

It's hard to believe we're nearing the end of the year—October flew by in a whirlwind of joy and celebration! From our playful dress-up days to the heartwarming Fall Festival, picture days, and the most adorable Halloween Parade ever, we've made so many special memories together. Thank you to all our families who joined in the fun, your enthusiasm and support make every event unforgettable!

Looking ahead, November brings even more opportunities to come together:

Thanksgiving Dessert Party - November 21st

We invite you to join us as our children celebrate gratitude, friendship, and sweet treats. It's a beautiful way to reflect on the season and share in the joy of community.

Parent's Day Out - Saturday, November 22nd (10:00 AM-2:00 PM)

Take a well-deserved break and enjoy a relaxing day of solo shopping while your little ones enjoy lunch and engaging activities with us. It's one of our favorite traditions!

Parent-Teacher "Make-Up" Conferences - November 24th, 25th & 26th

For families who missed October's in-person conferences, we're offering phone call appointments. Sign-up sheets will be posted the first week of November. Spots are limited, so please reserve early. These conversations are a great way to connect with your child's teacher and discuss progress or concerns.

November Donation Drive - Supporting the Food Pantry of Round Rock

As we focus on gratitude and giving, we'll be collecting donations to help local families in need. Your participation helps us teach our children the importance of kindness and compassion.

We're truly thankful to be part of your child's journey and appreciate the trust you place in us every day. If you have any questions or just want to chat, our door is always open.

Wishing you a November filled with warmth, laughter, and cherished family moments.



SPECIAL DATES

11/1—11/17 Food Drive

11/4 Brown Bear, Brown Bear Day!

11/6 National Jersey Day!

11/10 Crazy Sock Day!

11/12 Peace and Kindness Day.

11/14 Fall Back to 90's!

11/18 Disney Day!

11/20 World Children's Day!

11/21 Dessert Party @ 3:30!

11/22 Parent's Day Out! 10am-2pm

11/24-11/26 "Make-Up" Parent -Teacher Phone Conferences

11/24 Pajama week!!!

11/27 & 11/28 Closed for Thanksgiving

Parent's Day Out !!



Saturday 11/22

10 am-2pm

Need to prepare for the holidays? Bring your child in for a day of fun and games while you shop 'til you drop!



Friendsgiving Dessert Party!!

Join us at 3:30pm for a sweet treat and a craft to celebrate the season of giving with our families.



ROUND ROCK FOOD PANTRY DRIVE!

We are collecting items for the Round Rock Food Pantry!

We will start taking donations November 1st

Donations of food, clothing, furniture and home goods are always needed. You may also donate computers to the Computers for Kids program.

Drop off your gently used coats to Keep Round Rock Warm, donations of coats are accepted all year.

Distribute food at Fresh Food for Families or donate your time as a volunteer with a group, troop or team.

Your donations help to make a positive impact on our community!

WHAT'S COMING UP!



11/1-11/17 Round Rock Pantry Food Drive

11/4 Brown Bear, Brown Bear Day! Bring your favorite stuffed animal to school today.

11/6 National Jersey Day! Wear any spot shirt today.

11/10 Crazy Sock Day!

11/11 Veterans' Day Activity!

11/12 Peace and Kindness Day: Wear any tye dye outfit today.

11/14 "Fall Back" to the 90's! Dress in any 90's inspired outfit

11/18 Mickey and Minnie Birthday celebration! Wear any Disney outfit.

11/20 World Children's Day! Wear your favorite book character outfit, costume or shirt.

11/21 You are invited to our Friendsgiving Dessert Party @ 3:30!

11/22 Parent's Day Out!! Leave your kiddos with us as you shop 'til you drop! Lunch, a movie and fun activities will be provided.

11/24—11/26 Parent –Teacher "Make –Up" Phone Conferences 11/24—11/28 Pajama week!!! Wear your favorite pjs all week.

11/27 & 11/28 Closed for Thanksgiving

ABSENTEE CREDITS

With the holidays coming up and vacation plans, we wanted to explain how charges work and how absentee credits are applied.

How we bill: All accounts are charged on Monday for your agreed upon tuition regardless of your child's specific attendance for the week. Each contract indicates that the account holder is responsible for payment. Payments are due by Tuesday of each week.

Absentee Credit:

Each child who attends FULL TIME *(RESTRICITONS APPLY)* receives 5 Absentee Credits a year.

Credits are applied when your child is out 3 or more days within the week consecutively and our closure dates do not apply to those 3 days. For Example, we will be closed Christmas eve and Christmas day. Those days do not count towards your 3 consecutive days of absences.

How it works:

Account holder fills out an absentee form and submits before the dates of the absences

Account holder must pay for the absentee week at 60% ahead of time

Account is billed for full amount of tuition

Account is given a 40% deduction

**RESTRICTIONS:

Children ages 6 weeks to 12 months do not receive this credit

Part time children do not receive this credit

School-Age children do not receive this credit

School – Age program (Anchors classroom)

School- Age children are billed \$120.00 for after school care. Account holder is billed whether the child attends for the week or not. You are paying to hold you spot at a contractual rate instead of \$75/day drop-in rate.

School-Age children who have 1-2 single days out of school are billed their normal tuition charges (\$120.00) plus \$40.00 a day for each full day of care.

If the elementary is closed 3 or more days within the week, this is considered Holiday Camp. Tuition for Holiday Camp is \$275.00 for the week. There are no additional charges.

We hope this explanation helps you navigate our billing. We wish everyone Happy Holidays!

CONFRENCES



Missed October Conferences? We've Got You Covered!

Phone-only Parent-Teacher Conferences will be available the last week of November for anyone who couldn't attend in October. Check your child's classroom door for the sign-up sheet and snag a time that works for you!

Can't make it? No worries, just let us know and we'll find a time that fits your schedule.

