











School-Age Newsletter

| <i>Sunday</i> | <i>Monday</i> | <i>Tuesday</i> | <i>Wednesday</i> | <i>Thursday</i> | <i>Friday</i> | <i>Saturday</i> |
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| October 2019 | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 <i>Violet V is 8 years old today</i>  | 5 |
| 6 <i>Mia is 6 years old today</i>  | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 PA DAY NO SCHOOL | 12 <i>Lucas & Daniel are 8 years old today</i>  |
| 13  | 14 <i>Thanksgiving Day!</i> <i>Gianluca is 6 years old today</i> | 15  | 16 | 17 <i>St. Clare School Photo Day</i> | 18 | 19 <i>Joshua is 6 years old today</i>  |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 <i>Layla is 11 years old today</i>  | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 <i>CSPC Mtg. St. Clare 6:30 pm</i> | 29 | 30  | 31 <i>Aiden is 6 years old today</i>  Halloween Day |  | See back...  |

Dear School Age Parents:

Just a few reminders:

Please ensure your child(ren) have extra clothing in their cubbies...please labels all items.

All three School-Age rooms will be having a Halloween Celebration on Thursday, October 31st - children may bring in peanut/nut free treats to share with their class (in original packaging)... staff will also provide some treats to share.

Classroom Updates:

Every Friday, Room 113 (Vasilica/Zuguey) will be having Show and Tell after snack.

Room 121 (Jennifer/Jeanett) will be starting a Drawing Club. It will take place twice a week - children will be able to pick the days they wish to participate. Each child will get their own drawing pad and will have the option of using an iPad to guide them in a drawing project. Please see weekly program plans for further details.

Room 303 will be starting a cooking club. This will take place every other Friday. The children will take the lead on these activities with teacher guidance.

If you ever have any questions or concerns about our program, please let us know.

Thank you, Vasilica and Zugey, Room 113 Junior School-Age Room
Jennifer and Jeanett, Room 121 Intermediate School-Age Room
Andreia, Room 303 Senior School-Age Room

Recipe For the Month

HALLOWEEN FINGERS



Ingredients:

- 100g almond flakes
- 2 tbsp. pillar-box red food coloring
- 125g butter, softened
- 1 whole egg + 1 egg yolk, lightly beaten
- 1/2 cup icing sugar, sifted
- 5 tbsp. caster sugar
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1 pinch salt
- 1 2/3 cups plain flour

Method:

Place 24 fingernail-shaped almond flakes into a small bowl and pour over the food coloring. Leave to soak while you make the biscuit dough.

To make the biscuit dough, using a mixer, cream the butter and eggs until combined. Beat in the icing sugar, caster sugar, vanilla and salt and mix until smooth and creamy (about 2 minutes).

Still using the mixer, add the flour and mix until just combined. Form the dough into 2 disks and cover in cling film. Refrigerate for 20 mins.

Preheat oven to 180°C or 160°C fan-forced. Line 2 baking trays with baking paper and set aside. Remove dough from refrigerator and roll 12 finger shapes from each disk. Use a sharp knife to cut knuckle ridges into the dough and pinch together for knuckles. Place an almond fingernail on each fingertip. Bake for 12 minutes.

Remove from oven and dip each finger end into the food coloring / jam. **ENJOY**