

MONTESSORI CHILDREN'S HOUSE OF HAYWARD

NEWSLETTER - Room 4

OCTOBER 2024



Dear Parents,

We are now moving into October. The children are firmly into their routine and we are becoming familiar with their learning personalities and their skills. We'll have plenty to share at the upcoming Parent/Teacher conferences.

September Highlights:

We had the best Johnny Appleseed celebration. The children tasted different varieties of apples. Crispin was voted the best. We read books about Johnny Appleseed's life and discussed different apple products. Apple coring was well enjoyed by the kids.

Upcoming Events in October:

On October 3rd the Hayward fire department will visit our school and do a little demonstration for our children.

On Friday, October 10th, we will have a visit from a librarian.

Fall Picture day is on Tuesday, October 15th.

Parent/Teacher conferences will be coming up on **October 18th**. There will be no class on that day, but daycare will be as usual. I will be posting the sign-up sheet for appointments in the first week of October. Remember to please choose your date and time carefully and note it down.

Monday, October 28th the children will visit our little pumpkin patch in school.

We will have our **Halloween celebration and parade** on **October 31st**. The costume parade will be at 11:00am. Your child is probably already talking about what he/she is going to be for Halloween, so please remember these guidelines for your child's school costume:

1. **No costume masks which cover the face.**
2. **No weapons of any kind.**
3. **Dress your child and send them to school in their costume.**
4. **Children are welcome to go home after the parade. If they plan to stay, please send a change of clothing. Daycare will be as usual. Free dress day.**

More information to follow as we get closer to the 31st.

Of Special Note:

If you wish to order Scholastic books I have attached the class code. All orders earn FREE Books for our class-thank you for your support!

Class Order Due Date: **10/08/2024**

Connect to Our Class Page: <https://orders.scholastic.com/PB2YF>

Class Code: PB2YF Parents feel free to forward the Class Page link to extended family and friends who may want to support your child's reading. Please remember that we can do online orders only. **No cash or checks to school with your book orders.**

Please send all items for Friday Share Day in a **marked bag or container**. This prevents confusion, loss and distraction. Items should be something about our studies in Cultural class. At this time, we are studying about fish in Zoology, Landforms and North America in Geography and trees in Botany. They may bring pictures or books about apples/pumpkins and Halloween. Family pictures are always welcome.

Sincerely,

Kavita M



OCTOBER CALENDAR

- October 3 Visit from the Hayward Fire Department
- October 10 Librarian Visit
- October 15 Picture Day. All children come in their uniforms.
- October 18 Parent/Teacher conferences.
No school. Daycare hours as usual.
- October 28 Pumpkin Patch for children in school.
- October 31 Halloween parade at 11:00 am.