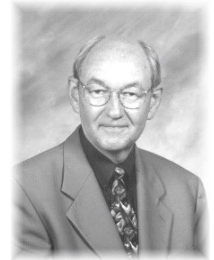




Head...lines

A periodic newsletter from your Administrator - Frank C. Rydwansky

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Welcome Back...Important News

From the Administrator...

In just a few weeks Dayspring will be back in full swing. We trust that you have enjoyed the short, but **HOT**, summer season. This first 2005-2006 edition of **Head...lines** will cover a number of reminders and things you need to know about starting the school year. This will be a **GREAT** year!

Orientation Night...

School officially begins at **6:30 pm on Tuesday, September 6th**, with the **Parent's Meeting**: intended to introduce you to our faculty and staff; tell you about the year to come; pick-up a revised Handbook and other materials; and meet your child's teacher(s) for the new year. **Wednesday, September 7th is the first full day of school.** Dayspring will run a similar holiday and vacation schedule to the Attleboro school system. School will close earlier next year on Friday, June 9th. See the latest calendar for specifics.

Faculty Changes...

We are very pleased to note the following faculty changes for 2005-2006. DCA will have two 4th grades...being taught by Keri Boynes and Christina Stanley. The 5th grade being taught by Deb Udall. All are familiar to Dayspring having taught at DCA in some capacity. We look to a great year for these enthusiastic and qualified teachers. Leah Carbary joins DCA in the "revamped" school office...welcome!

300 Club - Enrollment Incentive...

The quest for new students and growth continues. The 300 Club is still open. A number of families have already participated and will benefit with tuition reduction this year. **As a DCA family member you can receive a \$300 credit toward tuition for every new student you refer, and who enrolls at DCA. We have select openings from PreK to Grade 8 and want every seat filled. Please tell other family members and friends to call for enrollment information and to mention your name on their application. After their first month at DCA your tuition account will be credited \$300 per student.**

New for 2006 and Reminders...

- **Payments:** SMART plan and payment reminder. If you haven't completed the initial payment cycle: registration, book & curriculum fee, not started the SMART payment cycle, have any SMART payment questions, or owe \$'s from day care...see Darlene immediately.
- **Drop-off/Pick-up changes:** There will be some traffic pattern and pick-up changes to improve flow and safety. A separate notice will be sent outlining the process. For the first day of school Grades 1 to 8 teachers will be outside to greet students. We ask that only PreK and K parents enter the building on our first morning. Thank you!
- **Medical Issues:** Please notify Karen Milton – Nurse immediately of any medical issues or needs as we want to be mindful from on the first day.
- **Lunch Program:** DCA will offer a lunch program beginning on Monday, September 12th. Complete information will be sent separately. We will try to offer cost-effective variety.
- **Scrip Program:** As the year begins you will hear about a great program that all families can participate in that will help in tuition reduction and funding the new playground project. It's called Scrip and works as you make purchases at local stores. More information to come...
- **Calendar and Organization:** At Parent Night you will receive a firm calendar and faculty/staff organizational chart with contact information, including voice mail extensions and email addresses.
- **Website:** Very soon you will be able to get all school information at: www.dayspringag.org
- **Class Assignments:** You will receive a postcard from your child's teacher for the new year. We have tried to accommodate any placement requests...teacher recommendations take priority.