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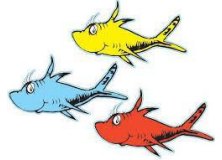
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Fri. MARCH 1st Dr. Seuss Day

Dress up as your favorite character from a Dr. Seuss book! Bring in your favorite Dr. Seuss book!

Tues. March 5th -Pre-K Trip to John C. Hart Library. The Pre-K's will go on a tour and attend story time. We will be leaving Pied Piper at 9:45AM for a 10:00 AM visit. Wear your green Pied Piper t-shirt! Please be sure to text or email Katie with your car pool needs by 3/3..The tour will last about 45 minutes.

Thurs. MARCH 7th -& Fri. MARCH 8th Pajama Day! As an end to our unit on CLASSIC LITERATURE students can wear their pajamas to enjoy our day of STORIES! There will be lots of art projects, games, story based dramatic play and so much fun!

Mon. MARCH 11th Grandparents' Day

9:30-11:30 AM (10 Yellow, 10 Blue & 10 Green) Grandparents welcome for a fun morning of songs, art projects & snack!

Tues. March 12th- Grandparents day

1:00-2:30pm (10 Blue & 10 Green NO YELLOW) Grandparents welcome for a fun afternoon of songs, art projects & snack!

Wed. March 13th- Grandparents' Day

9:30 -11:30 AM (10 Yellow, 10 Blue & 10 Green) Grandparents welcome for a fun morning of songs, art projects & snack! We will be holding a grandparent panel so think back to your kindergarten years!!

***Due to capacity restrictions, ALL GRANDPARENTS must be registered to attend. There is limited capacity for the classrooms so please RSVP by 3/6/24 to reserve your spot before they fill up. Please contact Katie via email Piedpiperschoolyorktown@gmail.com**

Thurs. MARCH 14th & Fri. MARCH 15th St Patrick's Day Don't forget the WEARING OF THE GREEN & THE EAR WIGGLING CONTEST!!

Mon. MARCH 18th & Tues. MARCH 19th Spring Fling We will be celebrating SPRING with kites and a spring walk! Don't forget the "Whistling like a bird" contest and be sure to wear your classroom T-Shirt for COLOR WARS!!!

Barnes & Noble Book Fair! : Details to follow.

Wed. March 27th & Thurs. March 28th- Easter celebration & Egg

Decorating We will be celebrating Easter with music, art and an Easter egg hunt. Please send in 2 HARD BOILED eggs for each day your child attends. Don't forget to wear your Easter bonnet!



MARCH BIRTHDAYS Mikayla Rothstein 3/1, Dominic Cutignola 3/3, Madelynn Manuele 3/6, Claire Marks 3/9, Colby Philips 3/9, Abby Dineen-Carey 3/10, Spencer Whiting 3/10, Aveline Siebenaler 3/10, COLETTE 3/12, Robbie DelBalzo 3/12, Michael Olijarczyk 3/16, DEBBIE 3/22, Hailey Keating 3/25, Aliana Iazzetti 3/25, Callie Coyne 3/26, Grayson Tierney 3/27, Louie Garcia 3/27, Alessia Marcello 3/27, Mackenzie Dineen-Carey 3/31

CURRICULUM

PRE-K's: weather, 1-60, counting by 10's, vowels, linking sounds, kindergarten physical, spring rebirth, St. Patrick's Day, Mr. Yuk & personal safety, kindergarten changes since Grandparent's time, opposites, Dr. Seuss & writing stories. **HOMEWORK...** learn Mom's or Dad's telephone number

Reminder: Fall Kindergarten Students should be registered. Don't forget that important 5-year-old physical that we have been talking about at school.

INTERMEDIATES : rhyming, spring changes, manners, safety rules, unusual colors, #11-15, letters A-X, trapezoid, St. Pat's Day, same/different

BEGINNERS : books, shapes; shamrocks, oval and diamond, numbers 1-7, colors; yellow, green, opposites, cleaning up, grandparents, wind & kites, spring clothing

Valentine Colors War Winners!: Pre-K : Julianna Leslie, James Cantamessa, Raven Stigell
Intermediates: Isabella Spazianta, Dylan Joy, Brook
Beginner: Callie Coyne, Mila Khoury, Emma Keneally

****Upcoming** March 29th -April 7th** Spring Break - NO SCHOOL!

****Upcoming** Wed. April 10th** **School Pictures** - DETAILS TO FOLLOW

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM Pied Piper offers a before and after school program here on site for students from Kindergarten through 5th grade. Join us for our fun filled before and after school adventures. Children are bussed directly to and from Crompond, Mohansic or Brookside to enjoy our large indoor playground, large fenced in turf playground, age appropriate centers with legos, lincoln logs, arts & crafts, cooperative play games and provided homework assistance. Food and drinks are provided daily. Most of you know Molly Dineen-Carey, the Director of Pied Piper School Aged Programs who is a licensed Speech-Language Pathologist and Teacher of Students with Speech and Language Disabilities. She has over 11 years of experience within the local public schools with students from K-12th grade in addition to her work with children from birth-preschool. She has direct experience with the NY state curriculum currently taught within schools and provides direct homework assistance that supports the needs of any student. As always here at Pied Piper, a director/owner is always on site and only Pied Piper students are permitted within our buildings and play areas.

SUMMER PROGRAM Summer registration forms will be sent home this month. Come and enjoy a summer full of arts & crafts, music, sprinklers, sand, cooking and theater. Fun with people you know and trust in a clean, healthy, childproof, air conditioned environment. You pick the days, you pick the times, you pick the weeks and you can change any time you would like. A truly care free and stress free summer!

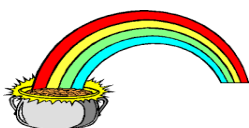
ARTS & CRAFTS MATERIALS NEEDED Please continue to send in tissue boxes, yarn, fabric, craft sticks, glue, and any leftover art and crafts material you may have. Our students LOVE the creativity our 'craft corners' provide with new materials to spark their imagination.

MARCH SONGS: "Roar Lions Roar", "The Butcher - The Baker", " The Kids on the Bus", "Red Light Stop", "Irish Jig", "One Leprechaun", "MacNamara's Band", "Erin Go Braugh", "It's Raining", "Here Comes The Sun", "The Wind It Goes Around", "My Grandma & Your Grandpa", "Spring", "Take me Out to The Ball Game", "Rockin Robin", "Red, Red Robin", "Chickens Aren't the Only Ones", "Books, Books, Books", "We are going to the Library", "Let's Go Fly A Kite"

Kathy, Max, Molly & Katie

Colette, Elena, Erin, Nini, Nicole, Debby, Renee, Mariann, Phyllis,

Marge, Annie, Danielle, Chris, Arlene, Eliana



****** grandparents day should start 930am not 9am**
(Parking)

Tues. MARCH 22nd & Wed MARCH 23th Passover Celebration We will make a seder plate and act out the Passover story

Thurs. MARCH 24th & Fri. MARCH 25th Easter Celebration We will be celebrating Easter with music, art and an Easter egg hunt. Please send in 2 HARD BOILED eggs for every day your child attends on both days. Don't forget to wear your Easter bonnet!

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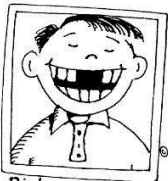
FIRE DRILLS & SAFETY DRILLS With the warm weather returning we will continue fire drills and add some in school safety drills. We will be talking to students about going under the tables or in the bathrooms.

Week of Monday 3/23 Pick a Play All groups can bring in stories they think would make a good play to perform for the parents in May. Lots of characters, action and an interesting setting. We will be voting at the end of the week.

Fri. FEB. 28th Barnes and Noble Kathy will be reading stories at Barnes & Noble at the Cortlandt Town Center 3131 E. Main St. Mohegan Lake NY 10547 at 6:00 pm. All groups will perform some Pied Piper songs and a percentage of sales will go to our school. Please wear your Pied Piper t-shirt!

Mon. March 18th & Tues. March 19th Egg Decorating
Wed. March 20th & Thurs. March 21st Passover Observance
We will make a seder plate and act out the Passover story.

- 8:00am Sibling Pictures ***must sign up at the desk***
- 9:00am ALL AM **BEGINNERS** arrive. Non-Tues. **parents stay & wait outside to leave when finished**
- 9:45am ALL non-Tues. **AM INTERMEDIATES** arrive. Non-Tues. **parents stay & wait outside to leave when finished.**
- 10:45am Non-Tues. **PRE-K'S** arrive. Non-Tues. **parents stay & wait outside to leave when finished**
- 12:15pm Non-Tues. **afternoon BEGINNERS & INTERMEDIATES** arrive. Non-Tues **parents stay & wait outside to leave when finished.**
- 12:45pm Non-Tues. **afternoon Pre-K's** arrive. Non-Tues. **parents stay & wait outside to leave when finished.**
- 1:00pm PM Sibling Pictures ***must sign up in advance***
- If Tuesday is your child's regular school day, arrive and depart as usual.
- PROOFS WILL BE SENT HOME 1-2 WEEK AFTER PICTURES ARE TAKEN
- YOU HAVE 1 WEEK TO ORDER YOUR CHOICE OF PACKETS



Picture Day!

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