

THE CHILDREN'S HOUSE
ELEMENTARY
PARENT BULLETIN
October 27, 2011



Our 1st and 2nd graders enjoy all of God's wondrous creations, from the beautiful blue skies to the fertile soil from which grow these nice orange pumpkins

Dear Parents & Grandparents:

Our Word of the Week is **RESPECT**

Respect means to show honor to others by:

- Listening and being polite.
- Obedying the rules.
- Letting others use their talents.
- Using words like "Please" and "Thank you."
- Being considerate of others' feelings, ideas and actions.

When people practice respect for life, for property, for those in authority, for nature, and for the beliefs and rights of others, they become better friends, better leaders and better members of society.

In the Bible, the apostle Paul advises us to "Honor one another above yourselves" (Romans 12:10). We need to show respect to everyone, whether it's a gesture, greeting, or attitude. This respect is very important in our relationship with children.

We all need to love, model and give respect to children. When we do, God is honored. Give focused attention to children's thoughts, feelings and ideas. Convey and model respect by speaking the language of respect in your interactions with children such as "Thank you for closing the door" or "Please pick up your sweater and books." A child that receives respect will learn to give it in return.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| 10/28, Friday | Harvest Festival – All Pods (regular school hours) |
| 11/1, Tuesday | PODS 5, 6 & 7 only – Flu vaccine clinic |
| 11/4, Friday | NO SCHOOL – Staff Inservice Day for teachers |
| 11/9, Wednesday | Make-up day for individual photos |
| 11/11, Friday | NO SCHOOL – Veterans' Day Holiday |
| 11/24 & 11/25 | NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Holiday |



The Children's House does not celebrate Halloween. Please do **NOT** send any treats to school other than items requested by the teachers for Harvest Celebration. You may refer to page 19 in our Parent Handbook regarding special treat days.

NOVEMBER 1-19

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Christmas Program Schedule

We want to let you know ahead of time the date of your child's Christmas Program so you can arrange your work schedules to attend. Parents, grandparents, aunties and uncles are all invited. All programs begin at 9:00 a.m. and will be held in the Pavilion. Admission is **one dozen** cookies per family (**PLEASE NO NUTS AND NO NUT PRODUCTS**).

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| 12/1, Thursday | Christmas Program for Pod 4 |
| 12/2, Friday | Christmas Program for Pod 1 |
| 12/5, Monday | Christmas Program for Pod 2 |
| 12/6, Tuesday | Christmas Program for Pod 3 |
| 12/7, Wednesday | Christmas Program for Pod 7A |
| 12/8, Thursday | Christmas Program for Pod 7B |
| 12/9, Friday | Christmas Program for Pod 6 (Grades 1-2) |
| 12/12, Monday | Christmas Program for Pod 5 (Grades 3-6) |



POD 6 PICKS PUMPKINS AT ALOUN FARMS

Our elementary students in the 1st and 2nd grades are currently studying about biomes and the different parts of plants. Last week Thursday, October 20th they went on a study field trip to Aloun Farms and had the opportunity to explore and observe all of God's creations, learn about the importance of plants, and the various uses of plants. The children especially enjoyed picking their own pumpkin to take home. They later went to Kapolei Regional District Park to eat their lunch and play at the park. They even had time to enjoy reading some books at Kapolei Public Library before returning to school. A special thank you to all our parent chaperones! Thank you also to Mrs. Hankey, mother of Sydney and Tanner, for taking and sharing some of these photos.



More photos from the pumpkin patch



God Bless,

The Children's House Administration

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