



# October 2018

## Fantastic Fours Newsletter

Dear Parents,

The children are doing a great job in the 4's rooms. It has been a lot of fun getting our year started! During the month of October, the Jolly Phonics sounds will be "E, H, T, and I". The "Fruit of the Spirit" for October will be "Joy" symbolized with a pear. The opening prayer is "God You Are With Me" and the snack prayer is "Oh the Lord is Good to me". Our Dramatic Play areas will be A Farmer's Market, Happy Birthday, into a Imagination/Halloween House. We will have our first art appreciation with Jackson Pollock and create a drip-fling painting. We will be conducting some science experiments with eggs, pumpkins, and outdoor nature items. Our math skills will be enhanced with balance scales, number games and puzzles, and measuring. During play and table times, our small motor skills, social, and cognitive skills are being utilized with different activities and games put out each day. The daily updates sent via Shutterfly will outline what those activities have been.

We look forward to meeting with you on Thursday, October 18 to discuss your child's social-emotional adjustment to the 4's class. This is a great time to go over any thoughts, concerns or questions you may have. Of course, we are always available before or after class if you need to talk to us.

Thank you for sharing your children with us!

Mrs. Plescia & Mrs. Clarke

### **Important Dates:**

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| Wednesday, October 3:  | Blessing of the Animals 9:00 am              |
| Wednesday, October 10: | Garoon Science Park Outdoor Fieldtrip        |
| Saturday, October 13:  | Adult Evening Fundraiser, Barrington Hill CC |
| Thursday, October 18:  | Parent-Teacher Conference                    |
| Friday, October 19:    | No School                                    |
| Wednesday, October 31: | Class Fall Party (last 45 minutes)           |