

APRIL NEWSLETTER

ST. PETER'S ECDC, KINGSLAND CAMPUS | SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024



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In March, we focused on preparing for Easter. The students prepared their palm fronds for our Palm Sunday chapel. Haley Callarman from St. Peter's Music Ministry was our special guest reader. Thanks for Easter and the chance to celebrate that Jesus is alive!

Another major highlight to our chapel was welcoming our toddler classes. This helps prepares them for next year!

We have a new Memory Verse in April, "Let your light shine!"



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National Scribble Week: Our students enjoyed listening to a very special book, "I'm NOT Just a Scribble," by Diane Alber. Then each student made their own scribble art, which of course is NOT just a scribble!

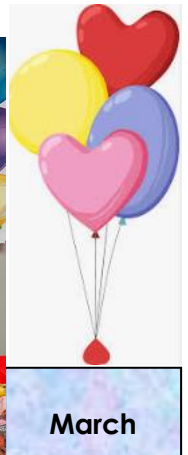
Easter Parties and Egg Hunt: ECDC students in all age groups enjoyed an exciting Easter egg hunt with their parents and families. Thank you for making this event joyful as we celebrate Easter. He is risen!

Caterpillars: The Painted Lady caterpillars have arrived! Each class has several of their own and will be busy learning all about the butterfly life cycle. We will be watching these caterpillars spin their chrysalises and eventually emerge as butterflies to be set free.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY ECDC TEACHERS!

Each month we celebrate staff birthdays at our professional development training. We take this special time to wish them a happy birthday!



March



Product Recalls

The Consumer Product Safety Commission issues monthly recalls, many of which pertain to young children. Go to www.cpsc.gov/Recalls for a complete listing of recalls.



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Welcome Ms. Jennifer! Ms. Rhea will be embarking on a joyful journey into motherhood as she begins her maternity leave. Over the past month, she has been working alongside Ms. Jennifer to ensure a seamless transition for the Music and Motor Skills classes. The children have already begun to anticipate the warmth and enthusiasm that Ms. Jennifer will bring to their classrooms. We encourage you to extend a warm welcome to Ms. Jennifer whenever you see her in the hallway or during arrival time.

NAEYC Week of the Young Child (WOYC): As a proud member of NAEYC, we welcome the opportunity to spotlight our students and their creativity, especially during this dynamic week. Parent Council is leading a project to create a handprint tile mural in the ECDC hallway, benefiting playground enhancements. For more info, email Grace Wainerdi at gwainerdi@gmail.com. Stay tuned for more WOYC activities in your child's class!



Upcoming Events:

May 1-2
~Mom's Day Event

May 13-14
~Tom's Fun Band!

May 6-9
~ECDC Cinco de Mayo
~Preschool Class picnics
~Toddler Water Days

May 15-16
~Last Days of School



APRIL EVENTS & CLOSING:

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KISD Holiday
School Closed

29-2

Teacher
Appreciation Week

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Cabo Bob's Spirit Night

22-25

ECDC Earth Week

Parent-Teacher
Conferences

8-11

Week of the Young Child

