

Family Newsletter

The Shyne School



From The Director's Desk

Here we are in the 5th week of our summer session and children are starting to settle in, bond with friends and teachers and are having fun!

I just have a few reminders and requests.

Our driveway is a hill leading up to the parking lot so cars can move a little faster to reach the top to the parking lot. **We require parents to hold children's hands in the lot until they have them secure in the car.** A little over a week ago a parent shared: *I wanted to send you a quick message about my pick up last Wednesday. When I came into the lot there was a parking spot on the south side of the lot, the rest of the lot was full. A gentleman with two little girls walked in front of me to the car in the adjacent spot and one of the girls was standing by my spot. He took the other girl (girl 2) to the other side of their truck, I assumed to get buckled in. The spot had enough space be-*

tween me and the first girl so I slowly started pulling in. I got a little ways into the spot when the second girl came running out from in front of my car. I think she ran around the back of their truck and into my spot. I didn't see her at all until she was standing next to my drivers side mirror. I think the lot slopes up slightly and the line of sight on our car wasn't great since the car was pointed up slightly. I feel like I could of easily hit her had I been going just a little faster or accelerated into the spot instead of coasting.

I am SO thankful that this parent was moving slow and that no one was hurt! Please keep children by the hand while in the parking lot until they are safely in the car or building.



We offer breakfast to students at 7:30 each morning. We are required to

follow set guidelines for all the meals and snacks we serve. Breakfast is cleared up by 7:45 AM. We ask that parents do not bring in special treats to eat in front of others such as McDonalds, donuts, sugary cereal, etc. It is hard for the others to watch them have a treat and those foods do not follow our guidelines. Please join us or have your children eat before they come for the day. The morning snack is at 9:30 AM.



PLEASE REMEMBER TO TAKE YOUR CHILD TO THEIR CLASS AND THEN COME CLOCK IN FOR THE DAY. PLEASE CLOCK OUT FOR THE DAY AND THEN PICK YOUR CHILD UP. This will eliminate the lobby congestion.

We are so glad you are here to enjoy the summer with us!

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 Director
 The Shyne School

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IMPORTANT DATES:

- July 22– Aug 5 Director on vacation—Yellowstone!
- Aug. 22-26, 30-9/2 Transition visits to new class. (New and returning call and set up visits!)
- Aug. 26th Last Day of Summer
- Aug.29 **CLOSED** T.Work.D
- Aug. 30 Full Day students Start in New Classes.
- Sept. 5 **CLOSED** Labor Day
- Sept. 6 First Day of School!

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Where Children Come First™



Snack at 5:00 PM!

If you pick up at 5:00 PM you may have children wanting to stay to eat snack.

If you stay our parking lot fills up and other parents can't pick up.

This dilemma sound familiar?

To help this evening transition run smoother we now have snacks pre-bagged for your children to take with them before they sit down.

If your child is already eating and would like to take the rest of the snack for the trip home we have some baggies.

Everything is ready for you to grab and go on the kitchen counter.



Building Partnerships

It is important to us to have good parent to teacher communication. Please feel free to e-mail teachers, keeping in mind they may not get the e-mail until their planning time or the afternoon.

If anything is time sensitive PLEASE call the school at 425-882-1981

If your child is going to be out or in later than 10 AM please call and let us know when to expect you. If your child will be out sick please call by 10AM and let us know and list the symptoms. It is required we track the symptoms for the Health Department.

Tuition Payments and Checks

As you know tuition is due at the first of the month with a 5 day grace period and a late fee added on the 6th of tuition is not received.

Some families divide their tuition in half and pay half on the first and half on the 15th, to the 20th of each month to avoid a \$25 late fee.

The Tuition Agreement in full is listed in the Parent Hand Book on Line and in The Full Registration Pack posted to the Registration Page on our web site www.shyneschool.com

Some parents submit monthly checks, some submit a stack of checks I post on the first of the month to their account and then cash and others use bill pay through their bank, that has a 7 to 10 day lead time.

No matter how you submit payment the bank uses a scanner to read the checks for my deposits. **Scanners will read all lines as a 1 so please only list the amount with no additional slashes, xx, dashes or lines.** Please just use numbers and no symbols, it really confuses the scanners and

makes depositing 60 checks a long process!

If you write /1,200./ the scanner reads it as 11,200.10—a very different amount!

If you are not use to writing checks this link may be helpful to you.

<http://www.moneymanifesto.com/how-to-write-a-check-917/>

