



September 17, 2012

Hello Everyone and Happy New Year,

I hope all your kids have enjoyed the first two weeks of school. I have spoken with some of the teachers and they have said that all the kids seem to be having a wonderful time in their classroom along with meeting their new friends. With that said, we have a lot going on within the next couple of weeks at the preschool, so please read this newsletter in its entirety so you don't miss out on any of the fun and exciting news and events.

**WAJCC Auction Winner Parking Spot**-Imagine yourself pulling up to the JCC parking lot in the middle of the winter, your late, and the temperature outside is about 10 degrees. Since you are so late, you have to park way down at the end of the parking lot because all the spots up front are taken. You now have to get your kids out of the car in the freezing cold and walk all the way to the front door of the JCC carrying lunches, snow pants and for some of you, babies and toddlers. During this long walk to the door, your kids are crying because they are cold and the walk outside is too far. With that said, we have decided to try something different this year and auction off the WAJCC parking spot now instead of waiting until Taste of the Boroughs. For those of you who don't know, this parking spot is the first spot you will see on the left hand side of the parking lot marked with a sign that says WAJCC Auction Winner. If you are the winner of this spot, it will be yours from Monday October 1<sup>st</sup> 2012 until Friday August 30<sup>th</sup> 2013. We will begin the Auction on **Wednesday Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>** when school is back in session. The way the auction will work is you will stop by or call 508-366-6121 ext. 21 our office manager, Amy Alegretta. She will give you a number that you will use to write on the large poster board in the lobby marked "Parking Spot Auction" with a bid next to it. The bidding will begin at \$100.00 and will last until **Friday September 28<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm**. The winner of the auction will be notified that they won that evening and the name will be announced on Monday at school. All proceeds will go directly to the Boroughs JCC scholarship fund.

**Fall Picture Days-** We will be having our fall picture day this year on Wednesday October 3rd and Thursday October 5th so please dress your child accordingly. Pictures will be taken by one of our biggest supporters and alumni parent's Sue Ogar of Just So Designs. Sue's services are unique in that she takes more than one photo of each child and you don't need to purchase anything until after you have had a chance to view the proofs online. For more information on Sue and her company, please visit her website at ([www.justsodesigns.com](http://www.justsodesigns.com)).

**Coffee with The Director-** During drop off on the second Wednesday of every month, the PPG will be hosting coffee with our wonderful director, Sue Carlsen. Please make sure you stop by and say hi and enjoy some great coffee from Dunkin Donuts. Next coffee date scheduled is for **Wednesday October 10<sup>th</sup>**.

**Pizza Fridays-** Tired of making lunches every day? Please try our pizza Fridays. Information and forms can be found in the lobby next to Julia's office. Next form is due by **Thursday September 20<sup>th</sup>**.

**Directory-** Everyone should have received an email from our office manager Amy Allegretta last Monday September 10<sup>th</sup> confirming your contact information from our directory. The confirmation for this information or option to omit information was due back on Friday September 14<sup>th</sup>. If you did not receive this information please contact Amy ASAP. The directories will be distributed in your child's cubbies during the week of **September 24<sup>th</sup>**. Amy's number is 508-366-6121 Ext. 21 or email [bookkeeper@boroughsjcc.org](mailto:bookkeeper@boroughsjcc.org).

**Applefest-** Thank you so much to all the volunteers that signed up to help out at the booth for Applefest. Being that our organization is run by volunteers, it is vital to our community that we have people help out when they can. So, thank you!!!!!! Also, our running team did exceptionally well. ☺

**Wachuset Kidsfest-** The Boroughs JCC will be having a booth at Kidsfest **September 22<sup>nd</sup> and September 23<sup>rd</sup>** at Wachuset Mountain. This event is extremely important to our program as it exposes us to thousands of families. We need a large amount of folders for each age group ready for this event. We will be stuffing folders at the Boroughs JCC on **Friday September 21st from 9:30 am to 10:30 am**. If you are able to help with this project, please email me and let me know you are available. [michelle@boroughsjcc.org](mailto:michelle@boroughsjcc.org)

**Arts in Common** ([www.westboroughculturalcouncil.org/artsincommon.htm](http://www.westboroughculturalcouncil.org/artsincommon.htm) ). - This event takes place in Westborough on **Sunday, September 29th** and supports artistic groups such as dance, children's theatre, choir, chorus, band, etc. We are looking for volunteers to represent us at our booth. If you are interested in volunteering you will be receiving an email from me with a program called Sign up Genius. This program will give you the ability to sign up for specific times you may be able to work.

**Facebook**-Please be sure that you like us on the Boroughs JCC Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/BoroughsJCC](http://www.facebook.com/BoroughsJCC)). We are always posting pictures of your kids during preschool hours and updating you on upcoming community and preschool events.

**Yom KIPPUR**- PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THERE WILL BE NO SCHOOL ON **WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup>** FOR YOM KIPPUR.

Remember there is no school tomorrow, **Tuesday September 18<sup>th</sup>** for the Rosh Hashanah holiday. I hope everyone has enjoyed this time with their friends and family while celebrating the upcoming Jewish New Year

Shana Tovah,  
B'Shalom  
Michelle Friedberg and Jeanne O'Toole