



Lake Harriet United
Methodist Preschool naeyc



4901 CHOWEN AVENUE SOUTH MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55410

2020 - 2021 Registration

We are accepting applications for the 2020-2021 school year.

Our currently enrolled children, their siblings and members of the Lake Harriet UMC have priority for registration. Applications are due no later than **December 31st**. You may include a check for the \$50 registration fee or indicate on your application that you wish to be billed on your tuition statement.

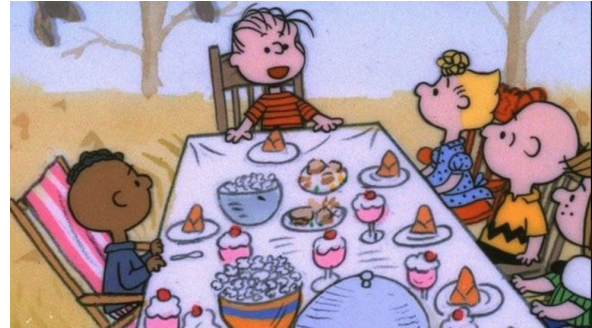
Families who are new to Lake Harriet UMC Preschool who submit applications prior to **January 31, 2020** will be part of our random selection process. Please ask your friends who are interested in the preschool to visit our web site www.lakeharrietumpreschool.org for more information and an application or give us a call.

The random selection process applies only to families not currently enrolled in our program.

Preschool Tee-Shirt Tuesday!

Please show your support of Lake Harriet UMC Preschool and have your child wear their green shirts the first Tuesday of the month!

November 2019



Charlie Brown Thanksgiving

We will be holding our annual all-school Charlie Brown Thanksgiving Feast on Thursday, **November 21st**. Each child will be asked to bring something for the feast or for the food shelf and your child's teacher will be looking for volunteers to help. If your child has a food allergy, please talk with his or her teacher.

Food Drive

During the month of November, we will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Joyce Food Shelf located near Lake Street & Hennepin Avenue. A note about the most needed items will be sent home. Please refer to that when making purchases and place donated items in the big blue bin located near the front entry. This is a great way to teach your child to be thankful for all you have and to share with those less fortunate.

Thanksgiving Break

Preschool will be closed the week of **November 25th – 28th**. Happy Thanksgiving and safe travels for families on the road!

Peace Coffee & Scholastic Books

Thank you to all who ordered Peace Coffee and Scholastic Books last month! Orders for peace coffee and book orders are due by: Thursday, November 7th. Coffee will be billed on your next preschool statement. If books are a gift, please indicate that on your order or email Mrs. Jordan (sjordan@lakeharrietumpreschool.org). Thanks!

Fall Conferences

Fall conferences are a wonderful opportunity to meet with you to discuss how your child is adjusting to preschool. The conference will be about 15 minutes in length. We request that children not attend the conference allowing us to focus our discussion on your child's preschool experience. Conferences will take place the week of **November 4th**, regular preschool is in session.

Early Childhood Screening

An Early Childhood Screening is a developmental and health check of your child. At screening, trained staff will check your child's development, hearing and vision, growth, immunizations and health history. It is recommended that all children be screened at age 3, but children can be screened at 4 or 5 as well. Early screening is recommended so that any health or learning concerns can be found early and help can be provided sooner. In Minneapolis call 612-348-8687. In other districts, contact their ECFE. Screening is required by MN state law prior to the start of public school Kindergarten.

Halloween Fun!

Our Halloween classroom parties, costume parade and trick-o-treating were a ton of fun for the preschoolers! Sharing songs and costumes with The Waters senior residents was a highlight! Thank you to all of the LHUMC staff who help make our trick-o-treat parade a success!

Ms. Sherry – LHUMP Music Specialist

The children learned a Halloween song, "Black Cat" (see video on Facebook preschool website). They also learned "One Little Owl" that is on UTube and a huge favorite. We are working on Elizabeth Mitchell's rap, "Grassy Grass Grass" (Also can be found in Tube) in sign language and I am amazed at how much they can learn in one session! They've already learned 2 stanzas!

We plan to travel to every continent this year to learn a song from each. So far we've gone to the continent of Europe, the county of England and the city of London to learn "I'm a Little Teapot!". We talked about the custom of tea and sugar lumps! We'll be flying to Australia next so stay tuned!

Contact Us

As always, if you have any concerns, questions or comments, please share them with us. You may leave us a voice mail, email or talk with us at school.

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