

**LOVE** is in the air at Chesterbrook Academy!

February is here and this month is full of events....DON'T MISS OUT! Some things to be aware of: President's Day, Parent Date Night, Valentine's Day Parties, and Read Across America.

### Links to Learning

This month's theme is "Healthy Children." During this time the children will learn about Dental Health, Eating Nutritiously, Journey into the Body, and Five Senses.



### READ ACROSS AMERICA!

January 5<sup>th</sup>-March 3<sup>rd</sup>

Join Pre-K2 in a contest to read 1800 books by March! So far we have read 543 books we are thrilled with our school's participation. On Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> you could help make a Pre-K2 teacher, Ms. Kirby & Ms. Sydney into a BEAUTIFUL ART PROJECT with Paint!!!

### Contest Details:

As you and your child read books together, remember to write the name of the book on the "Weekly Reading List" sheet and turn it in weekly until the March deadline. You can find the worksheet and a drop off location of read books in the lobby. Every Friday is 'book count' day and we will let everyone know what our new total is at the end of each week. We will celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday with an ice cream/popsicle party and our closing event on March 3<sup>rd</sup> with a closing ceremony where the children will be painting Ms. Sydney, Ms. Kirby & a Pre-K2 Teacher.

# February

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| 01.05.17- | Read Across America-Starts  |
| 03.02.17  | Read Across America-Ends  |
| 02.02.17  | Groundhog's Day   |
| 02.10.17  | Parent Date Night 6:30-10pm   |
| 02.14.17  | Valentine's Day Classroom Parties   |
| 02.20.17  | Presidents Day - CLOSED   |
| 02.21.17  | Kyle's Karate new season starts   |
| 02.27.17  | Fundraiser Kick-Off - Butter Braids   |
| 03.01.17  | Lifetouch Picture Day - Infant, Infant2, Toddlers, Beginners, Siblings & Class                          |
| 03.02.17  | Lifetouch Picture Day - Intermediates, Pre-K, Pre-K2, Siblings & Class                                  |
| 03.03.17  | Dr. Seuss' Birthday!  |
| 03.03.17  | Read Across America - Make a Pre-K2 teacher, Ms. Kirby & Ms. Sydney into a <u>BEAUTIFUL ART PROJECT</u> |

Friendly Reminder: We are closed on President's Day **Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup>** for our staff in-service training.

*Coming up...*

## Picture Day

Lifetouch will be here on Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> and Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> to take our Spring Pictures. Every child will be included in Picture Day, you do not need to sign up.

On Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, our Toddler classroom will turn into a picture studio. Toddler students will meet in the Infant 2 classroom for their morning activities. Wednesday pictures will be held for Infants, Infant2, Toddlers, Beginners, Teachers and Classrooms.

On Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, our Pre-K classroom will turn into a picture studio and all Pre-K students will meet in the Pre-K2 classroom for their morning activities. Thursday Pictures will be held for Intermediates, Pre-K, Pre-K2, Teachers and Classrooms.

Siblings pictures can be scheduled either day. Parents should let the teachers know in advance. In addition, if your child is not scheduled on one of these days, we welcome you to join us for the pictures on your child's class schedule or whichever day works best.

### **Ancillary: Kyle's Karate**

The new season of Karate starts soon..... If you are interested in signing your child up for Karate please register at the front desk.

Thank you to the parent's who filled out our PAR Surveys this year. We will be reviewing the surveys at the end of the month and will be sending a letter follow up very soon.



## Valentine's Date Night: 2/10

We encourage parents to sign up for our **Valentine's Parent Date Night!** The first child is \$35 and \$25 for siblings. This can be withdrawn directly through ACH!

We will be open until 10:00pm so that our parents can have a nice time together while the children participate in crafts and pizza with friends!

## Valentine's Day Classroom Parties!

Valentine's Day Parties will be on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm. Please look for a sign-up for your child's classroom party on their door. We ask if you bring treats in that do not contain nut ingredients and are nut free. A friendly reminder that we are a nut free facility. If your child has allergies or food restrictions, please let your teacher know if you want to bring in a special treat that day.

Toddler's – Pre-K2 will be provided with a classroom list of names if you would like to participate in a Valentine exchange with their classmates.



### **Early Bird Re-Enrollment:**

As we get ready for priority registration, we would like to thank you for choosing Chesterbrook Academy to provide your children with a unique experience. Coming soon you will have the opportunity to pre-register and secure your child's spot for 2017-2018 school year. You will receive a discount off each returning student registration fee.

