



February 2012 – Monthly Newsletter

February's theme is **JESUS LOVES ME THIS I KNOW!**

Scripture Confession: "JESUS LOVES ME THIS I KNOW!" (JOHN 3:16)

WE'LL FOCUS ON THREE LETTERS THIS MONTH: "H" FOR HEART, "L" FOR LOVE AND "V" FOR VALENTINE'S DAY



Important February Dates:

Friday 2/10: Wear red to school!

Tuesday 2/14: Happy Valentine's Day & PPS love party, 3:00!



PPS Love Party!

The school's love party (a.k.a. Valentine's party) will be Tuesday, 2/14 at 3:00.

Parents, we invite you to come and "share the love" with us! ☺

What's the Word?

This month's chapel focuses on love! God loves us so much, and because He first loves us, we can love others!

February's Scripture Confession for Parents: The Greater One in My Children
"Ye, are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because greater is HE that is in you than he that is in the world!" (1 John 4:4)

"God himself makes His home in the hearts of my children, and He in my children is greater than any problem or obstacle they might face, greater than any sickness or disease, greater than any sin or any challenge that comes into their lives! God is greater than fear, worry or anxiety!

God's word gives my children boldness and courage to live godly lives before their family and friends. They will live life with confidence and a resolute, tenacious faith in God who always causes them to triumph!"

February Fun Ideas

- Hide small hearts around your house for your children to find. As each heart is found, tell them a reason why you love them!
- Make heart pancakes (use a cookie cutter) for breakfast one morning this month!
- Send your kiddo(s) a Valentine in the mail!



Medicine Reminder!

Pettit Private School does not dispense medication of any kind. However, we can administer breathing treatments with written permission and directions from you, the parent, as long as there is an available person to do so and the treatment does not disrupt a day's scheduled activities. Otherwise, you will be called to administer the treatment.

**We welcome you to come to the school any time you need to administer medication to your child. (PPS Parent Handbook, pg. 4)*

Signing In/Out Reminder

Parents, when you sign your kiddo(s) in and out each day, not only put the time but also your initials. This is required by child care licensing, ultimately for the safety of your child(ren).

Thank you!

2011 child care tax statements are still available. See a director or assistant director for this information. Thank you!



"Your words are a window to your heart."

"Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks"

(Matthew 12:34)

STAFF CORNER

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...LOTS of you! ☺

- Gody Perryman (float/schooler teacher, Aurora) - 2 yrs. Feb. 1st!
- Stephanie Hanson (director, Aurora) - 3 yrs. Feb. 2nd!
- Janet Lampkins (older 2s teacher, Decatur) - 1 yr. Feb. 14th!
- Donna Donaghey (P.M. float) - 1 yr. Feb. 29th

WOW, ladies! Thank all four of you for your great work and commitment to the PPS mission! ☺ You all are very much appreciated! ☺

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

- Jayme Padilla (Pre-K teacher, Decatur) - Feb. 1st - tomorrow!
- Gody Perryman (it's your month, Gody!) - Feb. 8th!

Enjoy your special day, ladies! ☺



BRRRRR...Cooler Weather is Still in the Air!

Parents, as cooler weather hangs around, please make sure to dress your child accordingly as we will still spend time outside. Also, please make sure to label items you bring to school (jackets, hats, gloves, etc.) Thank you!

Faith Corner

Love Gauge



"...Love...is not touchy or fretful or resentful; it takes no account of the evil done to it (it pays no attention to a suffered wrong)."
1 Corinthians 13:5

Here is the love thermometer – the love gauge! It's very easy to find out if you're walking in love. When you begin to take into account the evil (wrong) done to you, you're not walking in love. As long as you walk in God and stay full of Him, you won't take into account the evil (wrong) done to you.

However, some people will regard your attitude as a weakness. Some will say, "There must be a weakness in your character; you never take up for yourself." Quite the contrary! It's a strength! Love never fails!

Refuse to hold any resentment in your heart against anyone!

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