

# Aquinas Academy Preschool Newsletter

September 2018



Miss Manach's Class

## Upcoming Activities & Themes

- Week of September 17<sup>th</sup>: "A" Week
- Thursday, September 20<sup>th</sup>: "Back to School Night" at 7:00 PM
- Friday, September 21<sup>st</sup>: Blue Ribbon Day (Please Wear Blue To School)
- Monday, September 24<sup>th</sup>: 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Blue Ribbon Award
- Wednesday, September 26<sup>th</sup>: Johnny Appleseed Day
- Week of September 24<sup>th</sup>: "B" Week
- Week of October 1<sup>st</sup>: "C" Week
- Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>: Hot Lunch Program Begins
- Monday, October 8<sup>th</sup>: Columbus Day ~ No School



## Science Discoveries

- Apples Investigation
- Bubbles Exploration
- Autumn colors

## Social Studies

- Making Friends
- Johnny Appleseed

## School Specials

Wednesdays: Music with Mr. Neglia

Thursdays: Gym with Mrs. Doppelt

Share Time: Girls on Mondays  
Boys on Tuesdays

## Religion

- Morning Greeting
- Morning Prayer
- Mealtime Prayers



## Math Corner

- Calendar Math
- Patterning
- Apple Graphing



## *Technology*

During our school day you may see our students actively involved in a variety of technological activities. Technology is integrated into our classroom curriculum. Our program provides our preschoolers with hands-on use of iPads, SMART Boards, computers, audio devices, etc. At Aquinas Academy, we balance technology with healthy outdoor play, messy art, and a variety of interactive hands-on experiences as well as the tradition preschool curriculum. Technology provides a different approach to learning and is a valuable part of the early childhood experience.

## *Share Time*

- **Week of September 24<sup>th</sup>: Something that starts with the letter "A" and/or "B"**



*"As we slowly come together as a group wait and see what we can accomplish!"*





Preschoolers are starting off with a **BLAST!**

## ***Birthday Wishes***

**Birthday wishes go out to our friend born in the month of September:  
Patrick B. (9/2) !!**



## ***Notes & Reminders***

- Please remember to have your child wear sneakers for gym class on Thursdays. Also, please consider sneakers for everyday activities ~ they are comfortable and safe for the children.
- Please let us know if any information on your child's forms changes so we maintain accurate records.
- When we are "creating" we sometimes get messy. Please consider this when selecting school attire.
- We appreciate donations of wipes to help with those messy hands when cleaning up after creating. We also welcome paper towels and tissues. A great big "Thank you" goes out to the families who have donated some supplies.