



Newsletter: Dec 11 - 16, 2023

1. Theme of the week

Theme: Christmas. NO show and tell.

2. Christmas Program

Christmas Program will be on 12/16/2023 (Sat). 4s & 5s @3:30pm; 2s & 3s @5:00pm. The program lasted about an hour.

Bears, Lemurs, Owls & Penguins:

Please bring your child to his/her classroom at 3pm.

Alligators, Bunnies, Colts, Dolphins & Ducklings:

Please bring your child to his/her classroom at 4:30pm.

Drama team will participate in both shows, so they need to arrive at 3pm

Tickets: Each family will have 4 tickets. If you don't need all 4, please give it back to the teacher in case other families need more than 4. Infants/young children not needing a seat/sitting on laps won't need a ticket. Thank you.

Dress code: White top and dark color bottom or white dress. No print/writing on the white top. Clothing does not need to be new, but it needs to be clean and neat.

Parking: Our main lot and the 25 San Fernando lot will be available. If both lots are full, please find street parking. DO NOT park in striped/coned areas. DO NOT block parked cars.

3. Christmas Gift Exchange

Our students have a gift exchange on Friday, 12/15/2023. Please prepare a \$10-15 gift for your child to exchange with his/her friend. Your child has received a specific classmate for whom to purchase the gift. Please bring the gift by Wednesday, 12/13/2023.

4. Contribute Towards Fun Accessories for the Magnet Board

Let's bring more FUN to the pea gravel playground. We would like to purchase the [jumbo magnet gears](#) (\$139), [magnet wall fundamental pack](#) (\$475 x 2) & [magnet wall chutes and tubes](#) (\$145 x 2) that can be manipulated on the magnet boards. If you would like to contribute towards these equipment, please write a check payable to Hope Lutheran Preschool and put it in the mailbox on Ms. Cynthia's office before Christmas break. Thank you for your generosity.



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5. Mark your calendars

2023-2024 School Year (You can view the calendar on our [website](#))

We will notify you ASAP when change is necessary. (updated: 5/4/2023)

12/16/2023 (Sat)	Christmas Program: 4s & 5s @3:30pm; 2s & 3s @5:00pm
12/25/2023– 1/2/2024 (M-Tue)	Christmas/New Year Break (school closed)
1/3/2024 (Wed)	Staff Work Day (school closed)
1/4/2024 (Thu)	School Resumes
1/15/2024 (Mon)	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (school closed)
1/28/2024 (Sun)	Family Day (Owls, Bears, Penguins, Alligators, Lemurs)
2/9/2024 (Fri)	4:30pm Early Dismissal (Staff Meeting)
2/19/2024 (Mon)	Presidents' Day (school closed)
2/25/2024 (Sun)	Family Day (Ducklings, Colts, Dolphins, Bunnies) 1:00 - 3:00pm
3/9/2024 (Sat)	Saturday Parent/Staff Work Day (1:00 – 4:00 pm)
3/13/2024 (Wed)	Spring Picture Day for Bunnies, Colts, Dolphins
3/14/2024 (Thu)	Spring Picture for Ducklings, Alligators, Owls, & Siblings
3/15/2024 (Fri)	Spring Picture for Bears, Lemurs, & Penguins ***Cap & gown pictures for kindergarten bound children
3/22/2024 (Fri)	Staff In-Service (school closed)
3/28/2024 (Thu)	Easter Egg Hunt on Campus
3/29/2024 (Fri)	Good Friday (school closed)
4/7/2024 (Sun)	Family Day (Owls, Bears, Penguins, Alligators, Lemurs) 1:00 - 3:00pm
4/19/2024 (Fri)	Field Trip (Place & Date need to be confirmed)
4/23/2023 (Tue)	Parenting Workshop 7:00 - 8:30 pm
5/5/2024 (Sun)	Family Day (Ducklings, Colts, Dolphins, Bunnies) 1:00 - 3:00pm
5/6-10/2024 (Mon-Fri)	Teacher Appreciation Week
5/10/2024 (Fri)	Mother's Day Activity 9:30 – 11:00 am
5/17/2024 (Fri)	4:30pm Early Dismissal (Staff Meeting)
5/27/2024 (Mon)	Memorial Day (school closed)
6/8/2024 (Sat)	Saturday Parent/Staff Work Day 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm
6/14/2024 (Fri)	Father's Day Activity (9:30 am – 11:00 am)
6/19/2024 (Wed)	Juneteenth (school closed)
6/23/2024 (Sun)	Family Day for Incoming New Families 1:00 - 3:00pm
7/4/2024 (Thu)	Independence Day (school closed)
7/23-26/2024 (Tue-Fri)	Preschool Promotion Program (10:30 am – 11:30 am) Tuesday 7/23 Owls Wednesday 7/24 Penguins Thursday 7/25 Bears Friday 7/26 Lemurs
8/14 – 16/2024 (Wed-Fri)	School Cleaning Days/Staff Work Days (school closed)