

# NEWBURY OAKS

## Meaningful May

During the month of April we learned about life cycles and the rainforest. We had fun learning ways we can help the Earth and make it a healthy place for all the plants and animals!

At the end of May you will receive your child's class placement for the new school year. The children will visit their new class and teachers at the end of August and then move to new classes in September.

We are holding our preschool graduation at Sycamore Canyon School auditorium June 21st at 4:30PM for children who are moving on to Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten in August. Please see more details in next month's newsletter.



In the month of May we will be learning about The Neighborhood: Community Helpers and

Transportation. Children will learn about the different occupations in our community and how those individuals help us. We also welcome parent presentations and visits from other Community Helpers in our outdoor space. If any parents would like to present their occupation as a community helper, please see your child's teacher. We will make our own offices and a mechanic's garage. The children will enjoy working with trains, cars, planes, and boats.



This month we would like to highlight our school's Director, Ms. Tanya. Ms. Tanya was born in Thousand Oaks and has lived in Moorpark for thirty years. She is a mother of a six year old, Vince, and a two year old daughter, Mila. Ms. Tanya earned her associates degree in Child Development from Moorpark College and her Bachelors in Child Development from the University of La Verne. She has worked in the field of Child Development for ten years

### Dates to Remember!

- MAY 2ND—  
NATIONAL TEACHER APPRECIATION DAY
- MAY 8TH-12TH—  
VISITING DAY
- MAY 14TH—  
MOTHER'S DAY
- MAY 29TH—  
SCHOOL CLOSED
- JUNE 21ST—  
MEMORIAL DAY
- JUNE 21ST—  
GRADUATION

and feels that it is her role as an early childhood educator to provide a safe and nurturing environment for the students. Her passion has always been to work with children. Ms. Tanya joined our Newbury Oaks team in 2015 as a teacher and she enjoys working with the children and families at our school.



This year we will be celebrating Moms and other significant women in our lives by inviting them into our classrooms to visit the week of May 8. Each class has its own scheduled visiting day from 9:00-9:30AM. Please check your email for your child's visiting day. You may both attend even if it's not your child's regularly scheduled school day.

## Visiting Days

## Yearbooks!

The Newbury Oaks yearbook includes photos of our students learning, working, and playing here at school. It also includes teacher and staff photos. Thank you to all parents who participated by sharing their photos of school events. We would especially like to thank Ms. Tanya for putting the yearbook together for us. It is a wonderful keepsake to remember these precious times.

The yearbook pre-sale ends Friday, May 12. The cost is \$30.00 made out to Newbury Oaks Preschool. If you miss the pre-sale, additional yearbooks will be on sale for \$35.00 and will be distributed in June.

**AMAZING  
LOVING  
STRONG  
HAPPY  
SELFLESS  
CREATIVE**



## Home/School Connection

As we learn about Transportation this month, you can help reinforce concepts at home. Most children enjoy having specific things to look for while riding in their car seat. Before you head out, talk to your child about what he/she may see along the way. Motorcycles, buses, and fire trucks are just a few modes of transportation to look for when riding in the car.

Counting the wheels on bikes, strollers, skateboards, and scooters is also fun and educational. Many of these can be found in your own garage or at a nearby park.

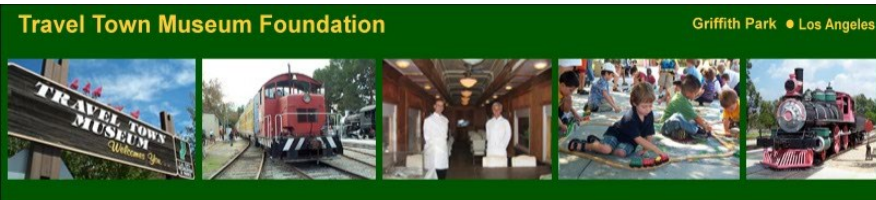
A fun, free, family outing to Travel Town can also bring our concepts to life! It is currently open every day except Wednesdays from 10AM—5PM. You can visit their website for more information. [www.traveltown.org](http://www.traveltown.org)

## Preschool Graduation

We are planning a preschool graduation on Wednesday, **June 21st at 4:30PM** at Sycamore Canyon School for the children who are going off to Kindergarten and TK in the fall. Ms. Laura & Ms. Julie's and Ms. Karen & Ms. Juliette's classes and part of Ms. Jill & Ms. Lupita's class will be participating in June. Look for more information on this special event in the June Newsletter.

## REMINDER!

**Please remember to apply sunscreen to exposed before school daily and label all of your child's personal items.**



## 2023-2024 List of Planned Closures

IN SERVICE	June 30, 2023
SUMMER BREAK	June 30-July 8, 2023
LABOR DAY	September 4, 2023
IN SERVICE	October 16, 2023
THANKSGIVING	November 23 & 24, 2023
WINTER HOLIDAY	December 22-January 2, 2024
MARTIN LUTHER KING	January 15, 2024
PRESIDENTS' DAY	February 19, 2024
IN SERVICE	March 11, 2024
SPRING HOLIDAY	March 29 & April 1, 2024
MEMORIAL DAY	May 27, 2024

