

Miss Abel's Kindergarten Newsletter

Friday 10/4	Monday 10/7	Tuesday 10/8	Wednesday 10/9	Thursday 10/10
Music (Miss Abel out PM)	Gym (tennis shoes) Computer (Miss Abel out)	Art Church Music Spanish	Gym (tennis shoes)	Library

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Scholastic Book orders were sent home last week and are due October 8th. Reading is a very important part of kindergarten and Scholastic offers many books that are perfect for this age level! If there is ever a time that you are purchasing books as a gift, please let me know either by email or note so I can make sure your child does not see the books. We can make arrangements so I can get the order to you without their knowledge! If you would like to order, you can order online at scholastic.com/bookclubs if you prefer to use your debit/credit card. You will need to sign-up



and login using our class code (THC9K). If you are having trouble, please let me know! You can also complete the order form on the back of the magazine and send in the order and money (checks made out to Marina Abel) Thank you in advance for all orders!

*****Please remember that your goodbyes should be said at the door before your child enters the building.** Your child has completed one full month of kindergarten and they should be walking into the building and to their classrooms on their own. We understand that goodbyes are difficult, but this is helping build their independence. Thank you for your understanding!***

A note from St. Mary's Church: Please join us for Children's Liturgy of the Word at St. Mary! We will resume on October 6th and meet every Sunday during the 10:30am mass. Children's Liturgy of the Word is designed for preschool through second grade, and is instructed by NCS parents, alumni, and students. It is such a wonderful way to share God's word with our children. We hope to see you there!

Please put **Saturday, October 5th** on your calendar and join us at the ECC for our first Oktoberfest! The fun is from 2-7pm. There will be games, 50/50s, food and more. Stop in with the entire family for a great time!

We are in the process of planning for the Halloween party on **Thursday, October 31st**. If we need your help for this party, you will receive a paper next week asking for a donation. If you do not get a paper, be on the lookout for the next party. We do need parent volunteers that day to help with the party. Volunteers **must** complete a background check and online course for the protection of our students. Contact Amber Riley at 419-668-3005 or ariley@ncsmail.org for more information. We would need volunteers from 12:45 until the end of the day. Please let me know if you can help.



If your child would like to bring a treat for the class, please make sure it is wrapped and able to go home in their bookbags. We have 17 students in our class as well as a cherry allergy so please keep that in mind if your child wants to bring in a treat. All students will be able to wear jeans with a Halloween shirt that day. If your child does not have a Halloween shirt, please do not go out and buy one just for this special day! They will be able to wear a Halloween colored shirt or uniform shirt.

School picture day is **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10TH**. Students may dress up this day for pictures. Picture order forms have already been sent home. If you choose to order pictures, please fill out the form and return it to school. Even if you choose not to order, your child's picture will still be taken so they appear in the class photo



The PTO is having a book fair from **October 21st-25th**. Students will get to preview the book fair and a list of books they are interested in will be sent home. If you would like to purchase one of the books your child picked, you can send money in and the book will then come home in their bookbag. Parents are also welcome to go through the book fair with their child, including during our **"Pastries with Parents" event on Wednesday, October 23rd** between 8:15am-8:50am to

enjoy a doughnut before school!

PTO is sponsoring a Literacy Night at the NCS Elementary campus on **Thursday, October 24th** from 6-8pm. This is a whole family event with reading/language arts games and activities for students in preschool to grade 6. Activities are planned for each age group. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Flyer Fun Tailgate for Homecoming is Saturday, October 12th at 5pm in the St. Paul Social Hall. All are invited, even if you are not planning on attending the football game. Hot dogs and drinks will be provided. Bring a potluck dish to share! ECC & Elementary Families— make sure to bring the brown paper bag your child received to collect candy from the parade that will be going on by Milan Ave as they head to the field. This is another great opportunity to meet other families.

Parent-teacher conferences are coming soon! The conferences are scheduled for the evenings of Monday, October 28th and Wednesday, October 30th. I have added the conference sign up to Bloomz, please make sure to sign up for a time slot!

Thank you!

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