

WEEKDAY NEWS  
QUAIL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH  
October 2009

Dear Parents,

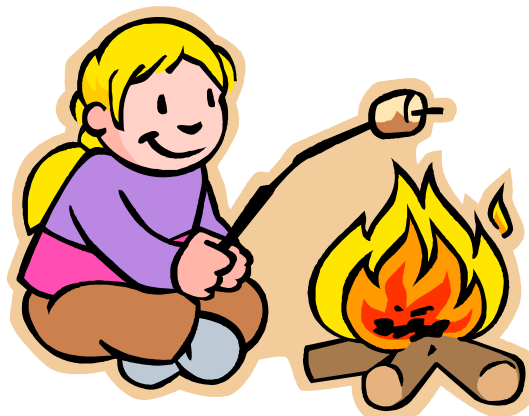
Is it October already?!? Oh my, time really does fly when you are having fun!! We have had such a great first month of weekday! The children are settling into their classroom routines, making new friends and learning about a God who loves them. Fall is one of my favorite seasons. It is a great time to take five with your child and explore all of the changes happening around us—the change in temperature, leaves changing colors and falling, animals getting ready for winter, and many others. What an amazing God we serve that can orchestrate something so awesome!!

Your child's teachers have some wonderful things planned for this month. Make sure you are watching the calendar to see what is coming up!

Ken's Universal Studios will be here the week of October 5<sup>th</sup> to take pictures of your adorable children! They will be using a fall background. Look for a note home about when your class will be taking their pictures.

I hope that you have a fantastic month and are able to get outside and enjoy the weather before it gets cold. I would like to personally invite each of you to join us for worship on Sunday morning if you are not currently involved in church worship. Remember, my door is always open if you need to stop by or just want to say hello!

Denise Greenwood  
Director of Weekday Ministries



# PRESCHOOL NOTES

## Faithful Friends

I am so excited that Fall is here! The world God made becomes such a beautiful place with all the changing colors! Your children are really getting into the routine of school and they are doing great! In October, we will be Learning Through Our Senses and Discovering Autumn. We will be having Show and Tell on Wed. October 7th and our Fall Party will be on Wednesday, October 28th. Please keep an eye out for the sign-up sheet for our party!

Make sure you are asking your child specifics about their day from the calendar or about snacks. I try to accomplish everything listed on the calendar each day and it makes them feel so special when they can tell you what they did! Also, please remember that we will be observing Fall Break on Wednesday, Oct. 14th so there will be no school that day. Enjoy your time observing the beautiful changing world around you!

God bless you,  
Ms. Danielle and Ms. Jenette  
Color: Blue and Orange  
Shape: Square  
Letters: D, E and F  
Numbers 1-7



## Wee Wonders

I love this time of year! I love seeing the colorful leaves on the trees, and I love the chilly air!

We are off to a great start! We are learning things like how to walk in a line, how to wait for our turn, how to be good listeners, and how to share, as well as letters and numbers! We are learning that God made us special!

This month, we will learn about the five senses. We use our senses to learn about the world that God created! We will also learn about autumn, and have a Fall Party on the 28th!

Our letters this month are D, E, and F, and our numbers are 4, 5 and 6. Blue and orange are our colors, and the square is our shape.

We count it as a blessing and a privilege to teach these precious children! We are looking forward to getting to know each family this year.

Love, Ms. Karin and Ms. Reba

## King's Kids

Fall is such a beautiful time of year. I love the changes in nature that happen all around us. This month your children will be learning about God's beautiful world during the fall season. They will hear about celebrating the feast of harvest and the farmers who help us.

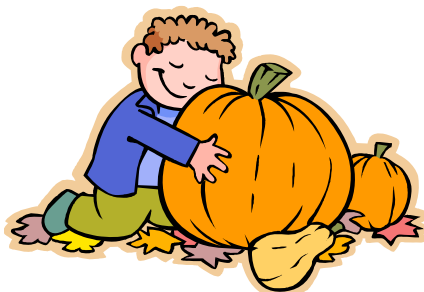
We will work on our social skills of listening, and saying please and thank you. Your children will also discover spatial awareness through parachute play and large motor enhancement with plungers.

We will learn the letters O, S, F and P and the numbers 4, 5 and 6. Our colors are brown and orange, and our shape is the circle. Look for our Harvest Celebration Party sign-up sheet at the end of the month.

Remember to send jackets (with your child's name on them) when the weather gets cooler as we plan to go outside most days.

Your children are a blessing!

Ms. Cynthia & Ms. Autumn



# PRE-K

# NOTES

## Sonshine Kids

Fall is here and the leaves are beginning to turn shades of red, orange and yellow. We will work on the units of Farm Life, Safety Helpers and My Family this month.

We are marching through the alphabet and learning a lot of new information. We work all week memorizing the bible verse and we really need to be working on that at home as well. So, if you could help us practice in the car or the bathtub we would greatly appreciate it.

Parents, you are doing a fabulous job raising your children. We see your efforts each week in the beautiful faces of your smiling children.

This is one of our favorite poems. We wanted to share it with you.

If a child lives with criticism,  
A child learns to condemn.  
If a child lives with hostility,  
A child learns to fight.  
If a child lives with ridicule,  
A child learns to be shy.  
If a child lives with shame,  
A child learns to feel guilty.  
If a child lives with tolerance,  
A child learns to be patient.  
If a child lives with encouragement,  
A child learns confidence.  
If a child lives with praise,  
A child learns to appreciate.  
If a child lives with fairness,  
A child learns justice.  
If a child lives with security,  
A child learns to have faith.  
If a child lives with approval,  
A child learns self-esteem.  
If a child lives with acceptance and friendship,  
A child learns to find love in the world.

Thank you,  
Ms. Patricia and Ms. Angela

## Sun Beams

I can't believe the first month of school is already behind us. We have enjoyed getting to know your precious little ones. They have the routine down and are really beginning to open up. We had great fun learning all about the way our bodies work. We talked about the genius behind God's designs for us. There never has been and never will be another child just like yours - he or she is "wonderfully made"!

October will be such a fun month. We will start off with one of my favorite units "Life on the Farm". We will learn about the top four agricultural products produced in Oklahoma and find out what a day in the life of a farmer is all about. Next, we will spend a week talking about "Safety Helpers". We will talk about fire safety, emergencies, and have a visit from a police officer. Finally, we will spend a week on "My Family and Me". This is the unit where we reinforce the importance of obeying mom and dad! I know you will want to work on memorizing that week's verse!! We will also talk about letters E, F, and G and the numbers 3 and 4. We will have a fall party and enjoy a fall break. We are working hard at learning to write our names correctly. So, please encourage them in their efforts. Thank you for entrusting your children to us. We love them already!

Ms. Suzanne & Ms. Lindsay



### **Glad Tidings**

I am always amazed at how quickly the first month of school ends. It has been a fabulous start however. I am so proud that the kids are excitedly learning their memory verses. These are written on the calendar so you can work on learning these at home too! Don't forget to ask your child to retell our Bible story to you. Did your child mention *Georgia O'Keeffe*? We enjoyed looking at her artwork and painting some of our own. I think we might have some future artist in our class.

We are working a lot on name writing and other fine-motor skills. We do activities everyday to strengthen hand and wrist muscles required for writing. You can make sure your children get these opportunities at home through play. A few ideas are using colors, markers, scissors, play dough, and small blocks.

Our upcoming units for October are Farm Life, Safety Helpers, and My Family and Me. Thanks for helping to make the start of this year so successful!

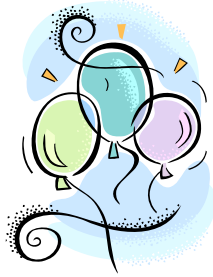
Ms. Candace & Ms. Cynthia

## **Calendar of Events**

Oct 5, 7, 9 – Picture Days  
Oct 7 – Book Orders Due  
Oct 14-16 – Closed for Fall Break  
Oct 26 & 28 – Fall parties  
Nov 6 – No School  
Nov 9, 11, 13 – Parent Teacher Conferences  
(Preschool & Pre-K Only)  
Nov 11 – Book Orders Due  
Nov 23 – Thanksgiving Parties  
Nov 25-27 – Closed for Thanksgiving  
Dec 2 – Book Orders Due  
Dec 3 – Preschool & Pre-K Christmas Program (6:30)  
Dec 14, 16, 18 – Christmas Parties  
Dec 21 – Jan 1 – Closed for Christmas Break

Tuition is due in full on the first of the month. Late charges will be added on the eighth of the month.

**Sunday Schedule at QSBC**  
Morning Worship Services  
Traditional – 8:15 & 11 a.m.  
Contemporary – 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 & 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship Service 6:30 p.m.



## Student Birthdays

Abigail Lynch	10/01/07
Morgan Cagley	10/02/07
Luke Engelmann	10/07/07
Amarr Simmons	10/07/08
Brock Wagner	10/09/06
Lily Hoffman	10/13/06
Caleb Adams	10/16/04
Grace Parker	10/16/05
Sterling Dunagan	10/18/06
Cole Cummings	10/20/08
Harrison Grow	10/23/05
Evan Goodner	10/23/07

## Teacher Birthdays

Rachel Darks	10/09
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