

NEWBURY
OAKS
PRESCHOOL
April Showers

April 2024



During March we learned about the landforms, minerals, and the dinosaurs that used to roam this ever-changing land. We even mined for gold in the classroom and made volcanoes erupt inside our classrooms and on the playground!

Every April the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) designates a “Week of the Young Child”. This year our celebration of Young Children will be April 8-12. During this time we will once again emphasize the uniqueness and importance of each child in our classrooms.

Our school’s themes for the month of April are Rainforests



and Life Cycles. Students will sing songs about the layers of the forest and learn about the animals that live there. The children will enjoy playing in the dramatic play areas and learning about the Amazon River. We will observe our own classroom caterpillars as they build a chrysalis and change into butterflies.

This month we will also be focusing on taking care of the Earth. We will practice recycling and we will celebrate Earth Day to learn how we can all help our environment.

Beginning April 3, your child’s teachers will be collecting \$10 per student for the Amazing Animals Show on Thursday, April 10. Please see page two for more information. Children who typically do not attend school on Wednesdays are welcome to come see the show with a parent on that day.

Dates to Remember!

- APRIL 1ST-7TH—
TUITION DUE
- APRIL 10TH—
AMAZING ANIMALS
- APRIL 15-18TH—
SPRING PHOTO
FUNDRAISER
- MAY 27TH—
MEMORIAL DAY
SCHOOL CLOSED



Our pre-order yearbook will be going on sale this month. Pre-ordered yearbooks cost \$30 each. Please make your check payable to Newbury Oaks and write, “yearbook” in the memo. Yearbooks sold after May 1 are limited and cost \$35 each.

Yearbooks!

We have captured another playful year in photos from school-wide events and other busy days at preschool. All children are featured in the school yearbook. We will be offering a **pre-sale price of \$30** per yearbook beginning in May. The regular yearbook price is \$35 per book.





Spring Photo Fundraiser

Our Spring Photo Fundraiser of individual children and class photos will take place April 15-18 this year. Candid on Campus photographer, Brenda Russett, is brilliant at capturing each child's personality. Please see the separate email later this month for your child's exact photo dates. Prints and digital copies are received in a timely manner and make great gifts!



Preschool Graduation

We are planning a preschool graduation on Thursday, **June 27th at 1PM** for the children who are going off to Kindergarten and TK in the fall. The pre-K classes will be learning about graduation ceremonies at the end of June along with our Ocean theme. Look for more information on this special event in the coming months.



Amazing Animals



Students will embark on an exciting ex-

pedition to the rainforest without ever leaving their school! Children will explore why the rainforest is important to humans and animals as they meet some special animals that come from this fascinating and fragile environment. The cost of \$10 is due by Wednesday, April



10th to your child's teacher. If your child does not attend school on Wednesdays, you are welcome to bring him/her for the program. The cost is \$10 per child, but parents are free! Visit wildswi.org for details.

2024-2025 List of Planned Closures

MEMORIAL DAY
SCHOOL YEAR ENDS
SUMMER BREAK
SUMMER CLASSES BEGIN
LABOR DAY
STAFF IN SERVICE
THANKSGIVING
WINTER BREAK
MARTIN LUTHER KING
PRESIDENTS' DAY
STAFF IN SERVICE
SPRING BREAK

May 27, 2024
June 27, 2024 (half day)
July 1-5, 2024
July 8, 2024 (first day)
September 2, 2024
October 3, 2024
November 28 & 29, 2024
December 23, 2024-January 1, 2025
January 20, 2025
February 17, 2025
March 21, 2025
April 18 & 21, 2025

