

The Parent Helper

The Newsletter of Community Preschool



Pre-Registration

Registration Confirmation emails were sent on Thursday, February 25 at 10:50 a.m., as well as follow-up reminders this week. If you pre-registered, please check your inbox for information about your registration time slot and what to expect at Registration on Friday, March 4. If you don't find the email, check your spam or junk folder. And if you still can't find your confirmation, please alert us by clicking here and emailing us with your name as well as your child's name.

If you did not pre-register, please arrive at Registration at 11:00 a.m.

Registration

Registration will take place on Friday, March 4 beginning at 9:00 a.m.

If you pre-registered, please arrive 10 minutes prior to your assigned time. Otherwise, you are welcome to arrive at 11:00 a.m.

Be sure to bring one completed Registration Packet for each child, and a checkbook for your \$70 non-refundable registration fee. Download the Registration Packet, or pick up a printed copy in the hallway.

Find answers to your questions about how Pre-Registration and Registration work on the Register for Classes page on the Community Preschool website. Or please ask a teacher, Ms. Tammy, or a board member for help!

Artwork at Loveland Library

Community Preschool student's artwork with a Lorax theme will be on display in the children's department at the Loveland Library during the month of March.



Mark Your Calendar

Registration for 2016–2017 Classes March 4 beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Silent Auction Basket Donations Due March 4

Be Ready Family Fair March 5 from 9:00 a.m. –12:00 p.m.

Silent Auction Preview

March 9–11 Before and After Class

Ms. Barb the Storyteller March 10 at 10:00 a.m. March 11 at 10:00 a.m.

Board Meeting March 11 at 9:00 a.m.

Moms Night March 11 at 6:00 p.m.

Pancake Breakfast and Silent Auction March 12 from 8:30–10:30 a.m.

Beginning of Fourth Quarter March 14

Miss Jill's 3s MW Library Field Trip March 14

Ms. Jodie's 4s Library Field Trip March 14 at 9:30 a.m.

Miss Jill's 3s TR Library Field Trip March 15 Martinez 4s PM Safety Village Field Trip March 17 at 2:00 p.m.

Martinez 4s MWF Safety Village Field Trip March 18 at 10:00 a.m.

Zumba Class March 21 at 10:00 a.m.

Martinez 4s PM Terri the "Bug Lady" March 22 at 1:30 p.m.

Martinez 4s PM Singing at Courtyard March 24 at 1:45 p.m.

Studio Vino Parents Night Out March 24 at 6:30 p.m.

Scholastic Book Orders Due March 28

No School / Spring Break April 4–8

Board Meeting April 15 at 9:00 a.m.

Moms Night April 15 at 6:00 p.m.

See the full calendar at CommunityPreschool.org/Calendar. You can subscribe to our calendar as well.

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Click on any teacher or board member to e-mail them directly.



Remember, we're offering a themed basket from each teacher, and we'd love for you to contribute an item before Friday, March 4. This year the basket themes will be as follows:

Ms. Jodie: Summer Fun

Mrs. Martinez: Family Fun Night Miss Jill: Creativity (Arts and Crafts)

The silent auction will begin at 8:30 a.m. and close at 10:15 a.m. If you win a bid, you must claim and pay for your item by 10:45 a.m., or it will go to the next highest bidder. The silent auction items will be on display in the room next to Mrs. Martinez's classroom before and after class from Wednesday, March 9–Friday, March 11. Stop by, see what will be up for auction, and get a bid in before Saturday!

Again this year, we're offering a kids drawing. Every child who attends the breakfast will receive a ticket to enter.

This is a fantastic event to help raise much-needed funds. The public is welcome, so please invite everyone you know! Contact Heather Bell with any questions.



Studio Vino Parents Night Out

Studio Vino is hosting a Parents Night Out to benefit Community Preschool on Thursday, March 24. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., and we'll begin *Vases of Violets* at 7:00 p.m. All proceeds from the \$20 admission go directly to our preschool. This is a public event, so invite your friends and family and make your reservations now: studiovino.com/cps.



Bricks are Back!

For a limited time, we're offering a second chance to order a commemorative playground brick. Place your order between Registration on March 4, and the last day of school on May 20. The completed bricks will be placed on the playground this summer and you can plan to take pictures at Fall Open House!

Brick prices are as follows:

 $4'' \times 8'' (3 \text{ lines of text}) = 85

 $8'' \times 8''$ (8 lines of text) = \$150

We'll have a Playground Brick table at both Registration on March 4 and the Pancake Breakfast and Silent Auction on March 12. Start thinking about the text you'd like to appear on your brick, grab a Playground Brick order form, and bring your checkbook along. Or you can also submit your order form with payment in the treasurer's lockbox in the hallway at Community Preschool. Take a moment to see the bricks already placed on the playground for ideas.

Don't miss this chance to leave your own personalized message in stone at Community Preschool!

Teachers Wish List

Our teachers are in need of a few items for their classrooms, including some for upcoming projects. We'd be grateful for any items you're willing to share!

Miss Jill:

Glue sticks

School:

Paper towel rolls Egg cartons

Each of the students in Ms. Jodie's class should bring a clean, white t-shirt.



Be Ready Family Fair

Community Preschool will have a booth at the Be Ready Family Fair on Saturday, March 5 from 9:00 a.m. –12:00 p.m. The fair features family-friendly activities, and a preschool fair where we'll be talking with people about Community Preschool. Stop by, say hi, and do a fun springtime activity!

4s Class Openings

We have openings in the following 4s classes:

- Mrs. Martinez's PM 4s class on MTR from 12:45-3:15 p.m.
- Ms. Jodie's Pre-K 4s class on MTWR from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

If you know anyone who might be interested in enrolling their child in our wonderful preschool, please pass on the information and have them visit the Register for Classes page on the Community Preschool website. We're happy to give tours and answer any questions!