# Weekly Office Notes

#### January 17, 2023

### **Reminder:**

Last Call for Sports Club! There's still time to sign up!

Sports Club will meet weekly on Wednesdays. Here's what you should know:

- Primary Club Time | 2:45-3:15pm
- Elementary Club Time | 3:30-4:15pm
- One-time Club Fee of \$100 for the semester (January through April)

If your child is not a participant in our Late Stay Program, this service will not be automatically provided. Drop-in Late Stay is available on a first-come, first-served basis at a daily charge of \$20.00

If you child is already enrolled in the MSOR Late Stay Program, he or she will be escorted back to Late Stay following Sports Club.

# Ms. Ginny's & Ms. Kelly's Toddler Class

Oh boy! January is halfway over! We've really been enjoying our study of arctic animals. We have made many fun crafts and learned new songs about arctic animals. "I'm a little penguin, black and white..." Ask your child to sing it and act it out for you. It's one of our favorites!

Thank you for keeping your child home if they are not feeling well. With all of these viruses and sicknesses going around, we appreciate any preemptive measures you are taking to keep everyone in our classroom well (knock on wood).

Just a reminder that we will be studying Italy for International Day next month. Agata's family is gracious enough to provide us with some items representative of their country but we'd love any other items YOU might have from Italy to really bring their culture into our classroom. Please reach out to Mrs. Ginny with any ideas or questions.

Ms. Ginny & Ms. Kelly

#### Ms. Shannon's, Ms. Jessica's, & Ms. Kristin's Toddler Class

I hope you all had a great long weekend! The children were all happy and busy today. We are continuing with our study of Arctic animals. Today we had a great time making snowflakes to decorate our windows and to compliment the "icicles" that they made out of beads that they strung. It's looking like a winter wonderland!

Please make sure to keep an eye on your child. If they are not feeling well then please keep them home and monitor them. We have two children in our class who are Covid positive. There are several other cases throughout the school. We want everyone to stay well.

We are beginning to gear up for next month. It is International month and our class will be studying Mexico. If you have anything that you would like to share with the class please let me know. We can always use artifacts, clothing to display, pictures, books, etc. Make sure to mark your calendar for Thursday, February 23rd so that you can join us for our presentation and feast.

Ms. Shannon, Ms. Jessica, & Ms. Kristin

### Ms. Angie's, Ms. Karabeth's, & Ms. Rana's Primary Class

I hope everyone enjoyed the long weekend. We have had a few sicknesses in the past week. Keeping our class healthy is very important to us. We are continuously washing hands and cleaning our room. Thanks for all the help and support with this.

A few reminders for January:

- We are studying Romania for International Day. If you have anything to share, please let us know.
- No lunch is needed on Wednesday. I am providing lunch for the class with the main meal being homemade Mac n Cheese.
- No lunch is needed on Thursday. Vittoria and her family are providing lunch for her birthday.
- On Friday the adolescents will have a spaghetti fundraiser for lunch. The office has sent out the information through an email. Please send in \$7 if you want your child to have the spaghetti lunch.
- The 100th day of school will be on January 30th. Remember to send in your 100 things. Your child may dress up as if they were 100 years old also. It should be fun.

Have a great week!!

# Ms. Krystle's, Ms. Macy's, & Ms. Trudy's Primary Class

Happy Tuesday!

- Jan 30: 100th day of school. You may dress your child up like a one hundred year old person & please have your child bring in 100 items (food, figurines, etc).
- Our class is studying Tahiti for International Day. If you have any artifacts, or would like to help with making crafts, making the menu, planning of this event, etc, I'll appreciate all hands on deck.
- Please check the lost & found box for any items that may belong to your child. Our box is getting full and I'm sure their rightful owners would be happy to have their article of clothing back.

Have a wonderful week! :)

Ms. Krystle & Ms. Macy

# Ms. Robin's & Ms. Dolores's Lower Elementary Class

We're back for a short, rainy week. Students choose preferred activities during indoor recess. They enjoy puzzles, Lego building, sketching, reading, and charades. If you have any puzzles that your child no longer uses at home, we would love some donations of gently used puzzles.

On Friday, January 20th, Spaghetti Plates will be sold for \$7.00 and will include spaghetti, garlic bread, and applesauce. This is a great opportunity to save yourself some extra time in the morning by not worrying about packing a lunch for your child that day - all while supporting international travel for our Adolescent & Secondary students. Please contact the office if you are interested in purchasing a lunch for your child.

Quick reminder: Homework is due on Thursday.

Have a good week!

Ms. Robin & Ms. Dolores

### Ms. Stefanie's Lower Elementary Class

I hope everyone enjoyed the long weekend and warmer weather! Please remember, on rainy/stormy days we will have arrival and/or dismissal in front of the Toddler/Primary building. Lower elementary always uses the 2nd door. If it's raining & there are no teachers at the gates, please pull around to the front building. To keep traffic flowing smoothly, please encourage your child to have their belongings together and be ready to exit the vehicle when your car pulls up to the door. Thank you!

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This week we'll begin studying the continent of Europe and then move on to our international country of Poland. Please let me know if you have any items, recipes, or information regarding Poland that you would like to share with the class. Thank you!

Please continue to encourage your child to make healthy choices for lunch. Each student should have a protein, fruit, and vegetable for lunch every day.

Ms. Stefanie