



Breezy Knoll Child Care Center
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September 2017 Newsletter



Important Dates:

9/4 Mon.- Labor Day **BKCCC CLOSED**
9/11 Mon. - Rhythm Room \$4.00
9/19 Tue. - Picture Day 9:00
9/20 Wed. - Picture Make-Ups 9:00
9/25 Mon.- Mixed-Bag Fundraiser
9/27 Wed. - Field Trip to Jaswell's Farm
Apple Picking (**Pre-K and Enhanced Pre-K**) 9:00
10/18 Wed. - Field Trip to Jaswell's Farm
Pumpkin Picking (**Pre-K and Enhanced Pre-K**) 9:00

Rhythm Room

This summer Rhythm Room did an in-house field trip here at Breezy. The children had such an amazing time that we are going to have them come monthly (altering days). If your child attends on that day, we ask that you include \$4.00 a month in your child's tuition.

The Rhythm Room Enrichment Program explores world music as it relates to today's pop culture, combining discussion, demonstration and participation. The use of world percussion, drum set, buckets and exploring percussion from objects and one's own body (clapping, stomping, etc.) is educational as well as motivational and fun.

www.rhythmroomlive.com

Class Pictures

On Tuesday September 19 and Wednesday, September 20 (make-up day), Gene Hutnak Photographers will be at Breezy Knoll at 9:00 AM. He will photograph all children who are here on Tuesday. Wednesday is make-up day for those children who are not here on Tuesdays. If your child does not attend either day, you may bring him/her on Wednesday. Envelopes detailing the various packages available for purchase will be sent home. If you need another envelope, please ask your child's teacher. There is no need to pre-pay on picture day. Payment will be due after you have seen the proofs and placed an order.

Group Names/Teachers

We hope to clarify any questions you may have by providing you with the following list:

| <u>Group Name:</u> | <u>Teacher(s)</u> |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Toddler | Tanya/ Alyssa |
| Transitional Toddler | Alex |
| Transitional Preschool | Laura |
| Preschool Honeybees | Jamie/Michaela |
| Pre-Kindergarten | Gina/Sharon/Pam |
| Enhanced Pre-K | Patrice |

Updated Emergency Forms

We will be sending home emergency forms. Please update any information that may have changed and get it back to us.

Please remember to replace your child's summer spare clothes with those suitable for fall. **LABEL** with name. Thank you!

Scholastics Web address: scholastic.com/bookclubs
Class Activation Code: GW6QV (stickers located above sign in stand).

FIELD TRIP

On Wednesday, September 27, the **Enhanced Pre-K and the Pre-K groups** are planning a trip to Jaswell's Farm in Smithfield. They will be shown some of the "behind the scenes" activities, including the cold storage facility and some of the equipment used daily on the farm. They will learn how apple cider is made and taste some cider, and then enjoy picking apples to take home! Please see permission slip below to be signed. The cost for this trip is \$15.00, which pays for transportation and a bag of apples. We will leave Breezy Knoll at 9:00 AM, and expect to return by 11:15 AM. Please clip and return! **IF YOUR CHILD DOES NOT ATTEND ON THAT DAY, HE/SHE IS WELCOME TO JOIN US AS LONG AS YOU ARE ABLE TO CHAPERONE ON THE FIELD TRIP. PLEASE SEE YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.**

Chaperones are needed for this trip. If you would like to chaperone, please indicate below. Your help is greatly appreciated. *PLEASE NOTE: The owners of Jaswell's Farm have asked us to remind parent chaperones that only children are permitted to pick apples during the field trip. Thank you.

Field Trip Permission Slip

Child's Name _____ Date _____

I give permission to Breezy Knoll Child Care Center to make whatever emergency measures as judged necessary for the care and protection of my child while under their supervision.

In case of a medical emergency, I understand that my child will be transported to an appropriate medical facility by the local emergency unit for treatment if the local emergency resource deems it necessary.

It is understood that in some medical situations, the staff will need to contact local emergency resources before the parent, child's physician, and/or other adult acting on the parent's behalf. The undersigned give permission for:

Child's name _____

to participate in the following activity Apple Picking at Jaswell's Farm

taking place at Swan Road, Smithfield, RI

on Wednesday, September 27, 2017

the undersigned, jointly and severally, hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless Breezy Knoll Child Care Center, Inc., and any of its employees from all claims, demands, actions, proceedings, costs, and expenses by reason of or growing out of the aforementioned activity.

Mother's Signature _____ Emergency tel. no. _____

Father's Signature _____ Emergency tel. no. _____

COST: \$15.00

YES! I WOULD LIKE TO CHAPERONE.

Name _____ Child's Group _____