



FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

We are looking forward to our 2024 Parent Night Outreach and Fundraiser to benefit Common Ground Free Store Ministries in Delaware, Ohio. The mission of Common Ground Free Store is to share God's loving gifts with all by providing basic needs in a caring, compassionate environment of unconditional acceptance and dignity.

We are excited to welcome Elevated Wood-Fired Pizza back to serve at our event, an order ahead link will be sent to you closer Parent Night. Come have fun and enjoy Pastor Chris playing his guitar for a sing-a-long in the sanctuary, enjoy ice cream from Simple Soft Serve, make a craft with your children in their classroom, glow party and participate in the silent auction and classroom basket raffle.

Thank you to families who have donated for each class' themed raffle basket. If you have a product or service you would like to donate to our silent auction or raffle basket, please bring it in or contact us before February 9th. As we approach Parent Night, we will communicate more information regarding the silent auction.

With our large enrollment, we have limited this event to parents and children who attend New Hope Preschool and Education Center. It will be an open house style from 5:30 -8:00 p.m., so feel free to come and go as your time allows. A specific classroom craft time with your child's teacher's invitation was sent home last week. All proceeds from our outreach will be donated directly to Common Ground.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 6	Parent Information Session
Feb 6/7	Dental Health presentations
Feb 6/7	Storytime in the Sanctuary
Feb. 13/14	Valentine's Day celebrations
Feb. 16	No School
Feb. 17	No School, President's Day
Feb 26	Parent Night 5:30 – 8:00 p.m.

SAFETY REMINDER

Safety is always a top priority for our program. As a reminder, please do not leave siblings in the car when you are picking up your children from their classrooms. If you need assistance due to a child sleeping or a sick child, please contact the office and we will walk your child out to you. Thank you for your cooperation.

KSM SPORTS INDOOR VISIT

Thank you to KSM Sports and Fitness for providing an engaging experience for our students during their large muscle time last week. Their energy and enthusiasm provided extra fun for the children through the cold January indoor play days. Flyers with a New Hope discount code are at the welcome desk.

DENTAL HEALTH MONTH

February is Dental Health Month! We are happy to welcome current parent Mrs. Adessa Eskridge from Wedgewood Complete Dental, to teach our students about dental health. Mrs. Eskridge visited last year, and the children enjoyed her interactive presentation. Thank you Mrs. Eskridge!

PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

This month's parent information session will be on Tuesday, February 6 at 9:15 a.m. in the church library. The topic will be multi-sensory learning. Come enjoy coffee and muffins while discovering ways to help your child learn at home. Childcare is provided, please sign up for childcare and to attend on this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0A4EAAA728A1F94-44514627-parent>

FEBRUARY TUITION

Tuition will be posted today, February 1st for payments made through Tuition Express.

OUTSIDE RECESS

If the weather permits and it is 25 degrees real feel or above, we go outside for recess. Please send your child with a coat, mittens and gloves each day so they are prepared to have fun and be warm outside.

REMINDER ABOUT COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Please let us know if your child has been diagnosed with a communicable disease like COVID-19, strep throat, conjunctivitis (pink eye), hand foot mouth, croup, flu etc. If your child has been diagnosed with an illness that the doctor informs you to remain at home for a time period, please let the school know. We are required to report communicable diseases to the class and/or local health department.