



2018 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

JANUARY	4 Thursday	Puppet Playtime Show @ 10am
	17 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	18 Thursday	Fire Department visit @ 10am
	26 Friday	Pajama Day!
	26 Friday	Drive-in Movie Night 6:00 – 7:00
FEBRUARY	5 th -9 th M-F	Scholastic Book Fair
	12 Monday	Water Safety @ 10
	14 Wednesday	Valentine's Day Parties
	14 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	19-23 M - F	Occupations Week
MARCH	6 Tuesday	Crouching Tigers Read Aloud
	9 Friday	Pajama Day
	14 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	16 Friday	St. Patrick's Day Parties
	19 th -23 rd M-F	Riley Cheer Guild Donations
30 Friday	Easter Egg Hunt & Classroom Parties	
APRIL	6 Friday	Pajama Day
	9 TH – 13 TH M-F	Parent Teacher Conferences/Progress Reports
	18 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	27 Friday	Spring Musical
	21 Saturday	<i>The Villages</i> Memorial Run 4 Kids
	25-26 W, TH	Spring Picture's
MAY	4 Friday	The Father Goose Show
	7 TH – 11 TH	Teacher Appreciation Week
	11 Friday	Mother's Day Cookie Decorating 4 – 6pm
	16 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	18 Friday	St. Jude Trike-a-Thon
	25 Friday	Plant School Garden
28 Monday	Memorial Day - Funshine Closed	
JUNE	1 Friday	Pre – K Graduation!
	7 Thursday	IMPD Body Safety Presentation (Ages 3+)
	8 Friday	Pajama Day
	13 Wednesday	Indy Parks & Recreation Visit
	15 Friday	Donuts with Dad 8:00 – 9:30 am
18-22 M-F	<i>The Villages</i> Household Goods Drive	

ALL DATES, TIMES AND ACTIVITIES LISTED ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE – MONTHLY CALENDARS WILL BE UPDATED AND SUPERSEDE THIS CALENDAR

Events

Thursday, January 4th

Puppet Playtime Show

Time: 10:00 am

Don Miller with Family Time Entertainment will put on a puppet show for the kids with a lot of audience participation!

Wednesday, January 17th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit

Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will teach the children about winter climate and snow! Mallory will focus on cold dwelling animals in the state of Indiana as she discusses hibernation, scavenging and natural defenses animals have against cold weather. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources.

Thursday, January 18th

Fire Department Visit

The community educator will be here with firemen to answer questions and teach the kids about fire safety.

Friday, January 26th

Pajama Day!

We all love to wear our pajamas and its extra special when we get to wear them to school! Bring your child to school in their PJ's for this fun day, but please be sure to bring in tennis shoes for them to wear as well.

Friday, January 26th

Drive-In Movie Night!

Time: 6:00-7:00 pm

Join us for a fun night of popcorn and a movie projected in the gym! To add to the fun, we ask moms and dads to help their child create a "car" out of a box that the children can sit in and enjoy their movie like a real drive-in!

Friday, February 12th

Water Safety!

Time: 10:00 am

Goldfish Swim School will be here to talk to the children about water safety!

Wednesday, February 14th

Valentine's party

Time: 9:30-10:30

Look for a sign-up sheet to be posted for the classroom Valentine's Day party!

Wednesday, February 14th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit

Time: 3:30-4:30pm

Amanda with the Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about animal relationships. The naturalist from IndyParks bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources.

Monday - Friday, February 19th - 23rd

Occupations Week

We would like to acquaint students with the “working world” of our community and expose them to different occupations people can have. We are inviting parents to visit our classrooms and discuss their occupations and roles they have at work. Would you consider coming to your child’s classroom during the week of the 20th - 24th and sharing with the children? We will be putting out a sign-up sheet where you can sign up for a time slot.

Wednesday, March 14th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit
Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about some of the animals found in popular children’s literature. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources.

Friday, March 16th

St. Patrick’s Day party!
Time: 9:30-10:30

Look for a sign-up sheet to be posted for the classroom party!

Friday, March 30th

Easter Egg Hunt & Classroom Parties
Time: 9:30-11:00

The Easter Bunny will be here to hide Easter eggs, and visit with the children! We will enjoy party treats, games, and of course, an Easter egg hunt on our playground!

Mon. - Fri., April 2nd-6th

Parent Teacher Conferences

Be sure to sign up for a time to meet with your child’s teacher this week! This is a time to review your child’s growth and development and go over their developmental portfolio.

Wednesday April 18th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit
Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about some of the animals found in popular children’s literature. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources

Friday April 20th

Spring Musical!
Time: See Classroom Schedule

Join us for our Spring musical Friday April 20th. Jr. Pre-K, Sr. Pre-K and Pre-K classes will perform at a designated time in the morning. Please see your child’s invitation in the Spring!

Wednesday April 25th-26th

Spring Picture's
Time: Varies per class

The photographer will be out to take Spring photos of the children! We will also have our Pre-K graduation pictures done at this time! Each child will have their photo taken on their specified day, and sibling pictures will be done on Wednesday. Pictures will be available for purchase.

Friday, May 4th

The Father Goose Show

Paul Odenwelder with Family Time Entertainment will present well known stories and nursery rhymes in his own special way!

Monday - Friday, May 7th-11th

Teacher Appreciation Week

Please join us in celebrating National Teachers Appreciation Week the week of May 1st - 5th! This is a special time to show thanks to all of our amazing teachers for all of their dedication, long hours, expertise and love that they share with the children. We will hand out a suggested list of daily activities, as well as a list of "favorite things" that has been completed by your child's teacher.

Friday, May 11th

Mother's Day Cookie Decorating
Time: 4:00-6:00pm

We invite Mom's to come enjoy some fun and treats in their child's classroom. Tables will be set up in each classroom at the end of the day for moms to spend time with their child at school decorating cookies.

Wednesday, May 16th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit
Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about some of the animals found in popular children's literature. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources

Friday, May 18th

St. Jude Trike-a-Thon

Our annual St. Jude Trike-a-Thon will raise money for a great cause! Children learn valuable safety lessons about bicycle riding throughout a one-week safety curriculum. At the end of the week children will enjoy a bicycle "race" and celebrate the lessons they have learned and the fundraising success for St. Jude.

Friday, May 25th

Plant the school garden

Our kids will work together and plant our school garden for them to learn and help take care of the for the year.

Monday, May 28th

Memorial Day

Funshine Closed

Friday, June 1st

Pre-K Graduation!

Time: 10:00 - 12:00

We invite all our Pre-K families to join the fun of graduation. The graduation ceremony will take place from 10:00-11:00 and we will go to West Park afterward for cake and ice cream and fun on the splash pad!

Wednesday, June 13th

Indy Parks and Recreation Visit

Time: 3:30-4:30pm

The Indy Parks environmental education staff will come and teach the children about some of the animals found in popular children's literature. The naturalist from IndyParks will bring in a variety of resources to help the children develop a love of nature and a desire to preserve our natural resources

Friday, June 15th

Donuts with Dad!

Time: 8:00 - 9:30 a.m.

We hope to see all our dad's here to enjoy donuts with their little one's the morning of Friday June 16th.

Monday - Friday, June 18th - 22nd

The Villages Household Goods Drive

Funshine will be hosting a household goods drive! We hope to foster empathy in the children and to create an awareness of community needs among the children while we support those less fortunate in our community.

TBD

IMPD Body Safety Presentation

Time: 10:00-11:00

Members from the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department will be presenting the Body Safety Program for our students ages 3 and up. This program teaches children to recognize and avoid sexual abuse. The presenters from IMPD are well-trained experts who work very effectively with young children to teach them about body safety with age appropriate content. The program is 20 minutes long and is adapted to their age level.

- EMAILED SCHOLASTIC ON 10/24/17 THROUGH THEIR WEBSITE
 - SPOKE TO THEM ON 10/24/17 AND THEY GAVE THE FOLLOWING INFO:
 - EARN SCHOLASTIC DOLLARS FROM OUR FINAL PROFIT THAT CAN BE SPENT THROUGH SCHOLASTIC
 - OVER 700 DOLLARS EQUALS 50% OF SCHOLASTIC DOLLARS
 - UNDER 700 IS 20% SCHOLASTIC DOLLARS
 - OVER 1800 IS 55% SCHOLASTIC OR 25% IN CASH
 - AGE 1 TO GRADE 1
 - BY THE FOLLOWING FRIDAY WE NEED TO SEND STUFF BACK WITH UPS (PREPAID)
 - WE GET ACCESS TO A CHAIRPERSON TOOLKIT ON THE WEBSITE
 - GET A BOX 6 WEEKS BEFORE FAIR WITH FLYERS TO HAND OUT TO FAMILIES
 - THURSDAY FEB 1ST BOOKS WILL BE DELIVERED HERE
 - PLANNING KIT SHOULD COME BY DECEMBER
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EMAILED TEDDY BEAR PORTRAITS ON 10/24/17 THROUGH THEIR WEBSITE

EMAILED ST JUDE THROUGH THEIR WEBSITE ON 10/24/17

EMAILED GOLDFISH ON 10/24/17 TO SEE ABOUT COMING FEB 12TH-16TH

EMAILED AMANDA ROCHE FOR INDY PARKS AND REC VISTS ON 10/25/17

SPOKE TO FAMILY TIME ENTERTAINMENT ON 10/27/17. WE SCHEDULED 3 SHOWS FOR JAN-JUNE. THE FIRST SHOW IS \$195. THE NEXT TWO SHOWS ARE \$150 APIECE. THE CHECK IS DUE THE DAY OF THE SHOW. THEY WILL MAIL US A CONTRACT. JAN 4 AT 10AM -PUPPET PLAYTIME SHOW. MARCH 8 AT 10AM- DR SEUSS SHOW. MAY 4 AT 10 AM-THE FATHER GOOSE SHOW

CALLED ZIONSVILLE FD ON 12/11. THEY SHOULD BE CONTACTING ME SOON TO TALK

EMAILED INDIANAPOLIS FD ON 12/11 THROUGH THE INDY FD WEBSITE