

Aug. 24-28

Dear Parents,

We are beginning our second week with a new theme on the story of *Noah's Ark*. This is an exciting theme as your child will be learning about God's love for Noah, his family, and the animals. Also this happens to be the name of our preschool-*Noah's Ark Preschool*. I will read (or rather retell) the story of Noah and his ark from Genesis. This theme also includes learning about pairs, sharing, colors, weather, and rainbows. This theme will be for two weeks.

I would like to invite each child to bring one stuffed animal to school so we can reenact the story of Noah's Ark. Please if possible put your child's name on the animal, maybe on the tag or with a piece of tape. Bring the animal to school the next day you come (Tues. for some, Wed. or Thurs. for others). If you choose not to send an animal that is fine as we have some at school.

The first parent packet from the office was sent home last week. Please remember to take out and read the contents of the packet, sign it and return it. This is an important means of communication between school and home.

The days and times of the specials' schedule will be sent home today too.

I suggest saving this schedule and highlighting your child's days.

As you can see, we are busy, busy! Every minute counts. Please help me by talking to your child about moving quickly and quietly through the halls in a line.

Library was added to the specials' schedule. Mrs. Rezac is our librarian. For library, every child gets to check out one book, and needs to return that book by the next library time enabling him to check out a new book. Please help your child return his book on time so there are no hurt feelings.

At Open House, I had a volunteer signup sheet. *If* someone missed it and would still like to sign up, please just ask me.

School pictures will be taken on Wed, Sept. 2. P1 (T/Th) will have their pictures taken on Thurs, Sept. 3.

God bless each of you,
Mrs. Owens

