



Apple Tree Connections

Family Newsletter
October 2021



Birthdays

Happy Birthday to: Julia(1), Axel(1), Haddie(3), Taylor(3), Isla B.(3), Christian(4), Owen V.(5), Revecca(5), and Miss Courtney. Please remember we are a nut free center, so items must be store-purchased and cannot contain an allergy warning for nuts. Current safe items include fruit snacks, Oreo's, Teddy Grahams, fruit, veggies, ice cream sandwiches, cheese/crackers/sausage, and popsicles.

In-Service Day: ATC Closed

ATC will be closed again this year on Friday, October 22nd for staff development. This is one of two days we close each year to ensure our team obtains important continuing education.

Apple of Our Eye

Please take a moment and fill out an Apple of Our Eye Form for an ATC team member when you see them going above and beyond. Our next team meeting is scheduled for October 22nd. They really enjoy hearing all the great feedback.

Apple Tree Team

Please join us in welcoming Miss Kim N. (Zebras), Miss Carly (Outback Float), and Miss Ally (Jungle Float) to our team.

Donations

Thank you to the following families and team members for their recent donations: Herum-crayons; Hirokey-baby items & stuffed animals; Kaster-diapers; Van Asten – puzzles & games

Dress-up Days

- 4: Fire Prevention Week – wear red/orange/yellow
- 13: National Bring Your Teddy Bear to School Day – bring your favorite teddy bear
- 25: Candy Corn Day – wear white, yellow and orange
- 26: National Pumpkin Day – wear orange
- 27: National Black Cat Day – wear black and/or dress like a cat
- 28: Scarecrow Day – wear plaid and/or overalls
- 29: Halloween shirt – wear your Halloween shirt – no costumes please

Scholastic Book Orders

Book orders are due to Miss Jessica by Wednesday, October 13th, either online or with a check made out to Scholastic Book Clubs. Our school activation code is P6299. Book orders will be available at the Front Desk.

Fall/Winter Menu

Miss Kim's Fall/Winter menu begins on October 4th. Check it out on our webpage to learn more!

Gallery Walk Fundraiser

Our Annual Gallery Walk will take place from Monday, October 25th – Wednesday, November 3rd. Each classroom will paint three masterpieces (canvases), which will then be auctioned off. Please watch your e-mails for more information!

Family Event: The Virtual Chili Chase – November 7th – 13th

It is time for the Chili Chase again and this year it will be held virtually! Gather up your family and head outside for a walk! Post a picture of you walking and include your favorite chili recipe on the Virtual Chili Chase event page on Facebook. Participants will be entered to win a batch of Miss Kim's chili! Watch for the event page on social media as we get closer to November.

Drop off and Pick up

Our parking lot is a one-way direction. Please exit near the dumpsters and around the corner. It is imperative that all families follow the one-way to ensure safety.

Pyramid Model

Trace around simple objects with your child. Use cups of different sizes, blocks, or your child's and your hands. Using felt-tip markers or crayons of different colors makes it even more fun.