



November 2018

UP COMING NOVEMBER EVENTS

- 6th- School Closed
- 7th- Open House 6:30-8:00
- 9th- Last Day for Gertrude Hawk orders
- 15th & 16th- PaintSome Pottery here
- 16th- Thanksgiving Stay and Play 11:30-2:00
- 19th- Photo Day 4's and Pre-K
- 20th- Photo Day 3's
- 22nd-26th- School Closed for Thanksgiving Break

REMIND 101

If you have not yet signed up for Remind 1010 and would like to receive text updates and alerts, use the sign-up information below:

- For the 3-Year-Old class- text @3yolds to 81010
- For the 4-Year-Old class- text @4yolds to 81010
- For Pre-K class- text @pkinde to 81010

WINTER READINESS

With temperatures at 70 degrees today it is hard to believe that winter weather will soon be here. Please re-read your parent handbook for inclement weather procedures and listing sites. In case of a closure or a delay I will also send out a Remind text and post on our Facebook page.

CEMETERY CRAWL FOLLOW-UP

Thank you to all of our families and friends who came out for the Cemetery Crawl 5K. The weather was beautiful and the children had fun earning their Halloween beads for each lap they completed. Because of your generosity, we were able to donate \$250 to Save Our Starving Children.

PAINTSOME POTTERY

Paintsome Pottery (located in the Tilghman Square shopping center) will be at our school this month offering personalized holiday pottery gifts. These are offered at a discount from their in-store pricing, and are **optional**. Students who have an order will be pulled out separately for the few minutes it takes to complete the process. Students not participating will simply stay in class and will not be missing out on anything. If you have younger siblings you would like have participate, you may do so on your assigned day. If you have older siblings that you would like to participate, you may bring them to PaintSome Pottery directly and they will honor the discounted price with an official order form from the preschool. If you would like an additional order form for a sibling, please see the Director.

3- & 4-YEAR-OLD CLASSROOMS

As you may have noticed our morning classes are almost at capacity. We have one or two more student per classroom that pre-registered before the school year holding a spot until ready to start. We have begun interviewing for an additional Teacher Assistant, with the hope of splitting both groups into two classes each as soon as we hire someone. This way we can admit the students on our waitlist. When we split into two classes we will continue to offer the same programming, and students will still move from classroom to classroom, but do so at different times. When/if we split, there is much thought that goes into determining who is placed in each group. We try to balance gender, personalities, and needs, as well as considering any bonds a student has made with a particular teacher. Students will still have the opportunity to interact with their peers in the other classroom to continue fostering friendships. We will let you know as soon as we have another person in place and ready to begin.