



December Newsletter



We hope that your **Thanksgiving Holidays** were festive and fabulous, surrounded by loved ones! Tighten your seat belts! You're in for a fiercely festive ride for the next three weeks!

Because of having two classes, **Afternoon Adventures** still has openings for December on some days. Cancellations occur, and it's possible for you to move up on the waiting list and secure a needed date if the one(s) you desire is full. If you are signed up, and **your plans change**, please **notify us ASAP** so that the next child on the waiting list may take the spot. If you **add additional days** to your month's schedule, come to the office in person or phone Beth so that we get you on the list. You may group you're **A.A. and tuition fees in one check** when applicable and **itemize it at the bottom**. Having all fees in by the 10th of December will prevent late fees. Many thanks!

(2's & 3's MWF-\$260; 2's & 3's T-Th-\$230; 3's 5-Day-\$490; Extended Day-\$265; Non-VPK-\$282)

Important dates to remember for a busy month:

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| Dec. 2nd (Wed.) | -Spring Fling meeting - 9:15 - Nursery |
| 3rd (Thurs.) | -Spring Fling meeting - 9:15 - Nursery |
| 4th (Fri.) | -H1N1 Flu shots - RDS - 8:30 - Fellowship Hall area |
| 7th (Mon.) | -PAC Committee meeting - 9:15 - Nursery |
| 9th (Wed.) | -Santa's visit beginning at about 9:15! (Sh-h-h-h-h! It's a secret!) |
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| 11th (Fri.) | -Holiday Puppet Show at Faith Covenant Church across the street - 9:10 |
| 17th (Thurs.) | -Half Day for all children - No Afternoon Adventures!!! No Ext. Day!!! |
| 18th (Fri.) | -Children's Holiday Program (9:30) in Sanctuary - 1/2 day - No A.A. EVERYONE INVITED!!! (Children go home with parents after program.) |
| 19th - Jan. 3rd | -No School for children; Have a safe and blessed holiday season! |

Please come and join Holly and friends for our **Spring Fling meeting** on **Wednesday the 2nd** and/or **Thursday the 3rd at 9:15** in the **church nursery**. We need your help and ideas as the time shortens. **Spring Fling volunteers** will get together again in **January** to continue our downhill spiral toward March. We have already received many fabulous gift and auction donations. If you desire to donate an item or service or to sponsor a booth, pony ride, etc., please let us know in the office. We thank everyone for the phenomenal job you've done so far!

Those who have sent in consent forms for your child's **H1N1 Swine Flu shot** may receive them **this Friday, December 4th, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Parents are encouraged to accompany your child.**

Please come and join Kelly Hallas for our **PAC Committee meeting** on **Monday, December 7th, at 9:15** in the **church nursery**. Your opinions and assistance are always needed and valued.

A visit from that "**Most Important Guy**" will occur on **Wednesday the 9th and Thursday the 10th** beginning at about 9:30. The boys and girls are always surprised when they hear **Santa's** bells jingling down the hallway. **Sh-h-h!!! Keep it our secret!**

We'll be venturing across the street to **Faith Covenant Church** at **9:10** on **Friday, December 11th**. Please do your best to **have your child at school by 8:45 (VPK)/9:00 sharp**. We would love to have parents help us navigate the traffic if you have the time. If you arrive at school after 9:00, please bring your child across the street to Faith Covenant. Either side door will get you in.

Please be sure to put **December 18th** on your calendars for the whole extended family to join us for our annual **Holiday Program**. It sometimes is standing room only! We don't want you to miss a second of these fabulous performances. Bring all of your visiting relatives and friends! You won't be disappointed! **Children from "ALL CLASSES" should be in their classrooms by 8:45 (VPK)/9:00 on the 18th to prepare for their parts.**

December 17th & 18th are both HALF DAYS!!! Our **holiday vacation** begins **Saturday, December 19th**, for the children, and extends **through Sunday, January 3rd**. May your holidays be joyous and filled with love and laughter.

We look forward to you joining us for a New Year that will be filled with blessings for good health, safety, and, most of all, for someone to love who loves us back! **See you on the 4th (5th)!** We'll miss you! Be safe! Stay happy! Laugh loudly and love much!

Holiday blessings for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you & yours,

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Beth
Sharon
Melinda
Dawn & Carla
Stacy & Tina
Cyndi & Joyce
Paige & Kathy
Brenda & Charlotte

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