



October 2020

# Bobbie Noonan's October Newsletter



## Upcoming Events

### Fire Prevention Month:

Did you know that October is Fire Prevention Month? This year in keeping with social distancing Lockport Fire Department has done a virtual presentation that you can sign in and view with you children. The link is: [https://www.nfpa.org/Public-Education/Staying - safe/Preparedness/Fire-Prevention-Week](https://www.nfpa.org/Public-Education/Staying-safe/Preparedness/Fire-Prevention-Week). There are also some activities and coloring sheets for your child to complete.

### Spookly The Square Pumpkin Day:

On Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, we will be hosting a "Spookly the Square Pumpkin" Day based on the book written by Joe Troiano. The children will be reading the story, discussing Spookly's feelings, making a "Spookly" craft and creating a special snack.

### School Closed:

School will be closed on Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> for a staff training day. Each year the Bobbie Noonan's Staff is required to attend at least 15 hours of in-service.

**Normal Tuition is due this week.**

### Fire Drills:

This month, our fire drills are scheduled for Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. During the fire drill the children are taught how to line up, exit the building and meeting place. This procedure helps us to reinforce what to do in case of a fire!



## National Nacho Day:

Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> is National Nacho Day! To celebrate the day, our own Chef Combo, Ms. Kym will be creating a special snack! This will be “nacho” ordinary day. Parents are not required to bring anything!



## Halloween Treats:

Unfortunately, due to COVID safe practices we are asking that you **DO NOT** send in treats for your child's class this year. We will make the party days fun and provide a special snack for the children.

## Halloween Parties:

On Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup> we will be hosting our Halloween parties. To celebrate the holiday, please dress your child in his or her costume. Costume Masks **should not** be worn to school because many of our little ones are frightened by mask and the children find Halloween just as enjoyable without the mask. This year we are discouraging costumes that are violent or gruesome in nature. Due to COVID safe practices, we are asking that you **DO NOT** send any accessories with your child's costume and make sure they are short enough to avoid tripping. **Please send your child to school in their costume.** Day care parents, please have an extra change of clothes to change into after the party and if possible please have your child wear the change of clothing under their costume. Please send in a larger bag to hold your child's costume in for after the party.

## Just A Reminder:

Department of Children and Family Services has asked that everyone entering our building over the age of 2, wear a mask.

Please remember that if your child is absent to call or email the office.



## Please Help:

Now that the weather is getting colder and the children are getting new outerwear, please remember to label all items with your child's first and last name on them. We **cannot** be responsible for lost items. Also, please make sure that an extra change of clothes is in your child's backpack and is for the appropriate season. It is very important that every child have a change of clothes in their backpack in case of spills or accidents. They feel much more comfortable in their own clothes. Thank you so much for your help with this matter.

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Please feel free to contact us with any questions through a note, email, or phone call. Our email is checked at 9:00 & 12:00 daily

Don't forget to like us on Facebook!

You might see some pictures of our school and children.



Have a Safe and "Spooktacular" Halloween Season!

Happy Haunting!

The Bobbie Noonan's Staff

