



Our school, our children, our church. All connected with love.



Cary Methodist Preschool

We are **THANKFUL** for our **CMP Families**

November 2017

There is a lot to give thanks for at Cary Methodist Preschool! I am thankful for our wonderful teachers, students, board members, and the MANY parent volunteers. We are also thankful for the Cary United Methodist Church staff and congregation for their continued support. What a blessing it is to be a part of Cary Methodist Preschool!! Have a wonderful Thanksgiving with your families.

~ Mrs Laws & Mrs. Lorenzen, Directors



Reminders:

- ☉ If you walk in or drive up, be sure to sign in at drop off.
- ☉ Tuition is due by the 10th of every month.
- ☉ Remember to have an appropriate change of clothes in your child's backpack.
- ☉ At drop off and pick up, PLEASE stay by your cars. It slows down the procedure when you come to the door. Thank you!
- ☉ For safety, drive slowly in the parking lot even when the children are not present.

Operation Christmas Child

CMP will participate in Operation Christmas Child. The mission of OCC is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to needy Children around the world and together with the local church worldwide, to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. The Preschool will pack shoe boxes with gifts to send to needy children. We will then get to track the shoe boxes online on their journey. Please bring donated items by November 1st (school supplies, small toys, hygiene items...) Please no liquids including tooth paste.



Parent-Led Conferences



Our Annual Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Thursday, November 16 & Friday, November 17. There will be NO school on these days to accommodate the number of conferences needed with the amount of children in each class, but conferences will be held during the time your child would have attended classes. **** If you would like a Parent-Led conference, please email the office. **** An email with your conference time will be sent to you. This conference is the time for you to address any concerns or questions that you may have about your child's development. Please fill out the questionnaire that will be emailed to you and return it to your child's teacher by November 13th. This will give the teachers time to prepare for your specific questions or concerns. If you are unable to attend during your child's class time, please feel free to call the office to set up a more convenient time. Just a reminder that we will be having Parent/Teacher conferences in February, which will be the time for the teachers to give you more specific developmental information about your child. The Terrific Two's Class will have conferences starting next year in the three year old class.



Christmas Program Schedule

Please be sure and get the Three's, Four Pre-K and Five Pre-K Christmas program date on your calendars now! On Wednesday Dec. 20th students will arrive at 9AM as normal. Parents and attendees can come starting at 10:15 AM to save seats. The Program will start at 10:30 AM. The Terrific Two class will do a Christmas celebration on Dec. 19th during their class time.

Important Dates:

Scholastic Orders Due	Wednesday, Nov. 10
Operation Christmas Child dona-	Friday, Nov. 1
Thanksgiving Feasts	Monday, Nov. 13
Preschool Board Meeting	Tuesday Nov. 14 7:00 PM
OPTIONAL Parent-Led Conferences (NO SCHOOL)	Thursday, Nov. 16 & Friday, Nov. 17
Happy Thanksgiving	Monday, Nov. 20- Friday, Nov. 24
Dec. Stay 'n Play Sign-Up	Friday, Nov. 27
Christmas Program (ALL SCHOOL)	Friday, Dec. 20

**Our Three and Four year old classes still have some space! These classes run on MWF from 9:00 to 11:30. If interested please contact our office at (847)639-7655



Thank You to Our October Volunteers

Harvest Party ~ Krissy Soukup, Neil Steiner, Megan Koenig, Natalie Driskill, Beth Janczak, Jennifer Krejci and Sarah Carlson
Classroom Helpers~ Jar Franklin, Bethany Decker, Devon Grimm, Jennifer Krejci, and Lisa Serpico. Playdough ~ Bethany Decker, Jennifer Krejci, Jenna Bowne, and Hillary Kaplan.

