

Gianelli's September Newsletter Vol. 1, Issue 1

Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that we are already in our 3rd week of school! We hope that you are already seeing little signs of progress that we are witnessing with your children every day! Our teachers, staff and children have all gotten off to a great start and these first few weeks of school are so important to set them on the road to a happy and productive school year!

A new mode of communication (that I've always wanted to do!) is a monthly newsletter! The purpose of this is to give you information that takes the "long view" of the current month and the month to come. There is PLENTY in this first issue to have you **read....remember....and respond!** You are the generation to have your smartphone in hand and keeping you connected to everyone and everything, so we are going to be making a concerted effort to phase out our printed communication...and save some trees in the process!!! All of the newsletters will appear as well on our school website: www.gianellislc.org

As always, know that we are very grateful for all that you are doing to be in partnership with us in the formation of your child.

Gratefully,
Sr. Juana, FMH - Director



Tomorrow, **Tuesday (September 12)**

is the kickoff for our 1st fundraiser!

Back by popular demand, we have our ***Mums the Word Fall Flower Sale!*** **10" potted mums are only \$10!** Attached at the end of this newsletter is the order form. Simply put your name, the number of mums you want, and the amount enclosed and return to school by **Tuesday, September 26.** Your mums will be available for pickup when you come to school to pick up your child on **Friday, September 29!** A variety of colors will be delivered and first picks to those who come to get their order after 11:00 AM on the 29th! Spread the word about this terrific deal to your relatives, neighbors and friends!



Free Firewood - Come and Get It!

In the next 2 weeks, we will be removing several of our pine trees. I have asked that the trunks be placed at the bottom of our property so that if any of you (or your friends) which to come by to cut any amount of pieces of wood that you would like, you are more than welcome to do so! 'No need to call in advance.

Upcoming Events

September

9/23: *Gianelli's Fall Cleanup Day* (targeted area: children's playground)

9/12 - 26: *Mum's the Word! Fall Fundraiser* (see attached flyer)

October

10/9: Indigenous Peoples' Day - NO SCHOOL

10/10: Parents' Meeting - 7:00 PM

10/14: *Gianelli's Family Day at Fair Weather Acres*

10/20: *Founder's Day* in honor of St. Anthony Gianelli, our patron. NO SCHOOL, but all are expected to attend the Family Mass at 6:00 PM in the School

10/25-30: *Family Halloween Decorating Contest* (see attached document)

10/31: *Children's Halloween Special Activity*

Sign up to be a Room Parent!



Each year we look to have 2-3 parents to serve as "Room Parents" for our 3 classes: Tiny Treasures, PreK-3 and PreK-4. Simply, room parents assist us when there needs to be a coordination for some of our special activities (Fall and Spring Cleanup Days, Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine's Day, Easter and Promotion/Graduation). The Room Parents are the liaison, or the bridge, between the Administration and Teachers and the rest of the parents to solicit their help. If you are interested, please message Sr.Juana right here on Procare. Room Parents will be taken on a first-come, first-serve basis! Thank you for considering this opportunity to be our "right hands!"

We're giving you a "heads up" about the Gianelli's Annual Family Pumpkin Decorating Contest coming up next month to get your creative juices flowing! See the attachment for rules, prizes and more!

Free entry....3 prizes offered per class!



As always, please contact the main office if you have any questions. Also remember to like us on Facebook :)