



- Oct. 21-24 Mon.-Thurs. [Speech Screening for all Students](#) – See details below.
- October 22 Tues. [Fall Fun Day Game Sponsor Money Due.](#) SIGN UP SHEETS FOR GAME SPONSORS AND VOLUNTEERS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE PRESCHOOL BULLETIN BOARD THIS WEEK.
- October 29 Tues. [FALL FUN DAY AND COSTUME PARADE.](#) PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR ALL THE GREAT DETAILS! 🎃

# Donuts With Dad

## Don't Forget Donuts with Dads and other Cool Dudes!

Be sure to note the Bright and Early time of 8:45 am on Thursday, October 3rd! After enjoying donuts, milk and juice with the kids, we invite everyone down to visit the classrooms! If Dad isn't available and Grandpa, Uncle or a family friend, that would be great too!

Dads, we would love to keep you all day, BUT we have important kid stuff to attend to 😊. So..... Dads and other "Cool Dudes" will dismiss between 9:15 and 9:30. We are looking forward to seeing you!

**Thanks, from the bottom of our hearts to the moms who have volunteered to help with serving and clean up for this special event!**

Speech and Language Screening – Week of October 21-24, we welcome speech pathologist, Melissa Brooks' team from Wilmington Speech Associates to do screenings with our preschoolers. If you do not want your child to participate, please let your child's teacher know.

Preschool T-shirts, Sweatshirts and Hoodies: Fall is a great time to stock up on sweatshirts and hoodies! Go to our t-shirt website: [www.WUMPapparel.com](http://www.WUMPapparel.com) for great deals and 50% of your total purchase come right back to our preschool. **Toddler size hoodies and zip up jackets are only \$13! Quite a deal!!**

Bicycle and Scooter Parking: As a friendly reminder, we have bike racks under the covered parking beside the entry door. We have been asked by the church Trustees to not park bicycles inside the Narthex. We appreciate your help with this!

## **THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!**

To church members, Sandy and Kathy Griffin for donating the funds for our new raised garden beds on the playground and to the Greenwood Family (Grey's Mom, Dad and Grandfather) for the planning and manpower to get these built and installed! The children are already growing some fall flowers, bush beans, kale and onions. They are enjoying tending to their plants and checking the progress each day!

To Ashley Lee (Abby's Mom) for signing up for the letter Aa so that we could learn all about apples, we sampled different types of apples, and things made from apples such as apple cider and applesauce and did a little worksheet showing our preferences.

To Paige and Doug Leonard (Campbell's Parents) for our special Bb week activities- Blue dotted brownies, bubbles and bead necklaces!

To Carrie Mincey (Carper's Mom) for scheduling the Coast Guard to visit during Cc Week. They trailered a big boat to school for the kids to climb aboard and sound the siren. The Coast Guard Petty Officers also discussed boating safety with the kids and explained that they are sort of like police officers, except they do their job on the water.



# **FALL FUN DAY!**

**Tuesday, October 29 – We will begin Fall Fun Day at 9:30 a.m. with a Costume Parade.**

Parents are encouraged to stay for the parade, cheer us on and take plenty of pictures! This will be followed by a Mini Carnival with games and prizes. Each class will also have a special party snack in their rooms on this day. **Parent volunteers will be needed to assist with the carnival games and volunteers should plan on staying until around 11:00 or 11:30.**

Teachers will also post signup sheets, for party snacks and supplies needed for their individual classes, on top of the cubbies.

We would like to emphasize that we are downplaying the “scary” side of Halloween, so as your child selects his/her costume please take this into consideration. We see this as a wonderful opportunity for preschoolers to play “Dress Up” and “Let’s Pretend”. There are so many great possibilities! Your child may want to have their play clothes on under their costume, just in case they want to take their costume off.

# FALL FUN DAY DONATIONS & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AND WELCOMED!

Often, parents ask us to please let them know if we have any specific preschool needs that they can assist us with. Well, here is your opportunity to help! We will have nine different carnival games with prizes on Fall Fun Day. **If you would like to help offset the cost of this special event YOUR FAMILY MAY SPONSOR A GAME BOOTH by covering the cost of the prizes.** If you like, two, three or four families can share the cost of sponsoring a booth. **Prizes have already been ordered and the games have already been planned and will be set up (complete with instructions) by our staff on Fall Fun Day.** All we will need are game sponsors and volunteers to run the games as each class comes through the carnival.

**Please see the signup sheets for Fall Fun Day Game Sponsor donations and volunteers which will be available next week on the preschool bulletin board in the hallway. Thanks so much!!**

## Thursday Lunch Bunch

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the days your child will be staying for Thursday Lunch Bunch this month:

Oct. 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Oct. 10 \_\_\_\_\_

Oct. 17 \_\_\_\_\_

Oct. 24 \_\_\_\_\_

Oct. 31 \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Lunch bunch days \_\_\_\_\_ X \$5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Please turn in this form by Wednesday, Oct. 4. You may add total to your tuition check for October. Reminder: 3 day a week tuition is 190.00/month and 4 day is \$210.00/month.

Thank you