



May 2022

Dear Parents,

I can't believe these are our last few weeks of school. I want to thank you all for sharing your children with us and making it a wonderful year. We will be finishing with lots of activities, so make sure to check your teacher's emails and FB posts to stay up to date. A big shout out to the preschool staff for posting lots of pictures and videos. It's so fun to see what the children are doing while at school. How do they fit in so much fun in just a 3 hour day?!! They are truly amazing and very dedicated to the education of your kiddos 🥰

Ladies Dessert Night

Thank you to Anastasia Morris and her committee for the time and dedication they put into this important event. Through their efforts and your support, we were able to raise \$5,650 for our school! This money will be spent on playground maintenance and classroom enhancements.

Scholastic Book Fair

The spring book fair will be held in the downstairs lobby from May 9-13. You are able to come in to shop after drop off and pick up. There will be lots of great books available. Make sure to stock up for summer reading! We kindly ask that you wear a mask when you are in the building. Thank you for supporting this program and investing in your child's early literacy!

Alex's Lemonade Stand

Gear up for our annual Alex's Lemonade Stand hosted by "Concordia Kids Care" a.k.a. your children. It is a day filled with fun and the message that even the youngest children can help make a difference in the life of a sick child. This year, we will return to 2 larger stands held on Wednesday, May 11 for Mrs. Wright's, Mrs. Sims' 4s and Mrs. Scott's classes and Thursday, May 12 for both 2s classes, Mrs. Doran's and Mrs. Dramis' classes. You should plan on arriving at 11:45. The lower lot will be coned off. You will park and walk to your child's class table near the big rock. Your child will serve you lemonade, and you can make a donation to our cause. As this event is outside, masks are optional.

Advisory Board

Thank you to the 2021-2022 Advisory Board members for all of their help and service this past year. Your volunteerism is appreciated! We are currently looking for parents to serve on next year's board. Please contact Kaitlin Dyer at kaitlindyer@me.com if you are interested.

End of the Year Survey

An online survey for parents will be created by our board president, Kaitlin Dyer. She will send you an email with the link to complete the survey. Please take a moment to give us your input. We appreciate your feedback!

Spring Photos

John Gallen will be here to take spring photos on Wednesday, May 4 and Thursday, May 5. These are optional individual (not class) photos. Weather permitting, photos will be taken outside on the playground. For those who have a sibling at Concordia, we are able to arrange for a photo of the kids together if you wish. Just let us know in advance. Envelopes with packages/pricing came home earlier this week.

Concordia Day at the Wilmington Blue Rocks

Concordia Preschool Day at the Blue Rocks is scheduled for Sunday, May 22. Ticket forms are coming home now. Our group will all sit together in Section K. If you arrive early, you are able to have a catch in the outfield. The children are also allowed to run the bases after the game. Tickets are \$12 each and children 3 and under are free if they sit on your lap. If you are interested, please return your completed forms and payments by Friday, May 6.

Friday Specials

The children who play soccer will have a make up day on Wednesday, May 18. The last day for all Friday Specials is Friday, May 20. We hope your child has enjoyed his/her activity. We will offer the same specials next fall; dance, karate and soccer. Registration for these will happen when we begin school in September.

Summer Camp

Our summer camp is full. Those students enrolled will receive more information in the next week.

The time has flown by... Your children have grown so much. What an incredible experience it has been getting to know them. I hope you have many fond memories of your time here. For those of you leaving Concordia, I wish you well and continued success. For those of you who are returning in the fall, have a terrific summer. We have already begun to plan for your little one's next school year. You will receive a letter from me with annual paperwork/forms to complete in July.

Thank you all again for a terrific year. Our families and staff make Concordia Preschool an awesome place to learn and play! Don't forget to check the website and follow us on Facebook and Instagram. Enjoy these last weeks of school and have a great summer. It is a pleasure to serve as the Director of Concordia Preschool.

As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out, even in the summer months!

Yours in sunscreen and bubbles,

Helen Spillan

