

## *April Monthly Update, 2009*

*We always thank God for all of you, mentioning you in our prayers. We continually remember before our God and Father your work produced by faith, your labor prompted by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ.  
I Thessalonians 1:2-3*

*Dear Parents,*

*We are near the end of another school year and I am very thankful for our families, our leaders, and our teachers. As I talk to some of you, these seem to be days of laboring and enduring prompted by your love. Your love for Christ and your children inspires you to endure. I hope that your child's participation in classes at Deerstream has encouraged you to press on in the schooling of your children and has inspired your child to love Christ and learning so that we all, "become imitators of the Lord..."*

*Below are the reminders for the month of April:*

**Informal picnic:** Monday, April 6, 12:15-1:15. Please go through the pick up line and then join your friends on the playground.

**Board meeting:** Monday, April 6, please contact Kelli Schaad for more information.  
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**Easter break:** Monday, April 13 and Wednesday, April 15, NO MORNING OR AFTERNOON CLASSES. Classes will resume on Monday, April 20.

**End-of-the-Year picnic:** Wednesday, April 29, 12:30-2:00. Please pick up your children and join the Deerstream community at Forest Hills Park for our potluck picnic. More details to follow in an email by April 20. There are no afternoon sessions on the day of the picnic.

**2009-10 Wednesday afternoon sessions:** At this time, plans for our Wednesday afternoon sessions are coming together nicely. We will offer Café and Play and afternoon classes from 12:15-2:15. The classes we will offer are, Introduction to Spanish Language and Culture, Art, Math Connections, and Field Games. Registration for the afternoon offerings will be Wednesday, May 6 from 9:15-10:15 at the Bible Church. More information about costs, course descriptions, age ranges for each class, and additional classes will be announced in a reminder email near the end of April.

*"Perseverance must finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything." James 1:4*

*Blessings and peace in Christ,  
Amy Chauncey*

***Coming Soon!*** The 3<sup>rd</sup> annual display of art and special projects will be on Monday, May 11 and Wednesday, May 13. You will receive an email invitation from your child's teacher if they are participating. Please feel free to invite grandparents, friends and families interested in homeschooling. More info to follow in the May Monthly Update.