



Centreville Preschool, Inc.

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President's Corner

Welcome to Centreville Preschool! Whether you are a returning family or are new to our school, I would like to welcome you to what is sure to be an exciting year at CPI. My family is preparing for our 6th year at CPI and we are all excited. As your Board of Directors President I wanted to share how grateful I am for all of the special people that keep CPI running smoothly. The teachers and support staff are second to none and I am lucky to serve with a dedicated group of parent volunteers on our board. A lot of work goes into preparing for a successful school year (great curriculum, supplies for classes, maintenance to our historic building, enrollment tours and paperwork, health and safety forms for all students). I want to thank all of the staff and board members who make this possible.

The Board of Directors currently has two open positions including Maintenance and Public Relations. These roles are important roles. Each Board member is provided with a committee to assist them in completing necessary tasks. Please send me an email or ask a Board member at Open House if you are interested in joining the fun!

The first day of school is Monday September 14th and the teachers have planned a great week! This first week will be 2-hour classes, so please pay special attention to your modified pick up times.

During your class visit on Saturday September 12th, you will receive a packet full of information that will make your school year a success. In the folder you will find information about accessing our official Handbook via our website (<http://www.centrevillepreschool.com/>). This is an extremely important document and I ask you to read it. You can also download coupons for your tuition payments on the website. Remember you will not receive a bill for tuition – so please use the coupons and either mail them each month with your payment, or come inside the school and put them in the black drop box on the wall by the first floor bathroom. **Please do not tote the payments to school and do not drop them in the information box located outside the school.**

Our preschool will offer many fun events and fundraisers throughout the year. We will have CPI "Spirit Nights" where various local restaurants generously offer us a portion of their profits from that night. These are great social events where you can meet other parents in your class and get to spend some time with your child's teachers! Watch future Chalkboards for details, dates, and more information.

Fundraising is a very important aspect of attending a small cooperative preschool. Fundraising dollars are more important than ever! Each year we strive to keep our tuition payments low while still enabling us to maintain our building and balance our budget. Fundraising dollars assist us in these goals. Past fundraising dollars have been directly responsible for our wonderful playground and many capital improvements to the school. This year we will be raising money throughout the year to bring up to date technology to the classroom.

On behalf of the entire board, I would like to welcome you to CPI. I look forward to working with and meeting you. If there is anything I can do to make your experience the best possible, please feel free to contact me directly at [703-405-4010](tel:703-405-4010) or kellyeignor@hotmail.com.

I look forward to a great school year. *Sincerely, Kelly*

FUNdraising

Mark your calendars for CPI's first Spirit Night! Wednesday, **September 16** at the McDonald's on Fort Drive from 5pm-8pm. Come meet the new parents, and catch up with old friends, all while helping to raise money for our school. The more people that attend the more of a percentage we will get from the proceeds; So bring your friends and family! Come join the fun and get your CPI Spirit on!



This year we're fundraising for our Tech for Tots fund, aimed at bringing science and technology into our classrooms. Microscopes, telescopes, camera for our kids to explore the world! We are going to have a great time this year with lots of FUN events, all aimed at encouraging our member families to participate and have a great time while supporting our school. Let's make this a fantastic fundraising year!

CPI Board Meeting

The next CPI Board meeting is Tuesday, September 15th @ 7pm at Centreville Library. All board meetings are open to parents and participation is encouraged. If any parent would like a copy of the meeting minutes, please contact Andrea McCoy, board secretary at secy@centrevillepreschool.com

Tuition Reminder

Tuition is due on the first day of the month. Late fees will automatically be assessed on all late payments. Additional tuition coupons are on our website at www.centrevillepreschool.com. Please drop your tuition at the preschool in the locked tuition box located inside the visitor's entrance. Or mail your payment to:

Attn: Accounting Clerk, CPI, PO Box 253, Centreville, VA 20122

Do not send tuition via tote bag! Tuition should NOT be mailed to the school's street address and NOT be placed in the "information box" located outside of the school.

Tuition checks need to be placed INSIDE the school building.

Join the CPI School Board

Being on the school board is a great way to stay connected and involved in your child's school. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact Dana Forcier at danaforcier@gmail.com.

School Bulletin Board

Are you crafty? The School Board is searching for someone to do the bulletin board in the car pool lane each month. If you are interested, please contact Megan Oris at oris.meg@gmail.com

Sick Child?

Please call the school
and leave a message
with your teacher
(703)830.5656

September:

- 12: Open House
10am-2pm
- 14/15: First week of school
- 15: Board meeting
- 16: Spirit Night @
McDonalds

October

- 1: tuition due
- 12: Columbus
Holiday

Looking Ahead:

- November 2-3:
Student holidays



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