



April 2017 Newsletter



Picture Day!

We are excited to have Lil' Angels Photography back this spring for pictures! North Oak Infants and Toddlers will be taking pictures tomorrow, April 4th, and Preschool will be April 5th. If there are siblings, whichever day the younger sibling goes is when they will all get individual and sibling pictures.

Parkville's pictures will be Thursday, April 6th. In the event your child doesn't attend school on a given picture day, you are still welcome to come in and get pictures taken. The photographers will generally be set up and ready to go by 8am and plan to stay until around 11 or noon.

PreK Graduation and Related News!

Graduation is scheduled for Saturday, May 20, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the Highlands Community of Christ Church, 7615 N Platte Purchase Drive, KCMO, 64118. Please let us know if your child plans to participate in the ceremony, as we will need to order a cap and gown for your child. The cost for your child's cap and gown will be \$25 and must be ordered and paid for by Friday, April 21st.

We are still planning to do a picture slide show and want to start collecting those now. If your child is graduating this May, we ask you

No Child Wet Behind

Kansas City Douglas is hosting a No Child Wet Behind run on May 13th at Shawnee Mission Park. This non-profit organization helps to close the diaper disparity for families across the country. The beneficiary for the race is Happy Bottoms, so all proceeds stay in KC! One-third of all families can not afford to pay for diapers and must choose between diapers, medications, food etc. There is no public assistance for this need either.

In support of this organization, Sweet Beginnings will be a diaper drop location if you or anyone you know would like to donate to this worthy cause. They are also looking for runners for their race on the 13th! It should prove to be a good time! Chris Cakes will be there providing a pancake breakfast. We Rock The Spectrum will have their sensory mobile gym at the race and there will be other kids activities too!

Here is the link to register:

<http://www.raceentry.com/race-reviews/no-child-wet-behind-kansas-city>

And a link to the national organization:

<http://www.nochildwetbehind.com/>

Here is the FB event page too that you can join for updates and info.

<http://www.facebook.com/events/321465541560855/>

provide digital copies of pictures of your child at ages birth, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. You can email them to sweetbeginningsnorth@gmail.com. If you don't have digital copies, please bring in photos and we can have them scanned.

Finally, if you haven't done so already, please let your school's director know your plans for your child regarding summer school and attendance at Sweet Beginnings.

Easter Egg Hunt!

Your school is planning to have an Easter Egg hunt Thursday, April 13th! We plan for the younger children to have theirs in the morning and the older ones in the afternoon. If you would like to donate eggs/candy, please do so by April 12th.

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Tuition Dates

Weekly Payments due:

Friday April 7

Thursday April 13

Fridays April 21,28

Monthly Payments due:

Friday, April 28

Important Dates

Apr. 4 North Oak Picture Day
(Infants & Toddlers)

Apr. 5 North Oak Picture Day
(Preschool)

Apr. 6 Parkville Picture Day

Last day of mini-me soccer camp

Apr. 13 Easter Egg Hunt

Apr. 14 No school

Things to do in Kansas City

If you are looking for some free, fun family activities, follow the link below for a lot of suggestions for the month of April!

www.kcparent.com/Calendar