

October 2018 Newsletter

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Lake Harriet Preschool



I am delighted to be working with your child. We have spent the first weeks of school getting to know one another by learning new songs, playing name games and playing together. Classroom newsletters are hanging outside the classroom and also updated on the preschool website every month so that you know what is happening in the classroom throughout the year.

Snack schedule

Included in this month's newsletter is the snack schedule for October and November. Thanks for providing healthy snack options for the preschoolers.

Sharing schedule

You will notice a "Sharing" day on the snack schedule beginning in October. Sharing (show and tell) day will occur on the first Wednesday of each month, with the exception of October, which will occur on the second Wednesday. It is an opportunity for every child to bring a toy or something from home to show and talk about to peers. To help prepare for sharing day, talk to your child about the special item and what they want to tell others about it (Why is it special? Where did they get it? What can it do?).

Themes for October

- 🍁 Fall – Leaves
- 🍁 "Last Stop on Market Street"
- 🍁 Fire Prevention
- 🍁 Nocturnal animals
- 🍁 Pumpkins/Halloween
- 🍁 We will continue to learn about friendship, manners and personal safety

Pets

Have you heard the name we chose for our Betta fish? The name of our classroom pet is Fishy!

Letters of the Alphabet

We will be exploring letters of the alphabet throughout the year. We will practice learning the names and sounds of the letters. Then we will find and talk about the letters around us in our classroom. In October we will introduce letter names and sounds for Hh, Mm and Aa.

Important dates

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| October 3 | Field Trip – “Last Stop on Market Street” play at the Children's Theater Company – Please have your child to school by 9:15am. We will return to school at 12:00pm – Wear green LHUMP t-shirt! |
| October 10 | Sharing (Show and Tell) |
| October 11 | Picture Day |
| October 17-18 | MEA – No School |
| October 22-25 | Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences held before and after school |
| October 25 | Pumpkin Patch and Petting Zoo at preschool |
| October 31 | Halloween Parties/Parade – Wear costume to school |

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at:
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