

# The Friday Flyer

## Charles Towne Montessori School

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### Calendar

September 18- Parent Association meeting at CTMS, 6:30 pm

September 18- Picture Day: Infants, Toddler (Rhonda), Elementary (Mr. O'Loughlin) and Erin's classrooms. No uniforms.

September 19- Picture Day: Toddler (Audrey), Mary Margaret and Jennifer's classrooms. No uniforms.

September 27- Montessori Education Night, CTMS, 6:30 pm

September 28- Family Visit, CTMS, 10:30-12:00 pm.  
**School Closes at 12:00 pm**

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### Montessori Moment

**"Mom and Dad, I did the pink tower today!"- "The pink what?"**

The Pink Tower is a work that is done mainly by our 3 and 4 year old children. It consists of ten graduated wooden cubes, usually painted pink that are stacked in sequence to form the Pink Tower. The child identifies incremental decrease in size in three dimensions. Several activities isolate the mathematical comparison in the size of the cubes to each other. Vocabulary: The positive, comparative, and superlative of "large" and "small."

Want to know more? The Office has a few copies of The Pink What? A Reference Guide for Parents of Charles Towne Montessori School.

## On Our Calendar

In the next day or two, you will receive a very important document titled, "Addendum to Handbook" which relates to the privacy of student files. CTMS is in the process of licensing renewal by the Department of Social Services. This form is now required for admission into any licensed child-care facility and must be returned to the office by **Tuesday, September 18th**. Thank you for your prompt response to this request.

We hope to have a School Directory ready by the end of the month. We appreciate your patience on this matter as our classrooms continue to settle in to meet the educational needs of our children.

Look for more information on the Montessori Education Night and the Family Visit in next week's Flyer.

### Office Notes

#### Forms

Please help us keep our records up to date by completing and returning all required forms to the Office as soon as possible.

#### Fire! Fire!

Just testing...our fire alarm system that is. We will be conducting "fire drills" during the coming weeks and wanted you to be prepared to hear about them at



Cezanne

At CTMS, lunch is both a social and a nutritious experience. We encourage you to "try this at home" by involving your child/children in both selecting healthy foods and preparing (or assisting with) their own lunch. We value the importance of nutrition in a child's development.

#### Thank you to:

David Moore for lending his computer expertise to the CTMS Office.

Carla Lathbury for assisting in the Office and both the Toddler and Infant environments.

home.

#### Security Gate

We are in process of securing our entrance to ensure a safer environment for our children. If you need the access code or have any questions or comments, please call the Office.

#### Studio Programs

Some of the Studio Programs have begun and may still be accepting

## Fundraising

**Sally Foster Fundraiser packets are due in the Office.**

**Remember to add 7.5% Sales Tax to your order.**

Did you know? Family and friends can continue to order Sally Foster online ([www.sallyfoster.com](http://www.sallyfoster.com)) until January 15th and CTMS will receive credit for their order.

Find out more about easy ways to support our school by attending the Parent Association meeting September 18th.

#### In case you were wondering...

There are a limited number of spaces available in our programs. If you know a family who would like to learn more about the benefits of a Montessori Education at CTMS, please have them give us a call.

registrations. If interested, please contact the Studio Program directly for more information. Little Picasso begins the first week of October.

#### Milk Program

This year, CTMS is offering Coburg 2% milk for our children. The Program can be purchased either by semester or by the year. Please get your forms in now and call the office with any questions.

