



Milpitas Montessori School  
OCTOBER  
NEWSLETTER

2021

**REMINDER**

**SCHOOL CLOSSES EARLY AT 12:00  
on Friday October 29<sup>th</sup>  
for Staff Development**



**PICTURE DAY is on  
October 22nd at 9:00 am**

All children will take their pictures without payment and on the same day, parents will receive proofs of their child's photos before deciding to purchase. Sorry, make-ups will not be available for children absent on this day.

**Absence Policy**

We would like to remind parents that if your child is absent for any reason, you must call or email your child's teacher or the office on the morning that your child is absent. Please also indicate the reason for your child's absence and, if sick, indicate your child's symptoms.

Reminder: If your child does catch the flu and has a fever of 100° or more, he/she **CANNOT** come to school and must be **fever-free without the assistance of medication for 24 hours** before he/she is allowed to return to school.



If you haven't already, please [follow us/like us on Facebook](#) to keep abreast of the weekly/monthly posts and photos that we put up of the children.

## Halloween Mini Carnival on Friday October 29 at 9:00 Children only (School Closes early at 12:00)

### Dress up!

We encourage children to wear their Halloween costume on this day. Children must arrive to school already dressed in their costumes. They will change out of their costume before lunch time, so please bring a bag (labeled with your child's name) of a set of clothes to change into.



### Mini-Carnival

Each classroom will be holding their own little mini carnival with spook-tacular games and activities for the children!



### Pumpkin Showcase

Children may submit a pumpkin to display in our pumpkin showcase and chose one of the following.

(1) carve out a fresh or fake pumpkin jack-o-lantern. Please note: fresh pumpkins should be carved **no earlier than Wednesday night, 10/27** to prevent rotting/molding.

(2) make a "no-carve" decorated or painted pumpkin. Make it fun and creative! Write your child's name on the bottom of the pumpkin and bring it to school on the morning of October 26<sup>th</sup>.



Parent-Teacher Conferences via Zoom with Mrs. Moorman and Ms. Chi will be held in November (dates to be announced). The purpose of this conference is to discuss with parents the academic, social, and behavioral progress of their child as it relates to school. In mid-November, a **sign-up sheet** for conferences will be sent out.



Flu season is upon us, and we strongly encourage you to take your child to get the flu shot. .

