

Autumn



Clifton Park Center Baptist Preschool

October - 2005

PRESCHOOL PIPELINE

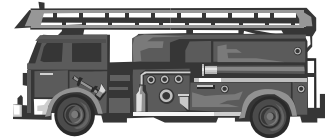


First, as promised in last month's Pipeline, Mrs. Greene's introduction:

Hi, I am Sheila Greene and I am co-teaching the 3 year old Redbirds class along with Mrs. Strife. This is my fourth year to be teaching at the school. I graduated from the University Of Colorado - Boulder, CO. I have lived on the East Coast for 7 years now. I attend Northway Fellowship Church with my family and I teach the second and third grade Sunday School. I am married and have two kids. Addison is my 11 year old daughter and Owen is my 8 year old son. They attend Arongen Elementary. I am also a Regional Vice President with Arbonne International. I continued teaching this year because I can't stay away from the children or the wonderful teachers that teach at this school. -Mrs. Greene

October has to be one of the most glorious times of the year. The air has become crisp, the leaves are turning red, yellow, orange and brown and the pumpkins have been picked from the vine. Even though the daylight hours are becoming less, the time spent outside is so refreshing. It is a time of gratitude and thankfulness for the plenty of the harvest.

A firefighter from the Jonesville Fire Station will bring the fire truck to our school on Thursday, October 20, 2005. The MWF class trip to the Fire Station is scheduled October 26, 2005. A sign-up sheet will be posted. This is a trip "Dads" try to participate in as drivers.



During the month, we will have a table for the students to bring things they have found that are related to the time of the year. For example, acorns, colored leaves, sunflowers, etc. It will be called the "Science Table". The calendar depicts a day we will take a walk in the woods, "Nature Walk". Please be sure to dress your child for walking over tree roots and climbing a small hill. We will explore, identify, and look for signs of autumn.

A fire drill is planned for this month. The safety and security of the children is our utmost priority. Please help us insure that by keeping your child close to you when entering and exiting the parking lot. Thank you for participating in our fund raiser.

Our Harvest Celebration is scheduled for Thursday, October 27, and Friday, October 28. We do not celebrate Halloween. The children do not wear costumes. The snack person for the week will provide



cookies to be decorated. We will need leaf cookies and/or pumpkin cookies, concentrated paste "icing colors", vanilla frosting, sprinkles, and candy corn. A sign-up sheet will be posted for other items needed for our Harvest Celebration. Party clothes may be worn since we do not go to the playground on party days.

We are training the children to cough and/or sneeze into their elbows. Anything that may emit from the mouth will not be on their hands, spreading germs. Also the children are learning how to blow their nose, deposit used tissue in the waste basket, and use one of their wipes at the conclusion of the experience. If you could reinforce this training, our winter months should be less contagious.

Debra, from Positive Image, will be here on November 9th and 10th. She would like you to be able to use the portraits as gifts and memorabilia from the special time in your child's life. She does an awesome job of capturing your child's unique look. The background themes are "Radio Flyer", fall leaves and red wagon. A class picture will be offered as well.



Two parents have volunteered to help as Book Organizers. Please see a teacher at the end of each month to find out which of our "theme" books will be available to borrow. Our lending library, which includes videos and books used for previous themes, is now on the revolving rack in the hall. If you would like to borrow something, remove it, fill out the card and return the item within a week.

Please accept this Pipeline newsletter as information as well as encouragement for the wonderful job you are doing as a parent, family and participant of CPCBP.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Robyck & Staff

"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it"
Proverbs 22:6

