

May 2018 Wings Newsletter

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Heaven Sent Nursery School



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Upcoming Events

May 1- Tuition due

May 7- 4's Walking trip to
Hackettstown Public Library

May 14- Airplane Day

May 23- Last drop off day for
clothing drive

May 25- Box Car Day

May 28- NO
SCHOOL/Hackettstown
Memorial Day Parade

May 29/30- Creative Family
Fun Project Due

May 30- Last day for MMO
program

June 1st- Last day for Lunch
Bunch

From the Director:

We have only about 6 weeks left of this school year, and then many of you will find yourselves the parents of kindergarteners, while the rest of you will be the parents of our "big" kids! This year has gone very quickly for all of us on staff at Heaven Sent, and we're sure as your children make these transitions, it has gone too quickly for you!

As parents ourselves, we know that the hardest thing to do is to turn over your children to someone else for any length of time. We are honored that you have chosen us as among the first "outside" people who work with your child. For all of us who are parents, after having a total control of our child's every move for 3, 4, or 5 years, facing the fact they are beginning to have aspects of their lives that belong only to them is very hard. That you have been able to help and encourage your children in this major transitional step is to your credit and might even make it easier as watch them get on a school bus for the first time.....go to school for a full day program, 5 days a week, instead of ½ day for part of the week...or any other milestones that our so deeply loved children reach.

To all of you, for your support, encouragement, and care this year, we are grateful. If we can be of help to you, especially those of you who are in your last full month of association with Heaven Sent, please call on us for anything, We want to continue to hear from you, and it is always a pleasure seeing "our" angels all grown up.

During the month of May we will be transitioning from our Community Helpers Unit and diving into our Transportation Unit in our 4 year old programs. We have many exiting days planned this month as well as many special visitors scheduled to come and talk to us about their jobs. We end our units with Box Car Day on May 25th where our 4 yr olds will create their own cars out of boxes and pretend to drive around town. Our 3 year old angels will be transitioning from their Classical Literature Unit and having fun learning about baby animals this month.

Lastly, the month of May also brings the Memorial Day holiday. Keep a look out for little Heaven Sent angels as our school will be marching in this year's Hackettstown Memorial Day Parade.

~Jennifer Bujno



Topic: Paper Cup critters...what can you make from a paper cup? We will provide you with the cup, you change it into something cute or cool!

Heaven Sent Clothing Drive!!

Our school is turning 30 years old this coming September! Our goal is to begin putting new flooring in our classrooms to celebrate. Please help us with this goal by donating your used and unwanted clothing items, house linens and stuffed animals to us throughout this month. We will receive 20 cents per pound from A & E Clothing Company to put towards our new flooring goal.

FINAL TUITION PAYMENT!

We remind you that your FINAL payment of the 2017-2018 school year is due on May 1st, and will be assessed a late fee if received after 2pm on May 10th.

More Important News

End of Year Notes:

As we near the end of the year, we want to be able to plan ahead for some special events. Heaven Sent WILL NOT hold a "graduation" for our 4 year old angels. It is our feeling that children will have a graduation at an appropriate time in their school career, and this is just one more example of trying to rush kids into experiences that they are too young to really understand or appreciate. Our closing program is a celebration for our 4 year old program students and will be held on June 8th at 11am in the church sanctuary. Family and friends are invited!

Our 3 year old classes will have a color day on June 6th & 7th for their very last day of school. All children will be dropped off at the usual time and we hope that our angels will be dressed in their favorite colors. We will have a wonderful day centered around the theme of colors. The day will end at the regular dismissal time of 11:45am.

Those who are enrolled for our 2018-2019 programs have received a Summer Orientation registration form. Please fill out our form and return it by June 1st. This orientation is designed to help transition and encourage your angels from home to their new school days. Our orientation days will be held on August 29th and 30th. You may choose to attend one or both offered days. These days come right after our Family Fun Night/Meet and Greet on August 28th.

Parade News!!!

For the 3rd year, Heaven Sent Nursery School will be marching in the Hackettstown Memorial Day Parade. We are very excited to share with the community our sweet school and all of our little angels. A sign up sheet will be placed in our landing soon for those who would like to participate.

Looking Ahead....

FPCH Vacation Bible School:

"All Aboard the VBS Express"
July 30th-August 3rd

Heaven Sent Summer Family Fun Night

Heaven Sent will be having a Family Fun Night/ Meet and Greet for students and families enrolled in the 2018-2019 school year on Tuesday, August 28th. 3 year old angels and any family members can attend from 6-6:30pm. Angels in our 4 year old programs can attend with their family members from 6:45-7:15pm. This program is free and will feature some simple activities to help the children explore their new classroom and meet their teachers and fellow classmates. It will also allow parents to meet each other.