

Redeemer Christian School April 2018 Newsletter

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

Director's Note

The blessings of spring bring us joy and the halls of RCS are filled with excitement of warmer weather and brighter colors. With spring we think of newness of life in the birds outside, the budding flowers and trees and in the changing growth of our children which we at RCS try to address in areas of academics, physical growth, and in growth with Jesus spiritually. We enjoy each one of our children at RCS and it honestly is exciting to see how they grow in so many ways! We start April coming back from from Easter celebration. We tell the children that a "Christian", one of the words which names our school, Redeemer Christian School, means someone who loves God and asks God to live in his or her heart forever. Easter is so important and it is truly important for our preschoolers to know of God's love for us and that He gave His only son to everyone!

We look forward to "RCS Day" on Sunday, April 22nd when we can meet together at Redeemer Lutheran Church's 10:15 church service and sing some of our songs that we like in our Music sessions. Please come with your child if you are able to do so. Sunday School is available after we sing if your child wishes to join but it is your choice if you want your child to join. It's always uplifting to hear our children sing!

Clifford and "Read Across America" week was a hit at RCS and we thank all our volunteers and parents for sending in books. We were treated to a wonderful demonstration of Irish step dance for St. Patrick's Day with Emily Heinemann and her Wick Hegarty School of Irish Dance which included three of our alumni, Emily's daughter Phoebe, Fiona Baker, and Caitlyn McInnis who all graduated from RCS. We thank Master Lim's Tae Kwon Do for their excellent demonstration to the children last month and we thank Dawn Chiu for sharing her new book, "Eat like an Animal, Act Like an Animal", with all of us.

Thank you parents for attending our Parent Teacher Conferences the third week of April and we thank you all in advance for sending in treats and plastic eggs as well help out for our Easter Egg Hunts.

During the week of April 23^{rd} up to Thursday night on April 26^{th} , please come down to the Roxbury Library to see our awesome display of artwork from $2\frac{1}{2}$'s up to our STARS. The theme we picked for this year is "Spring Has Sprung"!

God Bless you all, Cindy Stevens and the RCS Staff

Our April activities are:

Parent Teacher Conferences - April 16th - 20th

This is a nice time to meet up with your child's teacher. If you are unable to attend at your scheduled day/time, please contact the school office so that we can arrange an alternate time for a phone conference.

RCS Day - April 22nd

• Come with your child to Redeemer's 10:15a.m. service to hear our children sing some songs that we have been practicing.

Roxbury Library Art Show - April 23rd-26th

Please stop by into the Roxbury Library during these days to see our "Spring Has Sprung" art theme on display in the children's section. Our children and staff have worked hard on their art projects and will love for you to see what they have made!

April At A Glance

Letters Of The Month - "A", "M", "V", and "W"

April 9th

We are back from Easter Break

April 11"

British Swim School -Water Safety Presentation (ALL OUR WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS PRESENTATION AT 9:30AM. AND 12:30P.M.)

April 16-20th

Parent/Teacher conferences

April 22nd

RCS Day at Redeemer Church 10:15a.m service (all our welcome to come and hear our children sing!)

April 25th & 26th

Weis trip in Flanders

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Planetarium Trip for 4 year old classes, Morris Museum Trip for STARS

April 26th & 27th

Spirit Days

Field Trips

Weis Field Trip (3's) - April 25th-26th

The three year old students will be visiting the Weiss supermarket in Flanders for a "behind the scenes" tour of a big grocery store. A parent/guardian must accompany their child on this trip.

- Wednesday, April 25th 9:30a.m.
 - Miss Cindy 3 year olds (MWF a.m. class)
- Wednesday, April 25th 12:30p.m.
 - Miss Anne 3 year olds (MWF p.m. class)
- 1 Thursday, April 26th 9:30a.m.
 - Miss Cindy 3 year olds (T-TH class)

Planetarium Field Trip (4's) - April 25th

The 4 year old classes will go to the CCM Planetarium to learn about the stars and planets in the night sky. Miss Lori, Miss Karen and Miss Charleen's students (along with a parent or guardian) will meet in the planetarium lobby for the morning classes at 9:45a.m. and 11:45a.m. for afternoon classes. The show will begin promptly at 10:00a.m.

Car Name Signs

Please remember to display your child's name sign in your car at dismissal. We're not always able to recognize all the different cars!

Looking Ahead...more details to come for the following events:

- May 2nd, 3rd, & 4th Mother's Day celebrations (11:00a.m. & 2:10p.m.)
- > May 8th STARS trip to Clown Around 12:30p.m.
- May 18th RCS "Family Day" at Land of Make Believe (rain date May 25th)
- > June 7th Last Day of School
- June 8th Graduation Ceremonies for 4 year olds and STARS
 - Miss Karen's morning 4's & Miss Charleen's morning 4's - 9:30a.m.
 - Miss Karen's afternoon 4's, Miss Lori's Full Day, and STARS - 12:30p.m.

Upcoming Events at Redeemer Lutheran Church

Redeemer Lutheran Church invites all of our RCS families to the following events:

- RCS Day Sunday, April 22nd at 10:15a.m. service
- Redeemer Youth's 6th Annual Dinner Auction "Cinco de Mayo "Saturday May 5th from 5:30 to 10:00a.m. Advance tickets are \$25.00 per person (\$30.00 at the door). Please contact Rhonda Rossi at (973) 584-6300 for more information.
- Wacation Bible School Monday, July 9th – 13th from 8:45a.m. to noon for ages 4 to 5th grade (completed). Registration begins May 1st at redeemeronline.net/vbs The theme this year "Rolling River Rampage" Parent volunteers are needed!