

## Room 2 May Newsletter

Dear Room 2 Parents,

For the month of April the children had a wonderful time investigating in our Dinosaur unit. The children learned new dinosaur facts about T. Rex, Stegasaurus, Triceratops, and Pteradactyl. The Dinosaur Songs were the favorite activity in group. The classroom caterpillars made their cocoons, and they will soon transform into butterflies. We are continuing our letter, number and color learning.

We will be having a beach party to go along with our Ocean unit. Please mark your calendars for the Beach Party on Wednesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, if your child comes on MWF or Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, if your child comes on TTh. We will have swimming, beach music, games, and special snacks. Please have your child wear their swimsuit under their clothes the day of the Party. **IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THEY BRING A TOWEL TO DRY OFF WITH AFTER SWIMMING, AND UNDERWEAR TO PUT ON WITH THEIR CLOTHES AFTER THEY SWIM.** There is no need to worry about the weather or deep water safety. We will be "swimming" in a child sized pool in our classroom if the weather isn't cooperating.

To celebrate our Mom's, we will be having Mother's Day teas on May 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. This is for Moms to come in during the last 30 minutes of class. There will be drinks and cookies, and the children will have gifts for their mothers. If a child's mom is not able to attend the tea, we ask that they be picked up at 10:45 a.m. for the morning class or 2:30 pm for the afternoon class, prior to the tea.

Our last day of classes will be held on the 25<sup>th</sup> for the T/Th class and the 26<sup>th</sup> for the MWF class. Graduation will be on Thursday the 27<sup>th</sup> for the T/Th class and Friday the 28<sup>th</sup> for the MWF class. Graduation is from 11am to 12:30pm on both days. Please bring a picnic lunch or snacks for your family. Graduation will take place in the courtyard in the front of the church. Please bring your sunscreen and any picnic necessities. It can get hot! The graduation ceremonies will start at 11:45. Each class will be called up separately, and each child will be called by one of the teachers to receive a pre-school diploma. This is a fun time for the whole family! All family members are invited. There will be music and face painting available before the ceremonies begin.

It has been such a wonderful year, and it is hard to believe that we are in our last month of the school year. We would like to thank all of our parents for all you have done to help the school year run

smoothly and successfully. Please remember that there is still time to come and spend a day with your child in the classroom. The children love sharing their preschool day with loved ones.

Thank you,

Connie, Marilyn, and Clara

**Important Dates:**

May 3 : Hearing/Vision Testing

May 6 and 7: Mother's Day Teas

May 18: POPs meeting, 7 p.m. Syrianey Hall

May 19 and 20: Beach Days

May 27 and 28: Graduation Picnics

May 6, 7, 12, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28: NO LUNCH BUNCH