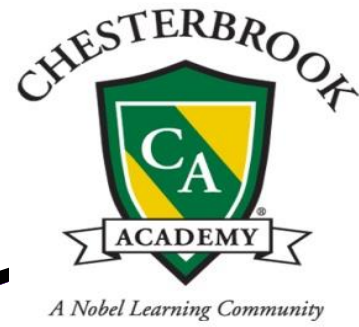


# March News



March 1, 2017

## Ice Cream Celebration

**Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 3:30pm**

On March 2, 2017, Dr. Seuss would have celebrated his 113th birthday! We are celebrating his birthday and the success of Read Across America on Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Each class will read their favorite Dr. Seuss books throughout the day; turn Ms. Sarah *and* Ms. Kelly into human sundaes, and enjoy an ice cream party!

*Parents and friends are invited to participate in our ice cream celebration and turning Ms. Sarah and Ms. Kelly into sundaes as well... please be nice!*



### Summary:

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## Early Bird Registration

**March 6<sup>th</sup> – March 24<sup>th</sup>**



In an effort to allow our families the opportunity to enroll early we will begin our priority registration process on Monday, March 6, 2017 and it will continue until Friday, March 24, 2017. All of the information and new registration forms will be provided to you on Monday, March 6<sup>th</sup>. Please submit our required forms along with your new registration fee on or before 3/24/17. To wrap up our early bird registration and celebrate the upcoming summer camp festivities, we will be having a fun carnival with face painting and a scavenger hunt on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> from 10am-1pm.

## Carnival

**Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> from 10am-1pm**

Please join us on Saturday, March 25<sup>th</sup> during our open house for fun games, activities, and information on summer camp. All families, friends, and children of all ages are welcome. If your child is going to be 5 years old by June 2017, your child will be eligible to participate in our school age summer camp and go on field trips! You are encouraged to come and talk with our summer camp coordinator, Ms. Heather, during this time to ask questions and learn about the summer camp experience for your child.



# Butter Braids

Orders due March 15<sup>th</sup>!

Please turn in any orders to the front desk no later than Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>. Let us know if you have any questions and we would be happy to help.



# Daylight Saving Time Begins

Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

Don't forget to turn your clocks forward an hour!



# St. Patrick's Day

Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>

On Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, have your child dressed in all green! We will be having fun surprises throughout the day such as green snacks,



# Pasta for Pennies Success

We would like to thank everyone for their participation in our Pennies for Patients fundraiser for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Our Pre-K classroom has raised the most funds for this cause and the class will be receiving a catered lunch from Olive Garden!



# Spring Break Camp

Register Now: April 10<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>

Chesterbrook Academy will be hosting a spring break camp for school aged students during the week of April 10<sup>th</sup>. Please see the front desk to register your student for spring break.

## Recipe of the Month

### Irish Chicken and Dumplings

*Courtesy of allrecipes.com*

#### Ingredients

- 2 (10.75 ounce) cans condensed cream of chicken soup
- 3 cups water
- 1 cup chopped celery
- 2 onions, quartered
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
- 1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper



- 4 skinless, boneless chicken breast halves
- 5 carrots, sliced
- 1 (10 ounce) package frozen green peas
- 4 potatoes, quartered
- 3 cups baking mix
- 1 1/3 cups milk

#### Directions

1. In large, heavy pot, combine soup, water, chicken, celery, onion, salt, poultry seasoning, and pepper. Cover and cook over low heat about 1 1/2 hours.
2. Add potatoes and carrots; cover and cook another 30 minutes.
3. Remove chicken from pot, shred it, and return to pot. Add peas and cook only 5 minutes longer.
4. Add dumplings. To make dumplings: Mix baking mix and milk until a soft dough forms. Drop by tablespoonfuls onto BOILING stew. Simmer covered for 10 minutes, then uncover and simmer an additional 10 minutes.

## Looking Forward

April 6<sup>th</sup>  
Picture Day

April 10<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>  
Spring Break Camp

April 24<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>  
Week of the Young Child

April 21<sup>st</sup>  
Celebrating Earth Day with a Ladybug Release

May 12<sup>th</sup>  
Mother's Day Tea at 3:30pm