# SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS PRESCHOOL

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"Twinkle, Twinkle little star, how I wonder what you are..." Children throughout history have learned this song, and today we are starting to learn some of the answers. We will explore space, "the preschool way" and about how God's hand put the planets, sun, stars & moon in motion.

### **HOLIDAY**

Shepherd of the Hills Preschool will be closed **May 27**<sup>th</sup> in observance of Memorial Day.

#### **BIKE-A-THON**

We are having our annual bike-a-thon fund-raiser again this year. We will have a police officer here that will explain bicycle safety to the children. The children will then ride their decorated bikes, on an obstacle course set up in the parking lot. We ask that the children bring their helmets along with their bikes, to keep them safe while they ride. After the obstacle course the children will share a snack and a drink. We are asking parents to donate the special snack we are going to have on the day of the event. Signup sheets are posted on the bulletin board. Parents are welcome to stay

and join in on the fun. Times for your child's class are posted on the bulletin board. With the funds raised we are going to purchase new bikes.

#### The dates are:

MWF	Wed	May 1	
T-TH/5 Day	Thurs	May 2	

### FAMILY PICNIC DAYS 10:00 A.M.

To help us celebrate the end of the school year and to thank all our parents for a

fantastic year we are having our annual family picnic on the days listed below. We are asking for

parent volunteers to prepare and cook the food. The staff will serve so that you can enjoy this time with your child. Look for a sign-up sheet to be posted closer to the end of the month.

For the family picnic day we will also be asking each child to bring in a food item to contribute to the picnic. A note will be sent home with a specific item for your child to bring closer to the picnic date.

Please plan to spend the morning with your child. If for some reason you cannot attend please send a friend or family member to be here with your child.

MWF & 5 Day	Wed	<b>May 15</b>
T-TH	Thurs	<b>May 16</b>

#### WATER PLAY DAYS

Weather permitting; we will have water play day on the days listed below. Please have your child bring or wear their swimsuits to school that day. We also ask that you send a towel and a bag, both with his/her name on them so that we can better keep track of all their items brought to school that day. We will also enjoy a Popsicle snack. For extended care and cherub children please send a change of clothes so that we can have them change before they go on to the next part of their day.

T-Th Thursday May 30 MWF & 5 Day Friday May 31

# **CLASSROOM NEWS**

# Ms. Tami, & Ms. Karen 3 / 4 Year Olds



We will continue working with our names and addresses and we will do some patterning and cutting.

# Ms. Kathy & Ms. Alyssa Pre-K

We will finish up our phonics program by learning about the letter Y, before having our last review of the letters B, Y, F, D, & M. This will then end the phonics program but we will spend the rest of the month reviewing concepts that we have learned throughout the year.

# Ms. Patti & Ms. Jessica's 5 Day Pre-K

We will spend our time reviewing concepts we have touched on throughout the year.

#### **CHERUBS**

This month we will learn about different the many miracles Jesus preformed. We do offer extended care on Fridays if you are in need of a few extra hours to get some work or shopping done. The children bring their lunch and enjoy some playtime with friends

## SUMMER SCHOOL DATES ARE: June 11 – June 13 & June 18-June 20

Summer school will run 3 days a week (**Tues.**, **Wed.**, & **Thurs.**) and will cost \$90.00 for each session. Please fill out and submit the attached registration form to your child's teacher as soon as possible if you are interested in enrolling in 1 or both sessions of summer school.

# **GRADUATIONS**



M-W-F Mon June 3

(Tami & Karen's Classes) 9:00 A.M. (Kathy & Alyssa's Class) 6:30 P.M.

#### **T-Th Tues June 4**

(Tami & Karen's Classes)	9:00 A.M
(Patti & Jessica's Class)	5:30 P.M.
(Kathy & Alyssa's Class)	7:00 P.M

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



This year VBS will be held the week of **June 24**<sup>th</sup> –**June 28**<sup>th</sup>. The theme is to Mars and beyond and registration forms are in the preschool and church office. The

Space is limited so register early.