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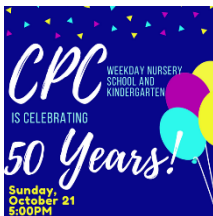
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Peggy Flintosh, Director

October Dates at CPC WNS&K:

- October 1st November dates open for registering for Drop-in and Lunch Program
- October 5th Mini Workshops begin
- October 8th School Closed – Columbus Day
- October 15th-19th 50th school wide birthday party!
- October 15th PTO Sponsored Bake Sale
- October 17th Sea Critters Presentation for the 4's and Almost 5's classes
- October 18th PTO Sponsored Hayride
- October 21st 50th Birthday Celebration WAVE Service 5pm
- October 26th - 31st Classroom Halloween Parties

From the Director's Desk:



CPC WNS&K Celebrates 50 Years Serving Our Children

Save the date, **Sunday, October 21st at 5pm**, so that you can come celebrate with us! It will be at the CPC Sunday WAVE service with great music and a very child friendly message. The party will move on to the Auditorium with a video spanning the 50 years in pictures, with photo albums of past years to browse through. Your children's art work will be on display! Concerned about getting hungry? Not to worry we will have pizza and best of all a birthday cake! Fun and games, music, and crafts for the kids! We would love to see you there. Help us spread the word, as it is an amazing milestone for the school. **ALL ARE WELCOME!!!**

More information will be coming regarding all the fun we will be having here at school for the week leading up to this special event. We will be taking "School Spirit" to new heights!

FLU-VACCINES – Please don't wait! The flu-vaccine is required for all children between the ages of 6 months and 59 months. **As done previously, please send in verification for our files as soon as you have it:** print-outs from Dr. offices and clinics with date, child's name and flu-vaccine, note on Dr. script with same information. We cannot have a child return after January 1st without this vaccine. Thank you.

School News:

Enrichment Classes: We are enjoying our latest resource the Teaching Strategies Creative Curriculum that we were able to invest in from your generosity through PTO events last year. Keeping true to our philosophy it provides many playful, yet educational

ideas. We are focusing on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM) with each of our enrichment groups. We offer the Curiosity Corner for the 2 ½'s on Tuesday afternoons, Explore and More for the 3's on Monday through Thursday afternoons, and Imagination Station for the 4's on Monday through Thursday. As the name implies we start with the children's nature of being very curious, and loving to explore and imagine! We keep the groups to a small number (no more than 10 children). There are a few openings if anyone is still interested in having your child join in the fun!

Halloween Parties: October brings an all-time favorite holiday! We celebrate with having the children wear their costumes to school. No masks or weapons please! The children are to come to school at their regular time with parents invited in for class parties on the following dates and times:

2's F	Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Wright	Fri. Oct. 26 th	11:00 am
2's M.F	Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Lavin	Mon. Oct.29 th	11:00 am
2 ½'s	Mrs. Bauer, Mrs. Schroeder	Tues. Oct 30 th	11:00 am
2 ½'s	Mrs. Laws, Mrs. Espaillat	Tues. Oct. 30 th	11:00 am
3-5 day 3's	Mrs. Giusto, Mrs. Cantone	Wed. Oct. 31 st	11:15 am
4 day 3's	Mrs. Evans, Mrs. McAloon	Wed. Oct. 31 st	11:15am
5 day 3's	Mrs. Lees, Mrs. Wicelinski	Wed. Oct. 31 st	11:15 am
4 day/5 day 4's	Mrs. Celmer, Mrs. Sekulic	Wed. Oct. 31 st	11:15 am
5-day noon	Mrs. Huppert, Mrs. Enriquez	Wed. Oct. 31 st	11:15am
Almost 5's	Mrs. Coscia, Mrs. Clapp	Wed. Oct. 31 st	12:15pm

Welcome Back from your CPC WNS&K Parents' Organization!

Happy fall from the Parents' Organization! We are excited to see "old" friends and especially excited to welcome 40+ new families to CPC! We hope you have enjoyed the start to the school year and are looking forward to the events we have coming up for you and your families.

If you want to find out more about your Parents' Organization, or become a member or volunteer for future events, go to our webpage at <http://cpc-school.org> and click on the Parents' Organization link in the top menu.

First, we'd like to extend **ENORMOUS** thank yous to **Pippa Riley** and **Becky Redpath** for chairing the Pizza Party and to **Colleen Silk** and **Karly Giorgi** for chairing the Parents' Night Out events. A huge thanks to the **Salzman Family** for generously providing the beer at PNO. We are most grateful!

We hope everyone had a great time at each of these Parents' Organization events and we appreciate the support of our CPC families and the effort extended by each of these committee heads and volunteers to make each event the success that they were.

CPC is celebrating **50 years** this year! We are commemorating this milestone on Sunday October 21st at 5pm at the Church. You should have received an E-Vite invitation to RSVP and if you have not please do let us know. We are creating a beautiful slideshow, to span the decades, to play at a celebration service. We hope you can join us ring in this celebration with cake, games, live music, and crafts for the kids. Here's to the next 50!

UPCOMING EVENTS: (Please look for more information on these in the weekly e-blasts and fliers that come home from school.)

The annual **CPC Hay Ride at Wightsman's Farm** will take place on Thursday, October 18th - hayrides begin promptly at **3:30 pm**.

This CPC fall tradition is always a hit. Take a hayride, pick the best pumpkin in the patch, nosh on fresh cider + donuts, and chase your kids in the maze.

Bring your cameras as you'll want to capture such a great time with your children and this idyllic setting for autumn photography. This is an event you and your kids don't want to miss! **Please RSVP**. Any questions, please contact our co-chairs, Julie Ducey (julieroscoe@yahoo.com) or Claire DeLong (clairedelong@yahoo.com)

And...In The Coming Months...

Stretch the Silly Man -

Stretch is back and silly as ever! Come enjoy a fun time that will entertain the kids while they're off from school. This hilarious event takes place on Thursday, November 8th. 10-11:15am in the CPC Basement. The cost is \$7 pp/space limited (kids under 2 free) Payment can be made via carline (cash or check made out to CPC PO) or online at <http://cpcwnsk.org/po-events/> A flyer with the RSVP slip will be sent home later in October.

We would like to thank everyone for all their time and efforts in kicking the school year off to an excellent start. We look forward to seeing you at the 50 Year Celebration as well as the Hayride and our many future events. Enjoy your fall and all its colors!

Lauren and Katie