

# Chapelwood Chalkboard



Chapelwood School for Young Children  
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**September 2011**  
 "Happy and Healthy Children"  
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"Healthy Happy Children...Life is good! This is our school wide theme this year at Chapelwood. What a fantastic start we have had to this year! It was so good to meet all our new families and to see our returning families during our parent orientations. I am always amazed at how much the children have grown in just a few short weeks. We will continue to share our weekly email blast with each of you to keep you posted on events and deadlines. This year our newsletter will be sent via email in a PDF format to each of you. Please take time to read about all the special events of the month.

One of the trainings all our teachers received this summer was "Love and Logic" to use in the classroom setting. It is a training that adds quality to their life as well as the students. If you get a chance to attend a workshop offered on this I think you will really enjoy the strategies taught to help the child adapt to their environment and make the best choices.

We will be using our iPad 2's in the classrooms to enrich our curriculum. If you know of any apps that you think might be beneficial for school, please share the names with us. We will continue to provide great enrichment activities for the children. They will have the opportunity to enjoy the garden, yoga, games, chapel, music, Spanish, motor and art. Thank you again for sending us your precious children. We take our responsibility very seriously and will continue to enrich your children's lives with educational experiences that they will always remember.

I am looking forward to another great year!

Carolyn Park- School Administrator [cpark@chapelwoodschool.org](mailto:cpark@chapelwoodschool.org)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**1st Day of School** 9/6

**PTO Meeting at** 9/7  
**9:15 in CB208**

**Parent Volunteer** 9/14 &  
**Training** 9/20

**Deadline for Ads** 9/23  
**in Directory**

**School Pictures** 9/26-  
 9/29

**Oct. tuition due** 10/1  
 (late @ 2:30pm 10/7)

**Chapel is EVERY**  
**week on**  
**Wednesday**



Welcome to the 2011-2012 School year at Chapelwood School for Young Children. Everyone is always filled with emotion when starting something new and so as we begin our new year you may have lots of tears and smiles, both from your child and yourself. Take a deep breath and know it will be ok.

We are off to a great start and ready for the best year ever. Thanks to everyone for attending the orientations last week. Please feel free to contact me if I can ever help with any questions, comments, concerns or compliments!

Amy J. Hinnant- Preschool Director [ahinnant@chapelwoodschool.org](mailto:ahinnant@chapelwoodschool.org)

**Parent Volunteer Training**  
 2 chances for training

**Wednesday, September 14th @**  
 9:15am

**Wednesday September 20th @**  
 6pm  
 In CB 208

**WELCOME**  
**BACK**



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 ★ Hello Infant/Toddler /Twos families!  
 ★ I am so excited to welcome you all to our school. We have some awesome new things going on this year that are going to make it an exciting one. Please make sure to take the opportunity to attend one of the volunteer training sessions this month. You will want to be able to join in all the fun!  
 ★ If you are bringing your little one for the first time and are afraid of the tears, please know that we will shower them with love and understanding during their adjustment period. It usually only takes about 2-3 weeks before the routine is learned and they are happy to be here.  
 ★ Elizabeth Tomczeszyn-Infant/Toddler/ Twos Director [etomczeszyn@chapelwoodschool.org](mailto:etomczeszyn@chapelwoodschool.org)  
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# *Reading is Out of This World!*

## *Book Fair 2011*

hosted by  
Chapelwood School for Young Children PTO

October 4th, 5th and 6th from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the East Room

- \*Book fair also open at the during the school's open house on Tuesday, October 4, 5:30 –7:30pm
- \*Books for adults, as well as for children of all ages, including a selection of Christian books
- \*Books can even be purchased for donation to our School Library (Library "Wish List" will be available)



Volunteers are needed for  
Publicity  
Teacher Wish Lists  
Readers and Characters  
Cashiers  
Set up and Take Down

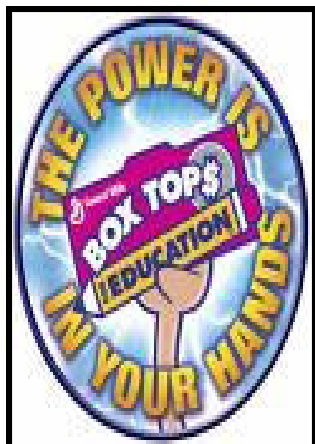
Please volunteer at  
[www.sinupgenius.com/go/book463](http://www.sinupgenius.com/go/book463)



**Questions? Contact Chairmen for the Book Fair**  
**Kelly Autenreith at [kellyautenreith@att.net](mailto:kellyautenreith@att.net)**  
**Katherine Silberman at [ksilberman@gmail.com](mailto:ksilberman@gmail.com)**

**Visit our school website**

**[www.chapelwoodschool.org](http://www.chapelwoodschool.org)**



**Save the DATES!!**

October 4th Family Open House and Book Fair

October 26th Scarecrow Festival

November 3rd School Wide Silent Auction and Dinner  
at The Forest Club

*Interested in advertising your business or wishing your child a fun year?*

Then consider buying an ad in the

**2011-2012  
Chapelwood School for Young Children  
School Directory**

**Sizes/Prices**

1/4 page \$25

1/2 page \$50

Full page \$100

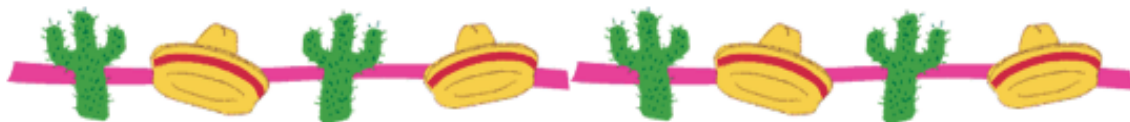
*Ad Deadline 9-23-11*

Email Laura Remkes your file in a pdf format to  
[lremkes@chapelwoodschool.org](mailto:lremkes@chapelwoodschool.org)



*Save the Date for the 3rd Annual  
Chapelwood School  
Silent Auction & Dinner  
Fiesta at The Forest Club*

*Thursday, November 3, 2011  
6:30-9:30*



*We need your help to make our auction a success!  
Vacation homes, sporting event tickets, gift certificate, one of a  
kind experiences, and more will ensure this successful event and  
provide a great service to the improvement of our children's school.*

*Underwriters & volunteers are also welcome and greatly  
appreciated!*

*Please contact Natasha Balette (nbalette@earthlink.net) with your  
donations or questions. Thank you!*