



CTECLC Newsletter

What's Happening at Calvary Temple Early Childhood Learning Center (CTECLC)!



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Dear Parent(s),

We've begun a new school year and with it our newsletter, a source of communication to share important notices, upcoming events and highlights of what your child(ren) are accomplishing during their attendance here at CTECLC.

It is our hope that with this additional source of communication, you will feel more aware of what is going on in your child's daily life and will feel comfortable

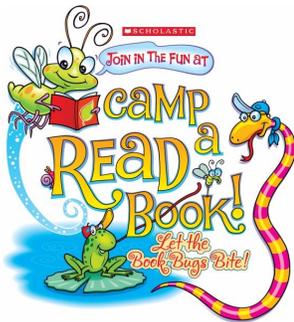
expressing your concerns, sharing ideas and hopefully appreciation.

Upcoming later this month will be our Scholastic book sale. It is our hope that you will purchase a book or two for your child(ren)'s classroom. If you do decide to participate in this manner, your child(ren)'s teacher can advise which titles are needed.

We are excited about our proposed

trip to the Pumpkin Patch on Wednesday, October 23, 2013! We will need parent volunteers in order to make this happen. If you would like to volunteer, please let me know or advise your child(ren)'s teacher at your earliest convenience.

Blessings,
Min. Shelley
Director



Graduation 2013 Highlights



Our Pre-K class graduated on June 21, 2013. Some members of that graduating class stayed with us and became a part of our new all day Kindergarten program, others moved away, while others continued on at other

schools.

See highlights of the ceremony online:

<http://www.calvarytemplelearningcenter.com/about-us/graduation-2013/graduation-2013-highlights/>

Special points of interest:

- ☺ Director's Update
- ☺ Graduation 2013 Highlights
- ☺ Picture Day
- ☺ Pre-School Center Time
- ☺ About CTECLC
- ☺ Child Passenger Safety Week

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KidStuff Coupon Book Fundraiser

Our KidStuff Coupon Book Fundraiser is now over. As mentioned in the material that came home with your child(ren), the funds raised will go towards augmenting our supplies for classroom activities.

Grateful thank yous go out to all who participated and/or donated. To get the best out of your coupon book, make sure that you keep it in your car at all times!

For those of you who have not yet had the opportunity to turn in your funds, please make checks payable to **Calvary Temple ECLC** and turn in as soon as possible.



Staff Meeting

"Please ensure that your child is picked up before 6:00 PM."

CTECLC will close at 6:00 PM this Thursday, September 19, 2013 for our monthly staff meeting.

Please ensure that your child is picked up before then.

Thank you!



Picture Day is Coming...

This Thursday, September 19, 2013 or Friday, 20, 2013 (if your child does not usually attend on Thursdays or is absent on Thursday).

Your child may bring in an item from home to include in the picture such as shades or a favorite



plush toy.

Clothing Tips:

1. You know your child best so dress them in comfortable clothes that will let their personality shine!
2. Solid colors or simple patterns work best, we

want your child's face to steal the show!

3. Make sure your child's clothing is clean and free of wrinkles.
4. Avoid clothing with slogans, sometimes photo cropping can cut words off.
5. Make sure your child's shoes are in

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Picture Day is Coming...(cont.)

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good shape and coordinate with the outfit you have chosen, some of the poses will show your child's feet.



Pre-School During Center Time



**"Your
Future
Artists
or
Engineers!"**





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Calvary Temple Early Childhood Learning Center is a community service and outreach ministry of Calvary Temple of Allentown. Our mission is to provide young children with a high-quality, Christian-based education, as well as the highest standard of care in a safe, nurturing, Christ-centered environment.

- PA KEYS STAR I Facility
- Curriculum in all classrooms addresses the spiritual, cognitive, social, emotional, and physical development of each child with an emphasis on kindergarten readiness
- Lesson plans in all classrooms, infant through school age, are developed to incorporate all of the Pennsylvania Early Childhood Education Standards.
- Individual classrooms for each age group
- DPW teacher-child ratios are consistently maintained
- All lead teachers have a minimum of 2500 hours early childhood experience
- Breakfast and afternoon snack are provided
- CCIS Title XX subsidy accepted
- Finger scan-controlled entry facility

Racially Nondiscriminatory Policy

The Calvary Temple Early Childhood Learning Center admits students of any race, color, religion, national origin, and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

Child Passenger Safety Week

September 15 through September 21, 2013 is Child Passenger Safety Week. Statistics show that still too many children are killed in what could be preventable deaths, had they the right car seat.

We as parents hold a lot of responsibility when it comes to the choices we make regarding the safety of our child(ren).

Knowledge is power—the more we know about the capability of the car seats out there, the better the choice we can make about which one we choose for our child(ren).

Not sure if your car seat cuts the



YouTube Short: The Right Seat
<http://www.calvarytemplelearningcenter.com/blog/child-passenger-safety-week/>

mustard? Find a location to get it checked:

<http://www.nhtsa.gov/apps/cps/index.htm>

Finding Us Around The Web

Beside our website, you can find us on Facebook and Twitter. Please register on our website, like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter for up to the minute happenings here at CTECLC.

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<http://calvarytemplelearningcenter.com>

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