

**WEEKDAY NEWS**  
**QUAIL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
**October 2011**

Dear Parents,

Cooler weather is finally here!!! I love the summer and the warmth of the sun, but it is great to have a change! Fall is one of my favorite seasons. It is a great time to take five with your child and explore all of the changes happening around us—the change in temperature leaves changing colors and falling, animals getting ready for winter, and many others. What an amazing God we serve that can orchestrate something so awesome!!

We have had such a great first month of weekday! The children are settling into their classroom routines, making new friends and learning about a God who loves them. There are so many new faces walking our halls this year. I am excited to get to know each and every one.

Your child's teachers have some wonderful things planned for this month. Make sure you are watching the calendar to see what is coming up! If you have misplaced your paper copy of your child's calendar or the newsletter you can find both on our website [www.weekday.qsbc.org](http://www.weekday.qsbc.org). We are working on getting everyone added to the email group in order to send out alerts of upcoming school activities or closings. We will be using the emails you gave us when you registered your child. If you have another email you would prefer to receive these alerts then you are welcome to register on the home page of our website.

Ken's Universal Studios will be here the week of October 3<sup>rd</sup> to take pictures of your adorable children! They will be using a fall background. Look for a note home about when your class will be taking their pictures.

I hope that you have a fantastic month and are able to get outside and enjoy the weather before it gets too cold. I would like to personally invite each of you to join us for worship on Sunday morning if you are not currently involved in church worship. Remember, my door is always open if you need to stop by or just want to say hello!

Denise Greenwood  
Director of Weekday Ministries



# PRESCHOOL NOTES

## Faithful Friends

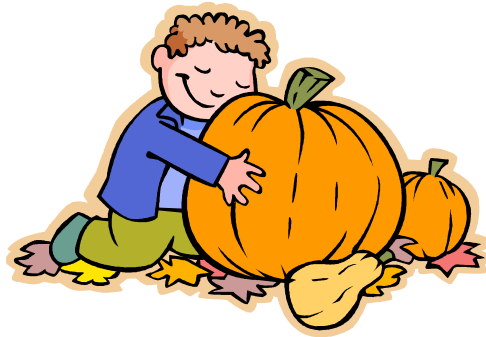
I am so excited that Fall is here! The world God made becomes such a beautiful place with all the changing colors! Your children are really getting into the routine of school and they are doing great! In October, we will be Learning Through Our Senses and Discovering Autumn. We will be having Show and Tell on Wed. October 5<sup>th</sup>. Your child may bring anything they would like to show. Also, our Fall Party will be on Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please keep an eye out for the sign up sheet for our party! Please remember we are celebrating Fall, not Halloween-no costumes allowed!

Make sure you are asking your child specifics about their day from the calendar or about snacks. I try to accomplish everything listed on the calendar each day and it makes them feel so special when they can tell you what they did!

Also, please remember that we will be observing Fall Break on Wednesday, Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> so there will be no school that day. Enjoy your time observing the beautiful changing world around you!

God bless you,  
Ms. Danielle and Ms. Erin

Color: Blue and Orange  
Shape: Square and Triangle  
Letters: D, E, F, and G  
Numbers 1-9



## Wee Wonders

I love this time of year! I love seeing the colorful leaves on the trees, and I love the chilly air!

We are off to a great start! We are learning things like how to walk in a line, how to wait for our turn, how to be good listeners, and how to share, as well as letters and numbers! We are learning that God made us special!

This month, we will learn about the five senses. We use our senses to learn about the world that God created! We will also learn about autumn, and have a Fall Party on the 31<sup>st</sup>!

Our letters this month are D, E, F, and G. Our numbers are 4, 5, 6 and 7. Blue and orange are our colors, and the square is our shape.

We count it as a blessing and a privilege to teach these precious children! We are looking forward to getting to know each family this year.

Love, Ms. Karin and Ms. Reba



## King's Kids

Fall is such a beautiful time of year. I love the changes in nature that happen all around us. This month your children will be learning about God's beautiful world during the fall season. They will hear about celebrating the feast of harvest and the farmers who help us.

We will work on our social skills of listening, and saying please and thank you. Your children will also discover spatial awareness through parachute play and large motor enhancement with plungers.

We will learn the letters O, F, S and P and the numbers 4, 5 and 6. Our colors are brown and orange, and our shape is the circle. Look for our Harvest Celebration Party sign-up sheet at the end of the month.

Remember to send jackets (with your child's name on them) when the weather gets cooler as we plan to go outside most days.

Your children are a blessing!

Ms. Cynthia & Ms. Tammy



## Sonshine Kids

Isn't God good to send us Fall after such a long hot summer? I thank Him every year when it finally cools down and this year I am especially grateful! It makes our outdoor play time much better when we aren't sweating. We will make every effort to get outside every day so please remember to send jackets on the cooler days.

October is a fun and busy month. Not only will we be learning about our 5 senses and Autumn, we will also be working hard developing our fine motor skills, learning our memory verses and writing our letters and numbers. Practicing these skills at home will help prepare your children for elementary school. Any time you can let them practice using scissors and writing while holding their pencil or crayon properly will benefit them greatly.

Be sure to check their folders every week for their artwork and notes that we will be sending home about upcoming events. This month we will have pictures taken on October 5<sup>th</sup> and we will be out for Fall Break on October 19<sup>th</sup>. Our Fall Party won't be until November 1<sup>st</sup> but there will be a sign-up sheet out the week before the party, please watch for it. We will also be sending home the songs and rhymes we learn in class. Your children will love teaching them to you!!

Thank you so much for sharing your precious children with us. They bring smiles to our faces every day!

Ms. Jenette and Ms. Emily



# PRE-K NOTES

## Sunbeams

As we push forward into our very busy year, we will work on obedience. I recently had a parent describe me as a teacher with firm love but a gentle spirit. Boy, she nailed it perfectly! We will be working hard on 'first time' obedience which is doing what the teacher asked the **first time**. The Bible says, "Children, obey your parents." Ephesians 6:1. This is an important Bible truth to be learned! You can help us at home by following through consistently with your child. How many times have we all said, "If you do that one more time, no (fill in the blank) for the rest of the day." Then, we forget the rule just made, get tired and give in. The result is a confused child testing the limits each time. Teaching a child to make good choices goes hand in hand with first time obedience. Let's work together at home and at school to teach these important life lessons to God's children.

The units this month are Life on the Farm, Safety Helpers and God's Fall Gifts. My favorite unit is Life on the Farm! We are going to make butter, learn how to shuck corn, and maybe even taste some beef jerky. Did you know cow's have four, yes four, stomachs? We have a police officer that kindly visits our pre-k classes each year during our safety helper unit. During our Fall unit, we are going to pound some pumpkins, taste some seeds and make pumpkin pie in a baggie! We have an exciting month planned so please make sure your kiddo gets lots of rest.

Blessings,  
Ms. Patricia and Ms. Kiley



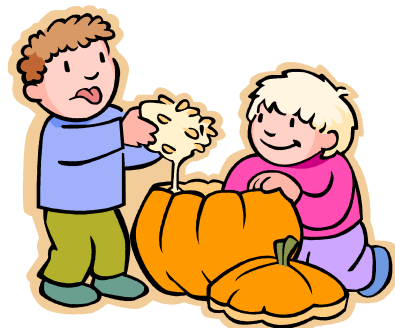
## Glad Tidings

Fall is my favorite time of year, and as the air becomes crisp and the first signs of fall present themselves, I find myself feeling renewed! We hope to spend time out in the fresh air enjoying the changing season. Don't forget to send a jacket when the days start getting cooler!

This month we start out with a unit on Farm Life where we will study the animals and equipment on a farm as well as the crops that farmers grow. The next unit will be Safety Helpers! We will learn about fireman and fire safety, along with police officers, doctors, and how and when to use 9-1-1. We will finish up the month with learning about God's Fall Gifts and we will enjoy a fall party on Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>. (Look for a signup sheet outside our room the week before.) In addition to these units we will focus on the letters E, F, G and the numbers 3 and 4.

We feel so blessed to have such a wonderful group of kids in our Glad Tidings class! We are having a great time getting to know each other!

Fall Blessings!  
Ms. Angela and Ms. Suzanne



# Calendar of Events

Oct 3, 5, 7 – Picture Days  
Oct 5 – Book Orders Due  
Oct 19-21 – Closed for Fall Break  
Nov 4 – No School  
Nov 7-11 – Parent Teacher Conferences  
(Preschool & Pre-K Only)  
Nov 9 - Book Orders Due  
Nov 23-25 – Closed for Thanksgiving

Tuition is due in full on the first of the month. Late charges will be added on the eighth of the month.

# Sunday Schedule at QSBC

Morning Worship Services  
Traditional – 8:15 & 11 a.m.  
Contemporary – 9:30 a.m.  
Resonate – 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 & 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship Service 6:30 p.m.



## Student Birthdays

Blake Muegenborg	10/01/09
Mason Marsh	10/02/08
Avery Goodner	10/02/09
Addison Harris	10/05/06
Riley Harris	10/05/06
Karin Iwayama	10/05/08
Jude Cabrera	10/06/10
Luke Engelmann	10/07/07
Brock Wagner	10/09/06
Joshua Dockum	10/12/09
Sophia Vrbenec	10/13/07
William Vrbenec	10/17/09
Evan Goodner	10/23/07
Kalex Penhall	10/24/07
AJ Tetteh	10/25/07
Brock Hart	10/25/08

## Teacher Birthdays

Kelley Adams	10/07
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