

# FEBRUARY

## From the Desk of Ms. Soriano



Happy Valentine's, President's Day and Chinese New Year preschool parents. I hope you're all enjoying this weather- with all the rain and chilly-windy weather, it actually feels like winter! Only in southern California can we wear rain boots one day and flip flops the next!! I know many of us were not prepared for the storms, we are now and praise God, we sure do need the rain! Please be sure that you're dressing your little ones in layers for the winter weather. Our classrooms are warm and cozy, but the

outdoors are chilly. Please also be sure that your child has an extra set of clothes in a ziplock bag stored in their cubby at all times. Just a reminder all families will need to re-register for the upcoming summer session and Fall 2010. Registration Forms will be attached to the March Newsletter. If you have any questions or concerns or are unsure of your options for next year, please do not hesitate to call, visit or email me. Save the date our Open House Event is Friday, March 26 at

6:00pm. The Webby Dancers will perform at 6:30 pm. Our last day of preschool is scheduled for June 17, but our End of the Year Celebration Show is scheduled for Friday, June 11 @ 6:30pm. All children sing and dance with Ms. Suzi, their teachers and classmates! If you ever have any questions regarding the school calendar or closure dates please visit our website. The calendar that was distributed at the beginning of the year is always available online.

## Belmont Heights Church Preschool

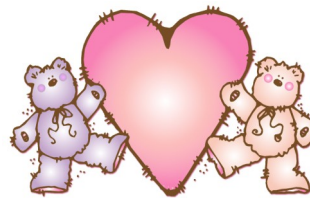
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February Newsletter 2010

## BHCP Calendar Info

- ☺ Parent Workshop February 11 @ 7pm
- ☺ Parent's Night Out February 13 3:30-8:30P
- ☺ Visits with Dr. Dora Lee February 12 & 26
- ☺ Closed Monday February 15 for President's Day
- ☺ Scholastic Book Fair February 22-26
- ☺ Continuing Registration Begins in March

## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR IS COMING



It's that time of year for our 2nd Annual Book Fair. At the fair, you can expect to find an exceptional selection of books for all reading levels, many of which are sold at a discounted rate. We will need plenty of parent volunteers to help make the book fair a success! Last year we were able to choose many books for the preschool library, a new book shelf, area rug and a new listening center. We are looking for volunteers to help cashier and restock- please let me know if you're available for any of the shifts below. A great big thanks to Kiersten Short for helping to organize our fair!!



The Book Fair will be open Monday-Friday

8:30-9:30 am

11:45-2:00pm

3:00-4:30pm

## Happy Birthday



Ms. Chris Feb. 15  
& Pastor Sheena

Feb. 20

# VALENTINE CLASSMATES



We will celebrate Valentine's Day on February 11 & 12. The preschoolers will distribute their valentines during class. There should be enough Valentine's for each child in the class if participating. There is no need to personalize each one... children may address each valentine

"To My Friend" (so everyone gets one) and have them sign their own name on the inside. This makes it much easier for the to distribute!

Please let us know if you would like to bring a healthy snack to celebrate... all things red, for example tomatoes, apple slices, jello, cherries, strawberries. There is no need for sweet treats, as the children will get plenty of loot in their Valentine Bags!

Ms. Lizzy, Methelyn & Kerry- 18 Friends  
 Ms. Chris- 14 Friends  
 Ms. Gusic- 14 Friends  
 Ms. Amanda & Ms. Sivhui- 18 Friends  
 Ms. Pam pm- 18 Friends  
 Ms. Sivhui pm- 14 Friends  
 DK- 18 Friends  
 Ms. Lisa Friday- 9 Friends

The Preschool could use Paper Towels again.... It is hard to believe that we collected over three hundred rolls of towels in the beginning of the school year and are down to the last bunch. Imagine, we use more than 1 Costco size package here a week. That sure is a lot of cleaning, wiping and drying. So if you wouldn't mind bringing in a roll or two or three!! It sure saves us a great deal of time and space when shopping. You may drop these items off in Wesley Hall anytime... thanks so much!

## BHCP Fun In February

February 1-5: Community Helpers Week

February 8-12: Warm & Fuzzy Friends

February 11 @7pm Guest Speaker Larry Garf

"Hey Quit Pushing: How We Put Kids at Risk by Starting Academics to Early"

Chinese New Year Celebrations

February 15-19: Super Science and Arithmetic

The Preschool is Closed February 15 for President's Day

Chapel Time with Pastor Sheena

February: 22-26: Happy Healthy Me

Dr. Dora Lee DDS will be here Feb. 12 @ 1:15pm and Feb. 26 @10:00am, all families are welcome to join us any of the days!

*You are invited...*

*To be a part of a Small Group that meets on Mondays at 10:15 am in the Parlor.*

We are a small group who meets weekly to:

- discuss a book we're reading
- chat, especially about our kids and the challenges and joys of parenting
- eat (light snacks provided)
- pray for ourselves and others

The group has been meeting for over a year, and has been a huge blessing for all those who attend. Currently, the group is made up of Christian women, but we welcome persons of any faith or place in life.

We meet in the parlor (behind Christy-Ann's office) from 10:15-11:15 on Monday mornings.

Our first gathering in 2010 is **Monday, February 1 at 10:15.** We will be discussing the first 3 chapters of "**Lit: A Memoir by Mary Karr.**" You will want to bring a copy of the book.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at 562-439-6804 or by email [sheenabhmc@gmail.com](mailto:sheenabhmc@gmail.com).

I hope you will be a part of this group!

-Pastor Sheena