

# The Week in Review: May 22, 2008

This week we rehearsed our play, worked on a backdrop, and discussed our costume needs for next week. In math, we reviewed a number of the concepts we've learned about this year (money, time, etc.)

## FYI:

1. On the page that follows is a copy of our Shared Reading piece for this past week. Please print it out and encourage your child to read it to / with you.
2. As most of you know by now, we're having an **end-of-the-year celebration** on **Friday, May 30<sup>th</sup>**. The **festivities will begin at 11:15 a.m.** **The kids will act out a play for you that they wrote themselves! Please be ON TIME.** Many a tear has been shed by kindergartners who fall apart when parents are running late and the performance has to start without them. Don't let it happen to your child. (How's that for some guilt?!) Thanks.
3. **Following the play, we'll have a pizza lunch.** I posted two sign-up sheets this morning:
  - One asking for the number of family members planning to eat pizza (Cost is \$3.50 per person)
  - One asking for some extra food / drinks to go along with our pizzaPlease sign up! Thanks.
4. Just one more reminder – **School ends at 12:30 p.m. on that last day (Friday, May 30<sup>th</sup>)**. After our party, the kindergarten class will close so that Allen and I can tear down the room in preparation for summer camp. **Please be sure to make other childcare arrangements for your child. Thanks.**
5. Also, **on the Thursday before school ends (May 29<sup>th</sup>)**, **EVERYTHING must be removed from your child's cubby – even if your child is signed up for summer camp.** The cubbies will be cleaned and reassigned. Please take EVERYTHING home with you. Thanks.
6. I think I've talked to most of you about your child's costume needs for next week. Please bring your child's costume in tomorrow (Friday) if possible so that we can begin our dress rehearsals. (If you need a few extra days, Tuesday will be fine!) Thanks.
7. We have over 200 **photos on our class camera that I'd like to have developed** so that we can share them with you. In order to do that, **I'm asking each family to pitch in \$3.00 to cover the cost.** Allen has volunteered to get them developed this weekend, so please send in money tomorrow (Friday) if possible. Thanks!
8. Child's Day will be closed on Monday for Memorial Day.

## Thank you, thank you, thank you!

I can't tell you how much I've enjoyed working with you and your children this year. I never cease to be amazed by the level of support that Child's Day families offer the teachers. You're wonderful! Thanks for a great year!

I'm really going to miss your kids. Please keep in touch after we all go our separate ways. Send me a periodic e-mail to tell me how you're doing. I love to hear from my former students and their families.

# Big

Now I can catch and  
throw a ball

And spell

Cat, Dog,

And Pig.

I have finished being small

And started

Being Big.

**By Dorothy Aldis**