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Summer Art & Music Camp Registration has begun!



Summer Art Programs with Mrs. Cross (Ages 3-12)

CREATE-A-THON! June 10-14

Ready...Set...Draw, Paint, Sculpt, Print, CREATE! This camp is for the budding artist in all of us. Campers will make drawing journals, portfolios and a collection of art works in all media. Instruction focuses on foundation techniques with basic art materials and includes daily art appreciation.

THE ART OF NATURE June 10-14

Create a small terrarium with special magic you make from kiln fired clay pieces. Build, paint, print and explore working with sticks, stones, flowers, leaves and more. This camp is all about connecting with the outdoors and bringing it into our artful creations.

PAINT AND PRINT PALOOZA June 17-21

Explore all kinds of paints and papers, canvas and screen print your tee shirt, print with nature, make sun prints, create your own paint pigments from flowers and foods.

IT CAME FROM OUTER SPACE!!!! July 1, 2, 3 & 5

Ever wonder what lives in outer space? We'll build the coolest spaceships, aliens and cosmic objects the universe has ever seen! Get ready to blast off in to clay and multi-media fun. Keep your creations and take them on future galactic adventures.

CLAY CREATIONS July 15-19

Enjoy hands on fun and learning about different kinds of clay. Explore hand building skills, prepare pieces for kiln firing and painting with underglazes and glaze. Create a self-portrait sculpture, animal story plaque and a kooky cookie jar.

Move to the Groove with Alison Bodeep (ages 3, 4 & 5)

Ms. Alison will be teaching a music and movement summer camp the week of June 17th that will incorporate different types of music genres and numerous props, including scarves, egg shakers, bells, wooden sticks and a variety of musical instruments for the children to explore and manipulate. This will provide a creative atmosphere where children can experiment with new materials as they move to the beat! The children will participate in interactive storytelling using puppets, imaginative finger plays and musical art activities. They will also participate in playground fun and games.

Music & Movement Camp June 17-21 from 12:30-3:30pm

Move to the Groove Camp is the week of June 17-21 after Vacation Bible School (9am-12pm). The hours are 12:30-3:30pm, Monday through Friday. Tuition for one week is \$130.00. A non-refundable deposit of \$65.00 toward the total tuition is due at the time of registration.

Bi-Weekly (Tues and Thurs) After Summer Camp Enrichments from 2:00-2:30pm

Weeks of June 10-14, June 24-28, July 8-12, July 22-26

Move to the Groove Extended Day Music and Movement enrichments are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays the weeks of June 10, June 24, July 8 & July 22. The hours are 2:00pm-2:30pm, after summer camp. Tuition for one week is \$30.00. A \$15.00 per week non-refundable deposit is due at time of registration.



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WPPP Spring Clean-up Day (Babysitting Provided!)

Saturday, March 9, 2019 - 9:00am-2:00pm

Our Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) is looking for volunteers that are available on Saturday, March 9, any time between 9:00 am - 2:00 pm to help with our annual Spring Clean-Up Day. Babysitting will be provided by Aida Nassar and Shawnine Cuppy along with snacks and lunch for volunteers.

Tasks involved include pressure washing, planting, mulching, weeding, trimming, washing playground equipment, raking (bring a rake if you have one), staining fences, cleaning out kiln room, assembling playground equipment, cleaning out sand boxes, etc.

You are welcome to stay as long as you are able. Every bit helps! Stay for an hour, or stay for the full day! Students looking for community service hours are welcome to join! The clean up truly is a fun way to help out the school while also getting to know and build community with other parents and teachers from the school.

If you would like to be part of our spring clean-up team, you can call the preschool office at (407) 629-0727 or sign up on the Online SignUpGenius link below. The PAC and WPPP greatly appreciate your time and support! Thank you for volunteering on this very fun and productive day!

If you have any questions, please contact Amanda Burke (garrettnamanda@gmail.com) or Jason Worley (j4w@hotmail.com).

Online SignUpGenius: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4FAAAE28A7FF2-spring

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Mark your calendar on Saturday, April 13, 2019 for our annual Spring Fling/Silent Auction which takes place on the preschool campus. Winter Park Presbyterian Preschool will host a very special event that is a fundraiser and a fun filled day that children of all ages will enjoy. This event will include a silent auction, raffle, bounce houses, train and pony rides, make-up artist PJ the Clown, games, theme room, and many creative hands-on activities. In addition we will have a variety of food trucks available. Pre-sale tickets will be available soon.

Planning is underway at this time and we will need volunteers to help before and the day of the event. There are many ways to get involved, including sponsorships, "in-kind" donations, hands-on helping ahead of time or the day of the event. No matter how much or how little time you can share, it will all be greatly appreciated! Contact the preschool office at 407-629-0727 or email Kimberly Stuart @ lilstuzmom@yahoo.com for further information and to let us know how you might like to help.







Bounce Houses

Pony Rides

Train Rides







Silent Auction

PJ The Clown

Food Trucks









Important Dates

Book Fair - Mon.-Sat., March 4th-8th Spring Clean-up Day—Sat., March 9th Daylight Savings Time-Spring Forward—Sun., Mar. 10th PAC Meeting—Tuesday, Mar. 12th—9:30am Spring Break/No School-Fri. Mar. 15th-Fri. March 22nd Class Pictures—Tues. & Thurs., Mar. 26th & 28th Family Chapel—Wednesday—Mar. 27th, 9:35am Nemours Vision Screening—April 9th & 11th Spring Fling/Basket Auction—Sat., April 13, 11am-2pm Good Friday — Sat., April 19 — No School Teacher Appreciation Luncheon — Tues., April 30 — No Extended Day

WPPP Nature Center News

We are very excited to announce that we will be adding new equipment to the nature center for the spring! This will include a mud kitchen, sensory table, picnic table and benches. The classes will have many opportunities to plant flowers, plants and seeds. Children can observe butterflies and other creatures, and participate in outside art and messy play hands on activities that will connect them to nature. "Studies show outdoor time helps children grow lean and strong, enhances imaginations and attention spans, decreases aggression, and boosts classroom performance. In addition, children who spend time in nature regularly are shown to become better stewards of the environment."

Reference: http://www.nwf.org/What-We-Do/Kids-and-Nature/Why-Get-Kids-Outside.aspx

WPPP Logo Spirit T-Shirts Are Available

Our spirit shirts are a great way to show your support of WPPP, and we are pleased to offer t-shirts with our preschool logo. Many teachers and students can be seen wearing their shirts on Wednesdays and specially designated Spirit Days when we show our spirit by wearing purple.

All shirts are purple 100% cotton, no-pocket tees with a white logo. Sizes range from 18mos-4T, Youth XS-Youth XL and Adult Medium-Adult XL. We also offer a women's cut V-neck in sizes M-XL. Children's shirts are \$10/each, and adult shirts are \$15 each. Stop by the preschool office if you'd like to purchase a shirt and show your support of our school!