

NEWBURY OAKS PRESCHOOL



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April Showers

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 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 16-20. During this time we will once again emphasize the uniqueness and importance of each child in our classrooms.

Our school's theme for the month of April is the tropical rainforests. Students will sing songs about the layers of the forest and create the animals that live there. The children will enjoy playing in the dramatic play areas and learning about the Amazon River.

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



environment.

Starting next week your child's teachers will be collecting \$10 per student for the Amazing Animals Show on Wednesday, April 18th. Please see the posted flyers 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. Parents are free!

We are planning our graduation this year for the students who are heading off to Kindergarten and Transitional Kinder-

Dates to Remember!

- APRIL 2ND—
SCHOOL CLOSED
SPRING BREAK
- APRIL 7TH —
SPRING FAMILY DAY
- APRIL 18TH—
AMAZING ANIMAL
SHOW!
- APRIL 25TH—
SCHOOL CLOSED
- MAY 7TH-11TH —
SPRING PHOTOS
- MAY 28TH —
SCHOOL CLOSED FOR
MEMORIAL DAY
- JUNE 16TH —
GRADUATION 10AM

garten. Graduation will take place in the Community Room (same as the holiday sing along). We hope all of our graduates can participate!

Spring Family Day

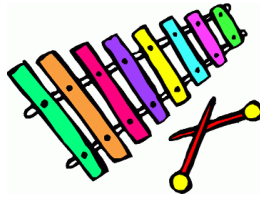
Please plan on joining us on Saturday, April 7th from 10AM-11AM at our school. We have many fun activities planned for the morning. All family members are welcome that day including brothers, sisters, grandparents, and parents. We are looking forward to spending the morning with you!

SPRING



Enrichment Classes

- **Soccer**—April 9-June 4 \$99.00 to Ben Latchford
- **Cooking**—April 10-June 12 \$130.00 to Newbury Oaks
- **Spanish**—April 11-June 20 \$110.00 to Newbury Oaks
- **Music**—April 5-June 7 \$120.00 to Bill Garcia
- **Gymnastics**—April 12-June 15 \$130.00 to Victory Gymnastics



Amazing Animals

Students will embark on an exciting expedition 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 Friday, April 13th 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 www.wildswi.org for details.



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It's Yearbook Time!

Once again, Newbury Oaks Preschool is creating a school yearbook. The yearbook will include photos of our students learning, working, and playing

here at school. Yearbooks that are pre-ordered by May 1, will be on sale for \$30.00 and will be distributed in early June. The school will order a few extra copies to go on sale in

June at \$35.00 each, so order your copy early. An envelope and pre-order form will be sent home this month.



Parent Notice

The State of California Department of Social Services sets certain standards for the safety and well being of all children. The current requirements from this agency refer directly to the Sign-In/Out sheets that are on the clipboards outside each classroom. The state is requiring that the adult signing the child in or out do so by signing their full legal name and enter the time of day the child is accepted into the school and the time of day the child is released from the school.

These sheets are legal documents and are the only required record of the children placed in our care for the day. It is **EXTREMELY** important that you sign your child in and out. In case of an emergency and evacuation, these clipboards are our only means of knowing which children are attending school or if anyone has been picked up early.

The Department of Social Services collects a **\$100.00 fine** per unsigned child in a facility. In the event that we receive such fines due to lack of signatures, we will have to collect the fine from the appropriate families. Please help us our children safe by signing them in an out correctly.

Congratulations to
Evan & The Jacobs
Family and
Colton, Mason &
The Meza Megorden
Family on their new
baby girls!