

RUMCK February News

* **Registration** for families of children currently enrolled at the school was completed on Friday, Jan. 26. Should we have more registrations than a class size can accommodate, we will do a simple lottery. If you did not receive your first choice, you will be contacted.

* **Class Placement:** Please note that teachers are not assigned to classes until after the current school year is completed. Contact the office if you have any concerns about your child's class placement or preference for a particular teaching style.

* **Curriculum:** The curriculum at all age levels is designed to offer a smooth transition from one year to the next, as well as to other public and private schools upon leaving RUMCK. We continuously reassess our goals and objectives for each age level. As part of our standards for Cognia accreditation, this process is reviewed annually, and curriculum unified throughout all classes.



* **Holiday:** There will be no school on Monday, Feb. 19, in honor of Presidents' Day.

* **Federal ID#:** To assist with tax preparation, our federal ID number is #58-1127568.

* **Publix Partners:** Please join as a Publix partner to help our school earn free cash. Participating is easy! Simply sign up for Club Publix or log into your existing account, click Publix Partners, and select a school. Every time you shop at Publix, pay with the Publix app or enter your phone number at checkout. The school gets credit for your shopping and that converts to cash.

* **Snow Days:** If Fulton County closes school due to inclement weather, we will close too. Delayed starts to the school day or early dismissals do not apply to our school.



* **Music with Ms. Ginny:** We enjoyed hearing many different instruments and learning songs about wintertime. The children's favorite is the "Penguin Dance." We are working on learning the colors in sign language and signing them to "The Rainbow Song." Ask your child to sign their favorite color. We are also looking forward to singing songs about valentines and God's love.

* **Creative Movement with Ms. Marissa:** February is filled with fun winter activities. We will learn new skills and play games using hula hoops and basketballs. Tumbling activities will be introduced such as forward and backward rolls and even cartwheels

for the older children. We will also work on our core strength and flexibility by practicing some new yoga moves. With love in the air, we will enjoy valentine games, including delivering cards in our speedy carts on wheels!

- * **Parents' Morning Out (PMO):** The summer program for PMO and summer camps for children ages 3-5 years will begin the day after Memorial Day, May 28. We will be open Tuesday through Friday, 9:15 am to 12:45 pm, the following weeks: May 28-31, June 4-7, June 18-21, June 25-28, July 9-12, July 16-19, July 23-26 and July 30-Aug 2. We will be closed the week of June 10 for Vacation Bible School and the week of July 4. Registration will be available on our website www.rumc.com/parents-morning-out beginning February 1. You may register for any or all of those weeks. There will be two registration forms: one for children 3 to 36 months and another for children 3 to 5 years old. Please contact Danna Coffey at dcoffey@rumc.com or 770.261.1714 with any questions.



PMO is currently looking for another teacher in the young toddler class as well as substitute teachers. Please consider joining our team or sharing this information with someone you know! A job application can be found on our webpage at www.rumc.com/parents-morning-out. We are also hiring both teens age 16 and older and adults for our summer program. They can apply at the same location.

PMO registration for the 2024-2025 is currently open at www.rumc.com/parents-morning-out for children ages 3 to 18 months and for children up to age 3 (on or before 9/1/2024) who are registered for the preschool and would like one or two additional days. Children under the age of 3 who are on a waitlist for the preschool may sign up for PMO and then transfer to the preschool as space becomes available.



- * **Vacation Bible School:** Mark your calendars for VBS scheduled June 10-13. Beginning March 1, visit www.rumc.com/rk to register. Information: Sabrina Hulse, shulse@rumc.com