

First Circle of Friends Newsletter: **February 2018**

Fruit of the Spirit: Love; Verse: "Love one another." John 13:34; Color: red, pink, and white

1. Registration is in full swing! Please do not put registrations in the lock box, but hand them directly to a teacher.
2. Pete the Cat! The trip is next Thursday. We are scheduled to attend the 11:45 performance, but need to be there no later than 11:00 to get seats together, if possible. It should be fun! **There will be no classes at school that day.**
3. Valentines Parties are Wednesday, February 14 and Thursday, February 15 (Tu/Th threes). This is also our red and white color day! Children do hand out valentines at their party (homemade, store-bought, treats or not), so please help your child sign one for each classmate. Please do not write who it is to – the children will pass them out around the circle instead. However, **Kindergarten is expected to address them individually**, as they can read it themselves!
 - a. Sunshine Tu/Th 3s: 11
 - b. Sunshine AM W/F 3s: 12
 - c. Sunshine PM W/F 3s: 5
 - d. Sunshine Teachers: Linda, Kenzie, Stephanie
 - e. Rainbow AM 4s: 12
 - f. Rainbow PM 4s: 11
 - g. Rainbow Teachers: Chrystal, Ginny
 - h. Starlight AM 4s: 11
 - i. Starlight AM 4s Teachers: Ryan, Tammy
 - j. Kindergarten: Abigail, Bailey, Diem, Evelina, Harper, Lydia
 - k. Starlight Kindergarten Teachers: Ryan, Tammy, Kenzie
4. Parents are invited to come the last **45 minutes** for the Valentine Parties (10:30 AM, 2:15 PM) to watch the valentine exchange. Please let your teacher know if you plan on bringing siblings. Because of the Valentine exchange, we won't be having group singing.
5. Treat sign-ups for the Valentine Party will be coming soon on sign-up genius.
6. There **will not** be school for Kindergarten on President's Day, Monday, February 19.
7. We are collecting peanut butter and jam/jelly! Thank you for the generous donations for our PBJ gifts to H.O.P.E. We want the children to understand that not all families are as blessed as ours and sometimes don't even have the stuff to make lunches! We will collect until Valentine's Day and will deliver it on the following Thursday. Thanks so much. You are making a difference!
8. Our school program is Friday, March 16th at 6:30.
9. We need Grandparent Day papers! At this date, we have not received many of the forms and would really appreciate getting as much as possible soon! It takes many, many hours to assemble all the books and we'd like to get a head start on things. Thanks!