



**Message from Mrs. G**

Spring is finally here! I don't know about you, but I am patiently waiting for the weather to follow suit. Despite the cold, the children have been enjoying the playground once again. It is so nice to hear and see how much they enjoy our playground. We are making

plans now that will allow us to make a MAJOR UPGRADE to our playground this summer. Stay tuned for all the exciting news!

Please SAVE THE DATE for our Carnival and end of the Year Celebrations (see the pink box to the right). Celebrations normally last about an hour. There is no school on your child's Celebration Day.

Please also note that our 4s and PreK WILL BE having Mother's Day Celebrations on Thursday, May 5 and Friday, May 6. Please SAVE THE DATE now!

Thank you to everyone that supported our Jet's Pizza Fundraiser. We raised \$396.00 for our school! We have our final restaurant fundraiser of the year scheduled for April 27th at the Chipotle on Delhi Pike.



**IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES**

4/9	VIP Day
4/12	Board Meeting
4/13	MW Easter Party
4/14	TTh Easter Party
4/15	MWF, TThF, FF Easter Party
4/15	Final '21-'22 Tuition Due
4/18-4/22	Spring Break
4/25	School Resumes
5/1	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuition Payment Due for '22-'23
5/14	Carnival 11-3
5/25	MW Celebration
5/26	TTh Celebrations
5/27	MWF and FFCelebrations

## News from Friday Friends

During the month of April we will discuss the changes in the weather as Spring begins, as well as learn about a few different animals. We will continue activities and projects which reinforce numbers and their value, as well as review shapes and colors. We will also continue to practice recognizing and writing our names in print. We will begin working on the end of year testing and assessment. Your child's end of year Progress Report will come home at the end of May. As the weather continues to warm up, we hope to spend more time outside. Please be sure that your child wears gym shoes and clothing appropriate for outdoor play.



## News from Three's



During April we will notice the changes we see in Spring as we observe flowers growing and leaves returning to the trees. We will continue to work on recognizing and writing our names. We also will continue to work on number, color, and shape recognition. Teachers continue to provide many activities to develop small and large motor skills. These skills will be formally evaluated in the year end Progress Report which you will receive at the end of May.

Easter parties will be April 13 for Monday/Wednesday classes, April 14 for the Tuesday/Thursday class and April 15 for MWF PM. Each child should bring 2 white hard-boiled eggs to school that day. We will color them at school. Please also return the plastic bag that your child brought home with the object inside and clues. Look for the egg and directions to come home the week of April 4.

With warmer weather we will be playing outside more. For their safety, it is important for the children to wear gym shoes and clothing safe for climbing and outdoor play. The children are enjoying themselves here at Creative and we enjoy them, as well!

## News from Four's



The children will find that the Activity Room has been transformed into a Pizza Shop. They will also find a weather center in the Triple Room.

By now the children should all be able to recite their address and should be, with help from you, learning their telephone number. As the end of the year approaches, the teachers will be busy assessing each child for final progress reports.

Time will also be spent on completing pages for each child's personal book. This book, which the children will receive at our End of the Year Celebration, is a great keepsake of your child's preschool year!

### FOUR'S MONTHLY FOCUS

Letters...	Ee, Xx and Yy
Numbers...	teens
Vocabulary & Concepts	spring, sequence, growth, weather

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By the end of April, we will have introduced all of the letters of the alphabet. We will continue to review all of the letters and their sounds from here on out. We will also continue our study of the teen numbers.

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### News from PreK

The month of April will be packed with learning activities and much fun! By the end of this month, we will conclude our study of each alphabet letter. We will continue to review the alphabet letters, as well as the teen numbers, throughout the rest of the school year. This month, we will learn about construction, plants and seeds, color mixing, and estimation. Of course, Easter will not be overlooked. We will get messy as we make shaving cream eggs and bunny crafts.

#### PREK MONTHLY FOCUS

<b>Letters...</b>	Ee, Xx and Yy
<b>Numbers...</b>	teens
<b>Vocabulary &amp;</b>	weather, tornado,
<b>Concepts</b>	spring, sculpture, growth, building

### News from Art

We will meet for our final Special Art class later in the month and when we do we will be painting very colorful self-portraits. In the style of artist Pablo Picasso, we will be using color and line to express emotion. Some might even exhibit a cubist look! Look for your child's self-portrait to appear in the Art Gallery!

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### News from Music

Mr. Goldie will join us in early May to help us get our last month of school off to a rockin' start. We always appreciate the energy and enthusiasm we adds to our classrooms!



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### Last Tuition Payment

Final tuition payment for the 2021-2022 school year is due.

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### Board Meeting

The next Board meeting is Tuesday, April 12 at 7:00pm. This date is changed from the original 4/13 date!

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### 1st Tuition Payment Due

Reminder that the FIRST tuition payment for the 2022-2023 school year is due on May 1. Please pay on time to maintain your spot for next year.

### Parent Board Officers Needed

We need to fill several Board positions for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested in joining the Parent-Teacher Board, please email Erin Lind at [creativepreschoolparentboard@yahoo.com](mailto:creativepreschoolparentboard@yahoo.com) or join us at the next board meeting.

### Shoe Safety

**Please do NOT send your child to school in any foot attire except for sturdy gym shoes.** Rubber boots, fancy shoes, cowboy boots, Ugg-type boots, slip-ons, etc. are not safe for jumping, hopping, dancing, climbing, and tumbling, all activities which we participate in here at Creative, both indoors and out.



Young children need sturdy, well-fitting foot attire for the safety of themselves and others, so **please send your child in gym shoes only!**

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