

Our Lady's Little Christians

June 2010 Newsletter

There are still openings in some of our classes. Please share your experience at OLLC with your friends and neighbors who may be looking for a preschool program.

June dates to remember:

There are no preschool activities in June. Please call Ms. Billard (301.645.7112) to schedule a summer appointment to complete your child's paperwork. All paperwork must be completed before your child starts (or returns to) school.

FREE Community Events

Saturday, June 5 – Join storytellers and the Chick-fil-A cow for great stories and a fun craft at 10:00 a.m., 11 a.m., and 1:30 p.m. at the PD Brown Library in Waldorf. No registration required.

Saturday, June 26 – 10 a.m. – **Bilingual Story time (Spanish/English)** for ages 3-6 at PD Brown Library in Waldorf. No registration required.

Gratitude:

-The final total raised during the Trike-a-thon for the children of St. Jude Research Hospital was . . . \$3,265.00!! This exceeds last year's total by \$915.80!! Thank-you to everyone who participated!

-Thank-you to all who brought donations for the Humane Society. They were appreciated by all of the animals!

Reminders:

-**Tuition** – One month's (May 2011) tuition is due by July 15. The next tuition payment will be due no later than September 13. There will be a \$50 discount if the full year's tuition is paid in full by September 30, 2010.

-OLLC collects and recycles **ink jet cartridges** throughout the year. Please save them for us if your ink runs out over the summer. There is a collection container in the main office hallway. This is a fundraiser for our school. During the last school year we earned \$98.00 and kept boxes of plastic ink cartridges out of landfills.

-Did you know that you can support OLLC and promote fitness at the same time? Go to www.teambeachbody.com/ollc and check it out! There are videos for children and adults, and other fitness products and supplements. OLLC will receive 25-40% of the proceeds from every product sold from our page. From www.teambeachbody.com/ollc click on **SHOP** and then type "kids" in the search field to see the **kids' exercise videos**.

-New Families: **All children must be toilet trained** before they come to school. Our license does not allow for diapers or pull-ups.

-The **2010-2011 School Year** will be here before we know it! All paperwork must be completed and turned in before school starts in September. Ms. Billard will have office hours during the summer and will make at least one appointment with each family to complete each child's file.

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Classroom News

Mrs. Ryon's and Mrs. Salt's classes

Please provide your child with many opportunities to cut with safety scissors and use writing instruments (pencil, marker, crayon, etc.)! Children should also be encouraged to take care of as many personal care items as possible. This increases self-esteem and makes the transition to school much easier. 3- and 4-year-old children can learn to button, zip, snap, open their own snacks and drinks, and wipe themselves after using the bathroom.

Looking forward . . . Watch for email containing the schedule for the first week of school!

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