

TINY TOTS and LITTLE TYKES inc.

October 2017 Preschool News



★ Our First Day Of Preschool ★

DEAR PARENTS

The school year is off to a great start!

October is filled with many fun events such as Fire Prevention Week and Halloween Parties!

*Remember to be sending jackets and hats as the colder weather begins. Label everything with your child's name.

PICTURE DAY

Lifetouch Portraits will be here on Monday, October 16th & Tuesday, October 17th to take pictures of the children during their preschool time. On picture day each child will receive a proof envelope with their images to take home for the parent to view. Parents will have seven days to select the package they want and submit their order online or to the center. Watch for more information that will be passed out as it gets closer.

FIRE TRUCK

October is Fire Safety month. The West St. Paul Fire Department will visit with their fire truck on Tuesday & Wednesday, October 24th & 25th at 9:45 a.m.

PICTURES ON FACEBOOK

See more pictures and get a better view of the ones featured on here by visiting our [Facebook Page](#).

“Like” our page to get notifications of new posts!

HALLOWEEN PARTIES



The Halloween parties are scheduled for Monday, Oct. 30th & Tuesday, Oct. 31st.

There will be many fun games and activities planned for the day. **Please have your child come dressed in their costumes.** The children are encouraged NOT to bring candy to share. If your child wants to bring an item to share, we encourage parents to send trinkets such as stickers, pencils, etc.



FALL FUNDRAISER

We will be having a *Heggie's Pizza* fundraiser beginning on Friday, October 6th and ending on Friday, October 20th. These pizzas are quite tasty! You can help us earn a percentage of sales by asking your family, friends, neighbors, and co-workers. The delivery date is on Wednesday, Nov. 1st. Pick up time is from 3:30-5:00 p.m.

SCHOLASTIC BOOKS

This month our book orders are due on Wednesday, October 18th. Please remember to write a check to *Tiny Tots* that is separate from your tuition.

LOOKING AHEAD

Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for Wednesday & Thursday, November 8th & 9th during preschool hours. **THERE IS NO PRESCHOOL CLASS THESE DAYS.** Watch for a sheet that will have a scheduled day & time for you to meet with Jackie or Pat. Please call us if you cannot meet on that scheduled day & time and would like to do a phone conference instead.

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS



- **Grownups should always accompany the child to the door. Do not go inside.**
- **Wear reflective clothing or add reflective strips to your child's costume.**
- **Stay on sidewalks and well-lit streets. Do not take shortcuts through alleyways or across lawns.**
- **Tell your child to yell "Help!", "Stranger!", and "Police!" if someone tries to grab them.**



TYKES CORNER

October is *National Bullying Prevention Month*.

We will be participating in the "Kindness in Chalk" event again this year. "Kindness in Chalk" is a movement started by www.minnemamaadventures.com. On Monday, October 2nd we will have chalk available on our front sidewalk. So, grab a piece and draw/write a message with your child (ren).

It is very important that we keep all our children safe. The following link will take you directly to the Parent's Page on the "Stomp Out Bullying" website: <http://www.stompoutbullying.org/index.php/information-and-resources/parents-page/>

Also, be sure to check out the Parent Education section on our website for this month's topic: "[Your Preschooler and Bedtime.](#)"