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SAVE THE DATE

- Friday, November 5h Spirit Day, Support your favorite team day
- Thursday, November 11th— CYSD Closed for Veterans Day—Full Day care available
- Friday, November 12th— YSSD Early Dismissal Day 1/2 Day care available
- Wednesday, November 17th—Spirit Day, Wacky Wednesday
- Tuesday, November 23rd @
 6 PM, PPC meeting Google
 Meet—email Ms. Carman
- Wednesday. November
 24th—Spirit Day, Plaid VS
 Tie Dye Day
- Also, 11/24—No School at YSSD & CYSD, School Age Care Available
- Reminder Thursday &
 Friday November 26th 27th—CDC will be closed
 for the Thanksgiving
 Holiday ENJOY this time
 with family!





The Director's Corner

Fall is well underway, and we're just kicking off all the exciting things to come along with it. There have been so many things going on—lots of changes, and we want to ensure we are keeping you all in the know. You will be getting a new Emergency Contact form to complete—this will allow us to ensure we have the most up to date contact information for you in the event of an important event. We have decided that it is necessary to update our communications channels —as many families have said they have not been getting the emails, with us using an @gmail.com email address and the text message system were not always reliable for reaching everyone— so we have upgraded to our own domain (@1stchurchcdc.org) for emails and we are very excited to let you know that we have also implemented an integrated messaging system via Procare (the system we already use for our billing). In addition to being able to send you all reliable and accurate text messages we hope to also very soon be able to have touchless sign-in/sign-out process for all families to use before Christmas. The new emails are in place now, once we collect and verify all the best ways to contact you all the text messages will start going out, and All hopefully very helpful things to come to increase and improve our outgoing communication.

As always, grateful to be in your service—





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William-11/4

De'Ante—11/7 Ms. Jessica — 11/8 Ryley– 11/10 Logan—11/10 Alex—11/14 Haylee -11/18

Hayden—11/18

Matthew—11/22

Kathryn—11/23

Carson—11/26

& Happiest Birthday wishes to all other November Babies!

Happy Anniverary Ms. Debbie — 11/18 ~ 2 Years



Important Information to Remember



- As the weather gets cooler, a friendly reminder to **PLEASE** <u>turn your</u> <u>vehicles completely off</u> when you're coming inside. The exhaust fumes are not good for us to breathe, and they do follow us inside the automatic doors.

Tuition for your week of care is due before Monday at Noon to avoid any late fees. You may make your payments online using debit/credit cards at MyProCare.com. Or sign up for Tuition Express so you can take if off your list entirely! There are no fees charged to families to pay online or to use a card. If using "free days" PLEASE put them in writing at least 2 business days ahead.
Lastly, if you are looking to make some additional space before the Holidays and wish to donate or pass along "under used" items The Child Development Center will gladly accept your gently used books (picture & board books), board games, puzzles, toy sets and art /craft supplies—tax forms available for your donations.



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If you're thankful and you know it, clap your hands if you're thankful and you know it, clap your hands if you're thankful and you know it. then your face will surely show it, if you're thankful and you know it clap your hands! -Stomp your feet... Shout I am!!!

Five Little Turkeys — 5 little turkeys standing by the door, One waddled off and then there were 4. Four little turkeys under a tree-One waddled off and then there were 3. Three little turkeys with nothing to do, one waddled off and then there were 2. Two little turkeys in the Noonday sun, another waddled often then there was 1. One little turkey, say, you'd better run away — for sooner than you know it will come Thanksgiving Day !!

Combatting Illness

Our Commitment to Health & Safety

Providing a healthy and safe learning environment for the children is the highest of priorities. In addition to following our center's comprehensive health and safety protocols, we regularly adjust our operations to meet or exceed the current guidance from local and state health departments during this time of heightened vigilance. We are currently doing this by following these safety measures:

• Repeated disinfecting/cleaning of "high-touch" surfaces throughout the school day and in the evenings (including desks, doors, public spaces, and bathroom fixtures)

• Frequent and thorough hand-washing by students and team, actively encouraged throughout the school day

• Finally, wearing facial masks/coverings as required

And as a special request to ensure the health of all -

• As well as to be able to deliver uninterrupted care is by having all team members and children enrolled who are feeling ill/unwell to stay home until they fully recover/are <u>symptom free</u>. We cannot protect and keep everyone safe against things that what we do not know are out there. Let's all work together to keep our center well!



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Join the PPC?

Our center needs you—all of our families are vital to the continued success of this center. Questions/ Comments/Concerns? Want your voice be heard? Then be sure to let us hear ALL your thoughts on what we're doing well and what we could be doing to be <u>even</u> better. Improvements, Fundraising and general suggestions are topics to be discussed. All meetings will be held virtually until further notice. Reach out to Ms. Carman for link to be shared. The next meeting is 11/24 @ 6PM, please RSVP if attending

Curriculum Corner

"Our greatest natural resource is the minds of our children."

~Walt Disney~

Infants— Are discovering on Fall Sensory activities. Diamonds, Letter C, Number 2 & the color Brown **Our Infant plans are individualized for the needs of each specific child

Toddiers & Twos— Learning about Harvest, Trees, Weather, Thanksgiving, Letters, Colors, Shapes & Numbers Preschool & Pre-K— Manners, Thanksgiving, All types of Families

School Age— Thanksgiving, Friends and Manners

All classrooms have their weekly lesson plans posted in their room and copies can be send home to you by request. This is a great opportunity for parents to work on activities at home, reinforcing what we are working on

November TOTM!

Congratulations, Ms. Jen! For a 2nd November in a row, this is your month for recognizing all your awesomeness! "She is easy going, calm with the babies and always in a great mood" - notes her nominator and we couldn't agree more! Ms. Jen knows babies, and our Infant classrooms are blessed to have you! Thank you for being part of our team for over 10 years, too! YOU ARE APPRECIATED Congratulations, again & you rock!!

Top Talent Teachers

The teacher of the month nomination forms are always available for you to have your say about the next "Teacher of the Month." If you are interested in making a recommendation, please reach out and request one be sent via email. Completed nomination forms need to be in before the 25th of the month.



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