



Monona Grove Nursery School Newsletter January 2017

We had a wonderful December at Monona Grove Nursery School- thanks to all of our families for the wonderful gifts, treats sent in, ingredients and party items.

We love our supportive parents!



Our January Open House for POTENTIAL new families is on January 21 from 10:30am-1:30pm. To folks who may be looking for a preschool, our parents are our best source of new families, so please spread the word. All of our teachers will be here, our classrooms will be ready to play in, and we would love to meet anyone interested in preschool next year or beyond, or in Toddler Time. Remember! If you are named as the referral on their application, MGNS sends you a coffee card to a local coffee shop.



OUR BOX UNIT is here! Please save and bring in larger boxes anytime over the next two weeks. We will take all kinds of brown shipping boxes, and especially large (refrigerator, TV, etc.) boxes. THANK YOU!



Mark your Calendar! Required Parent Meetings!
Our Mandatory Parent Meetings will be as follows:

Thurs, Feb 2 7:30 pm Parenting with Love and Logic

Monday, Feb 6 7:30 pm Helping Kids Understand Diversity

One meeting is required for each preschool and 4k Family.

yum.

Did you enjoy a delicious butter braid over the holidays? Well keep in mind our spring sale is just around the corner. Information will be coming home in your bag!

MGNS!

You will soon be getting a re-enrollment packet in your take home bags.

Fast Facts about enrollment for 17/18

1. All families are considered "current" if they are currently enrolled in Preschool, 4K, or Toddler Time. (or was in TT in the fall semester)
2. The sign up date for current families is Monday, January 23 at 8 am for Preschool and 4K. All classes are filled on a first come first serve basis.
3. After that, applications will be signed and dated as they come in.
4. For those enrolling in 4k through MMSD-either as a resident or through open enrollment, you will get directions on how to do that at school that morning.
5. Your re-enrollment packet will have all the information you need- but please email me with any questions. It can be a bit overwhelming. I am happy to help.

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We would like to welcome Stacey Neuman to our staff- she is our new Friday Toddler Time teacher and we are so thrilled! AND....**we are still looking for an afternoon 4K teacher** to join Stephanie. Candidate must be licensed for kindergarten, or be close to being licensed. In the meantime, our 4K am teachers, Juli and Diana, have graciously offered to sub in the afternoon. Thanks team!



Save the Date!

We know it doesn't feel like Spring outside but Spring Fling is on the way! This year our annual pancake breakfast and silent auction will be held Saturday, April 1. Come and join us for breakfast, fabulous entertainment from Mr. David Landau and a unique shopping experience.

Do you run your own business or have a special talent? We'd love to include your services or handmade items in our auction! Watch for more information in your child's take home bag next month or contact one of our Fundraising Coordinators with questions.

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Our friends at Moove and Groove are throwing us a fundraiser!

Come and join us and have a great time while supporting MGNS!

What: Dance Party Fundraiser

When: Saturday January 14th 10:00am-12:00pm

Where: Fellowship Hall

Who: MGNS & Friends
Suggested Donation: \$7-10 per family

- snacks and refreshments
 - face painting
- temporary tattoos
 - Bouncy House
 - DANCING



Lunch Bunch is available! Sign up forms are on the bulletin board! Lunch bunch is a wonderful way to help prepare your children for elementary school!



Remember that MGNS closes when the Madison Metropolitan School District closes for inclement weather!

Is your Calendar Marked??

Board of Directors Meeting: Monday, January 9 at 7pm

School Closed: Monday, January 16 in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King

Enrollment for the 2017-18 School Year **Current** MGNS families:

Monday, January 23 at 8AM

Enrollment for the 2017-18 School Year **New** MGNS families:

Monday, January 30 at 8 am

OPEN HOUSE:

January 21 from 10:30am-1:30pm—Please spread the word to prospective families who might like to join our school community.

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