

## ST. EDMUND'S NURSERY SCHOOL FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER – 2025

"Happiness is neither virtue nor pleasure nor this thing nor that, but simply growth. We are happy when we are growing."

-- William Butler Yeats

This is a month of "National Holidays." We will talk about our first president, George Washington and also about Abraham Lincoln and President Trump. We will have our National colors, "Red, White and Blue" showing in our artwork. We will also talk about our Flag and how great it is to be an American.

We have a special day - **Valentine's Day** - and we will sing and talk about "Love and Friendships." Let's make this a special day by wearing something red or pink on February 12<sup>th</sup> (Zookeepers, Lucky Ducks and Friendly 4's) and February 13<sup>th</sup> (Bear Cubs, Busy Bees, Shining Stars and Pre-K).

Color: Pink Number: #6 Shape: Heart Concept and Christian Quality: Love Bible Verse: "Love One Another" - John 3:11

We will begin to learn about our **Community Helpers** and how important they are.

## **Important Dates:**

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Mon., Feb. 3	-	Chapel – MWF and Shining Stars – 9:05 – Families Welcome
Tues., Feb 4	-	Chapel – T/Th and Pre-K – 9:05 – Families Welcome
Thurs., Feb. 6	-	Spirit Day, wear your SENS t-shirts or sweatshirts
Thurs., Feb. 6	-	Reptile Day – Bear Cubs, Busy Bees & Pre-K
Fri., Feb. 7	-	Spirit Day, wear your SENS t-shirts or sweatshirts
Fri., Feb. 7	-	Reptile Day – Zookeepers, Lucky Ducks, Friendly 4's &
		Shining Stars
Mon., Feb. 10	-	Priority Deposits Due
Mon., Feb. 10	-	Non-Priority Apps due
Thurs., Feb. 10	-	Scrip available for order
Wed., Feb. 12	-	Valentine's Celebrations for Zookeepers, Lucky Ducks &
		Friendly 4's
Thurs., Feb. 13	-	Valentine's Celebrations for Bear Cubs, Busy Bees, Shining
		Stars & Pre-K
Fri., Feb 14 & Mon., Feb 17	-	President's Holidays – <u>No School</u>
Wed., Feb. 19	-	Earthquake Drill
Thurs., Feb. 20	-	Earthquake Drill
Thurs., Feb 27 & Fri., Feb 28	-	Summer School Information and Applications sent home
Fri., May 2	-	Parent Party! Save the Date!

## **REMINDERS:**

- <u>Let us know if any emergency numbers or addresses have changed since September.</u> It is critical that we have all current contact information.
- Please remember, we have a **no nut policy** so please do not include any nut products in your child's lunch or birthday treats (peanut butter sandwiches or nuts as a snack). It is imperative to keep our allergy students safe. Thank you!

## SAFETY ISSUES:

- A reminder that once you drive in the north gate at pick-up, **there is a no cell phone policy, which includes hands free use**.
- Please do not send umbrellas to school. If it is raining, the children will be protected from the rain by their teachers' umbrella, both in the morning and at pick up. Rubber boots are unsafe and uncomfortable to wear all morning.