

The mission of Bethany School is to facilitate the development of every student while recognizing that each is a unique and valued gift of God.

Bethany School Newsletter

September 2018



Austin, Texas

~ Important Dates this Fall ~

In the next few months there will be several activities at Bethany School for you and your children.

September 24th - Enrichment classes begin
September 27th/28th - Donuts with Director
October 17th & 18th - Open Houses & Book Fair
October 22nd - Spirit Night

SPIRIT NIGHT OCTOBER 2018

Our first Spirit Night will be held October 22nd at Chik-fil-a located on Hwy 620.

During the evening, between 5 and 8pm, 10% of all sales will be given to our school.

Be sure and put your receipt in the Bethany School collection can or tell them you are from Bethany when you place your order.

Some of our teachers and staff will be there throughout the evening.

We hope to see you there as well!

>> CELL PHONES & CHILDREN <<

A 2017 study, published in *Developmental Science*, investigated the relationship of maternal mobile device use and the effect it has on the social and emotional development of children.

It was found that the use of cell phones can disrupt our relationship with our children on both a social and an emotional level. Over time they suppress our ability to attune to each other and, as a result, children will become less responsive and more withdrawn.

Of course, that doesn't mean you should never use your phone in the presence of your children. But, be sure to tuck it away when you pick them up from school. Your children will be excited to see you and will have a lot to tell you about their day. It's a great time to interact with them!

Welcome to Bethany School!

If you are a returning student, we are so happy to see you! And, if you are new to Bethany School, we are delighted to welcome you to our school! We are all looking forward to a wonderful year with you and your children.

If you have any questions, comments, suggestions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

The education and care of your children is truly a team effort!

Pat Rudd

Bethany School Director

*** Please Take Note ***

In honor of Columbus Day, Bethany School will be closed on Mon, October 8th.

THANK YOU for our Birthday Books!

Spring 2018

ASTRONOMY - E. Bone

THE NIGHT BEFORE MOTHER'S DAY - N.

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CAN YOU YAWN LIKE A FAWN? -Sweeney

in honor of CoraLynn (Ms Correa)

WILL YOU BE MY FRIEND? - S. Lurie

in honor of Lily (Ms Denise)

GOODNIGHT ARK - L. Sassi

in honor of Ben (Cubbe Bears)

WHEN WE GO CAMPING -M. Ruurs

in honor of Aditya (Ms Carrie)

SHARE, BIG BEAR, SHARE! - M. Wright

in honor of Gracie (Ms Beechinor)

STEPHANIE'S PONYTAIL - R. Munsch

in honor of Emma (Ms Clark)

PENGUINS LOVE COLOR - S. Aspinall

in honor of Sofia (Ms Ghazala)

A PERFECT DAY - L. Smith

in honor of Clara (Ms Carol)