. If I needed anything, you were there. You were very generous with your time and your gifts. Thank you for showering us with love and blessing us. What a privilege it has been. You are truly the best! I will miss you; I will continue to pray for you & for the children. We hope you have found a special place here at Bear Creek & that your hearts have been touched forever! Please stop by & visit us next year. Have a Great Summer!!!

With Love & God's Blessings to you all, Mrs. Segura

