



# May 2013 Newsletter 4 Year-Old Classes



*We only have a few weeks left of school. It seems like just last week it was August and we were having our Parent Meeting. It has been a terrific year and a pleasure meeting all of you and getting to know your children. They have grown so much; educationally, physically and socially. Kindergarten here they come!*

*Thank you for all the support over the past year. It has been greatly appreciated. Of course there is always room for improvement, and our program can only get better with your feedback. So please take a minute to complete the attached evaluation form. The teachers and I would like to hear from you.*

*Each evaluation returned by May 17 will be entered into a drawing for a Family Pool Pass (4 people) to the new Antioch Aqua Center. Thanks in advance for your feedback.*

*Have a terrific summer!  
Miss Libby*

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK ORDERS** We have received many new books for our library this year (free of charge)! Thank you to those parents who have donated a book to our class or ordered on-line, which in turn gave us free books. Our library continues to grow and the children love story time! The due date for the last order is May 6.

**END OF THE YEAR/SPRING PROGRAM** Once again we invite you to this special end-of-the-year event. Here are the details: The doors will not open until 8:45 a.m. and the program will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m., with refreshments immediately following. Since it is not a typical school day, children may go home with their families when they choose.

**BK T/TH Campers** – Last day of class - Tuesday, May 14. Spring Program - Thursday, May 16.

**BK AM Campers** – Last day of class - Wednesday, May 15. Spring Program - Friday, May 17.

Frequently asked questions:

**Q:** What time should we arrive?

**A:** Doors open at 8:45 a.m. Please be prompt so we can start all programs on time. We know some parents need to get back to work, so we like to start right at 9:00 a.m.

**Q:** Who can attend?

**A:** Anyone can attend; mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters, grandmas, grandpas, and aunts and uncles! The main portion of the program is in the gym, so we will have a little more room. We will have refreshments in the classroom, so that may be standing room only, but guests are always welcome.

**Q:** How long will the program last?

**A:** The children's portion of the program will last approximately 30 minutes. Afterwards, we ask that you stay and enjoy refreshments with the teachers and children.

If you would like to bring something to share, a sign-up sheet will be posted by the sign in clipboard. Some suggestions are: fruit or veggie plates, cheese and crackers, pretzels, small muffins, Goldfish, Teddy Grahams, Jell-O Jigglers, etc. or a beverage if you like. Thank you in advance for your contribution!

Invitations will be sent home soon and extras will be available if you'd like to send them to family members. If your child will not be attending, please let one of the staff know. We are looking forward to this special day and hope you are too. We are excited to celebrate with everyone on the last day of Camp. It has been an exceptional year!

**KIDDIE KAMP** This new camp is designed for 3 ½ -5 year olds and will offer a morning of socialization and activities. Sharing, listening and cooperation will be stressed as children participate in games, outdoor play, songs, story time, crafts and nature. Weather permitting; water play in sprinklers and pools will take place on the playground. Kiddie Kamp will be held at Faith Lutheran School and meets from 9:00 – 11:30am. For dates and fees please call the Parks Office at 847.395.2160.

**CAMP SUNSHINE FULL OR ½ DAY** At Camp Sunshine, your child will make new friends, experience new activities, and have fun! Campers will participate in a variety of activities: playground games, sports, crafts, nature, theme days, walking field trips, outdoor play – and a daily trip to the Antioch Aqua Center, weather permitting. The campers will go on one field trip each session.

**LOCATION:** Scout House

**TIME:** 8:30am - 4:00pm (full day) or 8:30 – 11:30am

**GRADE:** Entering Kindergarten – 2nd

**ANTIOCH AQUA CENTER** The new and improved Antioch Aqua Center is scheduled to open in June. The pool features a zero depth entry, slide, diving board and an interactive play structure. Purchase your pool pass today – you don't want to miss out on all the fun! The pool is a great place to catch up with all your Camp Crayon friends.

*We sincerely thank you for entrusting your children to us a few days each week. Having them in our care has been a pleasure.*

Miss Libby, *Camp Crayon Director*

Miss Carol, *Lead Instructor, Mon-Thurs.*

Miss Ray, *Lead Instructor Friday*

Miss Lisa, Miss Kathy, Miss Stephanie,

Miss Cathie & Miss LeaAnn

*Camp Crayon at Parks Bldg. 847-838-4330*

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*Farewell*

