



Tender Loving Care
September 2019 Newsletter
"Children learning and growing through play"

September News



Welcome to TLC!

A warm welcome is extended to all of our new and returning members.

Be sure to "like us" on our Facebook page at

www.Facebook.com/TLCPreschoolLaSalle.

TLC Has a Healthy Snack Policy:

Please provide a snack of cheese, yogurt, fruits or veggies. Please remember that TLC is a **nut-free environment**. These types of food allergies can be **life-threatening!** If possible, do not feed your child peanut butter before attending class; as just the smell of the peanut butter may trigger an allergic reaction in children who suffer from these allergies. If you must, kindly ensure that your child brushes their teeth and washes their hands thoroughly before leaving the house.



Fee Payments:

Kindly remit fee payments (**10 post-dated checks**) at your earliest convenience. We would appreciate if all payments be placed inside a sealed envelope or small Ziploc bag with your child's name clearly marked on the front of the check.

Apple Picking Outing:



TLC is going apple picking. Come join us on **Wednesday September 25th**. We will be going to **Quinn Farms** in Ile Perrot. Sign up sheets will be sent home with your child shortly. Even if you will not be attending, please fill out the form and return it to school in your child's folder. If you will be taking the bus, please hand in your forms early as there are limited seats available. Children under the age of 2 are not permitted on the bus. Each student must have an adult accompanying them on our field trips. Pack a lunch and join us for a fun-filled morning.

Board of Directors Meeting:



Our Board of Directors will be meeting for the first time this school year on **Wednesday Sept.18th at 7:00pm**. The meeting will be held in the TLC classroom and is open to all members.

Label, Label, Label:

A little reminder to label your child's belongings. Please clearly **label** your child's **snack bag**, **backpack**, and **outdoor clothing** for easy identification.



Indoor Shoes:

In an attempt to keep our classroom clean and germ-free; we are asking that each child bring in a pair of shoes to leave in the classroom. Each student will change into their “indoor shoes” upon arrival each day. Thanks for your cooperation and help in this matter.

Encouraging Autonomy:

We like to promote autonomy and encourage your child’s growing independence. In order to facilitate this, we ask that you **do not** send your child to school with shoes that have laces (interior and exterior shoes).



The children are unable to tie them and therefore lose an opportunity to accomplish the task on their own. Please ensure their backpacks are large enough to easily place their belonging inside; as this will be something that they will be learning to do.



Play Dough of the Month Club:

Our play dough center needs volunteer play dough makers! In order to keep our play dough center stocked with clean play dough, we are looking for volunteers to help make dough. A sign up form will be sent home shortly if you are interested in making play dough for our classroom. The colours marked are merely suggestions, feel free to make any colour that you have available.

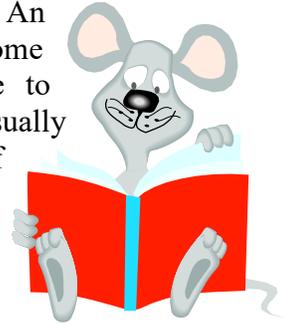
Lending Library:



We will be opening our lending library to the children in the next week. Your child can choose two books each class day; one in **English** and one in **French**. Books can be exchanged each class, providing the outstanding books have been returned. Please return borrowed books in the **library bag** provided. The bag helps protect the books from the elements as well as letting us know that the books need to be exchanged. A yellow basket is positioned on the shoe rack inside the cubby room; your child should place their book bags inside the basket when they want to exchange their books.

Scholastic Book Orders:

Scholastics orders are due by **Sept. 19th**. If you are interested in ordering, please hand in your completed forms on or before this date. There is an option to pay directly online using your credit card (if you are interested). An information sheet will be sent home inside the Scholastics envelope to explain the procedure. Books usually arrive within 1-2 weeks of ordering.



Keep in touch:

Our classroom telephone number is **(514) 895-4852**. Kindly use this number to text or call in your child’s absence or any special pick up instructions. If we don’t answer (we are probably busy with the children), just text us to ensure we see your message in a timely fashion. You can also email me at teacher@tlclasalle.org Please note that I only receive my emails in the evenings when I return home. Another great way to communicate is through your child’s folder, be sure to check it each day and of course return it to school with your child.

Please Respect the Parking:

Kindly **DO NOT block** the LCCHS teachers’ parking spaces located at the side of the building on Broadway Street or the exit ramp to their main parking behind the building. There is a drop off zone for us to use directly across the street on 9e Avenue. Kindly use this area or look for a spot around the corner. Thanks for your help in this matter.

