



October Newsletter



2019

Director's Note

Dear Families,

The children and staff are settling into the school year. Fall is in full swing as the teachers and children are enjoying new experiences and friends in the classroom. We thank you for entrusting your children to us. It is so wonderful to experience their excitement and joy of learning. Western Branch Academy is truly blessed to have a community of such wonderful families. We look forward to the year's events ahead.

Happy Fall,

Christine Messex , Rosalyn Briales & Juliet Wilson



Knox Studios

Knox Studios will be doing pictures October 14th & 15th.

Knox Studios' proof sheets will be sent home by the end of October. Please indicate which proof #(Number) and package you are interested in ordering on the form.

Payment can be in the form of check (payable to Knox Studios) cash, or credit card . Instructions can be found on the order form.



Trunk or Treat

On Thursday, October 31st, the students will have a costume parade around the building at 9:00 AM. We invite family and friends to line the sidewalks as the children parade in their priceless costumes. Please park at Westside Church.



Please either bring your child in their costume or bring it with them. We will help dress them. At the conclusion of the festivities, costumes will be put away for safe keeping.

The Trunk or Treat will follow the parade. This will take place in our parking lot. Each class will have a decorated trunk with a game for children to participate in.

Lilley Farms Field Trip

We are celebrating Autumn with our annual pumpkin patch field trip. We are going to Lilley Farms on Bruce Road. We are meeting Carol under the tent at Lilley Farms at 9:00 am. From there, each class goes on a hay ride to the pumpkin patch, through a corn maze, and has snack. Parents are responsible for transportation of their child to and from Lilley Farms. The student's cost of the trip is covered by the Activity Fee. Chaperones are \$5.00 (no pumpkin) and siblings are \$8.00 (pumpkin included), 2 and under are free (pumpkin not included)

Wednesday, October 9th: Miss Victoria, Miss Melinda, and Miss Nicole (PK4)
Thursday, October 10th: Miss Holly, Miss Rosalyn (PK2) and Miss Sunshine (K)
Friday, October 11th: Miss Dee, and Miss Juliet (PK3)

Speech Screenings

Dawn Kidd, a certified speech therapist, will be visiting WBA this month. She will be conducting speech screenings for PK3, PK4, and Kindergarten classes. This screening service is optional and no fee is required.