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FRANCISCAN CHILD DAYCARE NEWSLETTER
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DIRECTOR'S NOTE



Dear Parents,

We are having a lot of success with the new curriculum, "Funshine Express". The teachers and children are really enjoying it! The teachers will be starting their assessments on each child this month. As always, if you would like to discuss your child's progress, please talk to your child's teacher and we can arrange a meeting.

Thank you to everyone who came to support the Center by eating at Panera. We will update you as soon as Panera gets back to us about the amount that was raised.

We are grateful to you for all of the support that you give to the Center in so many ways. We strive to meet the needs of the children as we continue to offer new opportunities to help them grow.



Mrs. Merlo

October Birthdays



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| Lincoln H. 10-01 | Logan C. 10-02 | Joseph M. 10-03 |
| Martin O. 10-03 | Avery G. 10-05 | Leo C. 10-07 |
| Grace R. 10-12 | Henry B. 10-13 | Cece B. 10-14 |
| Carson B. 10-14 | Maxwell S. 10-19 | |
| Sloane J. 10-20 | Rory B. 10-24 | |

GRANDPARENT'S DAY

We celebrated Grandparent's Day on September 7. We did crafts, sang songs and served refreshments. Thank you to all of the grandparents that shared this time with us as we celebrated YOU!



grandparents day 



CENTER HAPPENINGS

Mr. Robert building new cots.



The finished product!



THANK YOU MR. DAVE!



We are so grateful for everything that Dave Domostoy does for the Center. In case you don't know, Mr. Dave, works out all the door and computer issues, plumbing, changes light bulbs, fixes blinds and even does carpentry work. Mr. Dave does it all! Let's give him a big thank you from all of us at the Center!



STRETCH-N-GROW PROGRAM



We currently have 31 children that have joined the Stretch-n-Grow class which is *exercising!* The classes are approximately 30 minutes each on Thursdays and the first class begins at 9:15 am. It's not too late to join. If you are interested, please fill out a registration form. ***If your child is attending or planning to participate in Stretch-n-Grow, we ask you to please wear appropriate exercise attire on your child. For example, pants/shorts and tennis shoes.***

UPCOMING EVENTS



HALLOWEEN PARADE

Our annual Halloween parade will be on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 at 9:30 AM. The children will parade around the daycare building. All parents are welcome to watch as the children march around the building.



Happy Autumn! The leaves are changing and there will soon be a chill in the air... Just a reminder that as weather is changing to please bring appropriate change of clothes for your children and make sure clothes are labeled.

Please stop by your child's classroom to pick up your sunscreen to take home.



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