



June 2019 Newsletter



Holy Cross Christian Nursery School

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Fun in the Sun, Daddy's Day, Community Sing, Graduation & More...

It seems like only yesterday that the school year began and now it is almost June, with only a few weeks of school left! Thank you for sharing your delightful children with us....we have had a WONDERFUL year!! Thank you to each and every one of you for your enthusiasm and dedication to your child's preschool experience and to our school! We appreciate your continued and kind support and all of the encouraging words you have given us throughout the year! In Community Sing we will look back on the school year and think of all the things we learned. We will sing all of our favorite songs and we will talk about summer time and our wonderful Daddies and Grandpas. We will also remember some of the songs we have sung, and all of the wonderful stories that we have heard!



Important June Dates – Mark Your Calendar ...

- June 5 & 6:** Field Days & Picnics (Just for the children- see below for details)
- June 18:** Graduation Ceremony for Mrs. Murray's Pre-K Class 9:15 a.m.
- June 19:** Graduation Ceremony for Mrs. Stecher's Pre-K Class 9:15 a.m.
- June 21:** Last Day of School



Field Days & Picnics



On June 5 & 6, all of our students will be having special Field Days & Class Picnics! The children will be doing lots of fun activities outside and in our gym space, including races and obstacle courses, and then they will have a picnic outside (or in the parish center, if it rains). There is already a sign-up sheet, outside of your child's classroom, if you would like to contribute something for your child's class. Be sure to apply sunscreen that day, since we will be outside for an extended period of time. Also, be sure to ask your child's teacher what color shirt to wear that day, to represent their class. It should be lots of fun!!



Graduation Ceremonies

On Tuesday, June 18 and Wednesday, June 19, our fabulous Pre-K students will be graduating from Holy Cross! We will hold our graduation ceremonies in the back building (on the stage) and you are welcome to have as many family members/friends attend, as you like. Our graduates will start heading up to the Parish Center (the back building) at about 9:15, and graduation will start ***promptly*** at 9:30 a.m and should last about 30 minutes. The children will sing a few songs for you and each will receive a diploma....we can't wait!



Special Thanks To...

- ~ Mrs. Lanza and Mrs. Galella for all of their wonderful help with our Mother's Day Tea!! The room was beautiful and the teas were lovely! We couldn't have done it without them!!
- ~ Cattus Island for coming to speak with us about the amazing owls in our area!
- ~ All of the teachers, staff and school board members here at Holy Cross for making this a wonderful, fun and successful year!

Help Wanted!

We are looking for a few volunteers to help us out at our Pre-K graduations on Tuesday, June 18 & Wednesday, June 19. If your child is in one of our Preschool 3s classes or in our Terrific 2s class, and you're available from about 9:00-10:00 on either of these days, we'd love to have you! And...you get to get a sneak peak of what you can look forward to, when *you're* child graduates from Holy Cross! Please see Mrs. G, if you are interested.

Practice, Practice, Practice

Throughout the school year, all of our students are working on lots of skills that will help them be successful in Kindergarten. It's a long summer, and without any reinforcement of these skills, a lot can be lost! Especially for our Pre-K parents, it is important to continue to practice math concepts (like shapes, counting and sorting), recognizing and writing their letters, and have your children do fun fine motor activities (for example; cutting, gluing, coloring, play-doh)! That way, they'll start off right, in September!

*****Also.....just a reminder to always be sure to check your children for ticks! It's that time of year again, and they are everywhere! So, when your children come home from school, the park, the soccer fields, give them a quick tick check!*****

Happy Father's Day to all our wonderful Dads and Grandpas!

Have a safe, healthy and enjoyable summer. If you are returning in September, have a terrific summer and if you are "leaving" Holy Cross, keep in touch and visit us.....we'll miss you!!

