# Aquinas Academy Preschool News

October 2021



Mrs. Donoghue's Class



Playing together is a way to build language and make friends.

# **Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to our friends who were born in September and October:

09/27 Noah

10/22 Dora

10/23 August (A.J)!



### Themes & Activities

Colors: Orange & Black

Shapes/Numbers: Circles, Number "1 and 2"

Science and Nature: Apples, Fall (Autumn), Changing Seasons

Social Studies: Community Helper: Firefighter

**Religion:** "Stories of God's Love" (Religion Poster Story Program)

Halloween: Projects, Safety, Songs & Fun

Nursery Rhymes:

1. "Itsy Bitsy Spider" 2. "Little Miss Muffet"





Artwork is a creative way of learning how to follow directions.

### Share Time

Share Time is similar to Show & Tell and will take place on Wednesdays throughout the school year. If your child does not attend school on Wednesday, then he or she may bring something to share/show on Thursday of the same week. On Wednesday the date of ... Please have your child bring in something that follows the theme of...

October 6<sup>th</sup>: Something Circle-Shaped October 13<sup>th</sup>: Something "Autumn" or "Fall"

**October 20<sup>th</sup>:** Something Orange and/or Black

October 27<sup>th</sup>: Something "scary" or

something "Halloween"

## **Notes & Reminders**

- All half day and school day children will have a 12:30 dismissal on Friday,
   October 1<sup>st</sup> and on Monday, October 11<sup>th</sup> due to faculty meetings.
- Wednesday, October 6<sup>th:</sup> "Back to School Night" at 7:00 PM
- Please have your child wear sneakers and comfortable play clothes to school each day. Assist us in helping your child become more independent by choosing clothing that is easy to manage such as Velcro closings on sneakers and elastic waist on pants. Snaps, buckles and buttons are often difficult for the children to manage. If your daughter wears a dress to school, we recommend having her wear shorts underneath dress.
- We are a nut free environment at Aquinas Academy. <u>Due to serious allergies</u>, no nuts of any type, (peanut butter, Nutella, or items containing nuts) are permitted.
- Please label your child's coat and hat, lunch box, water bottle and backpack using permanent marker, so items don't get mixed up.
- We appreciate donations of wipes to help with messy hands when cleaning up after creating, projects, as well as paper towels, tissues, and plastic silverware donations.
- Fri., October 29<sup>th</sup> we will be a Halloween activity day (more details to follow.)

