

# Kingdom Kids Spring Newsletter



## March and April

### Important Dates

- **February 28**— VPK Spring Pictures
- **March 1**— 2/3 Spring Pictures / Family and sibling photos
- **March 9**— Father's Day Fiesta for VPK
- **March 10**— Father's Day Fiesta for 2/3
- **March 13—20** Spring Break
- **April 5**— Easter Egg Hunt & Family Picnic
- **April 7**— School Closed
- **April 12**— Vision Screening for 3s and VPK

## Spring has SPRUNG at Kingdom Kids!

Welcome to spring Kingdom Kids families! Our children have been learning so much; it is fun to visit classrooms and see how far they have come.

Unfortunately, with spring also comes pollen, allergies, and spring colds. Please be assured we are continuing to clean every day to keep our classrooms as sanitized as possible. But we need your help at home as well! You can partner with us by having your child wash their hands regularly, give baths nightly to rinse off the pollen and dirt from the day, and put school clothes into the hamper to be washed—getting the pollen off them also. We miss your children when they are not here and strive to help them stay healthy.

In addition, please be sure to change your child's extra school clothes. Many of the items you sent at the beginning of the school year probably no longer fit (children grow so quickly!) thus, needing fresh outfits. Remember to include a top, pants or shorts, socks, and shoes.

Thank you for your continuous support!

## Father's Day Fiesta—March 9th & 10th

Fathers,

I bet you didn't know at Kingdom Kids Preschool we celebrate Father's Day in March! This year we invite you to join us for our **Father's Day Fiesta**. An invitation will be sent to you at the end of February so, mark you calendars for this celebratory event in which **YOU** are the guest of honor.

\*\* If you cannot attend, please send grandpa, uncle, or even mom in your place. We want to be sure EVERY child has an adult to celebrate.





## Easter Egg Hunt and Family Picnic—April 5th

Spring brings one of our favorite celebrations at Kingdom Kids Preschool — **Easter!**

Flowers are blooming, trees are budding, the weather is perfect, and the children get excited about our annual **Easter Egg Hunt!** This year we will bring back our Family Picnic on the grounds of Kingdom Kids Preschool. We invite your family to bring their blankets, chairs, and a picnic lunch to enjoy on the lawn following the egg hunt.

You will receive more information as the date gets closer, but for now—mark this date on your calendar because you won't want to miss this fun family time!

### **Shoe Etiquette**

Our children work hard at school! Not just inside, but also on the playground every day.

Because of this we have specific rules about appropriate school shoes.

I understand if your child has favorite foot wear, so do I, however there is a time and place for some of these. Cowboy boots, rain boots, flip flops, crocks, and many sandals are just not foot wear built for our playground.

Mulch can get into your child's shoes and hurt their feet, loose fitting boots can hinder climbing feet, walking correctly, and I have even seen them fly off of running feet.

If your child desperately wants to wear one of these types of shoes to school, no worries. Pack a pair of tennis shoes in the backpack and we will have your child change once they arrive.

Thank you for partnering with us on this footwear endeavor!



### **OPEN ENROLLMENT**

Know anyone that is looking for a wonderful preschool for the 2023-24 school year?

**Kingdom Kids is enrolling!**

Applications can be made at [Kingdomkidsjax.com](http://Kingdomkidsjax.com); and tours can be set up by calling the office at 493-1234.

### **Ways to Praise your Child**

Words are SO important! Especially when it comes to praising your child! Children need to know you value them and their good choices. Sometimes it is difficult to come up with words other than "good" so, here is a list of words that will help you build them up:

**Wow!** Way to go! **You figured it out!**

**BRAVO!** **Fantastic work!** Well done!

**Remarkable!** Great discovery! **Excellent!**

You're beautiful **I am proud of you!**

**I love you!** You're incredible!