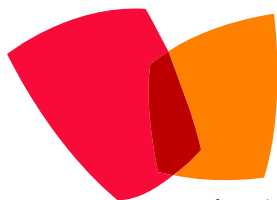


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# Buckhead Prep

*preparing Atlanta's preschoolers for a lifetime love of learning*

*To Our Families:*

What a wonderful time we are having this year at Buckhead Prep! We are so grateful that you have given us an opportunity to work with your children. We are so blessed to be able to work with them and help them develop each day. We encourage the children to become increasingly independent and watch them delight in their accomplishments, however small. Each year, I quote one of my favorite children's books, written by the actress, Jamie Lee Curtis. In it, the little girl who is narrating laments, "I have all this stuff and nothing to do." Give them a break from their toys and television and engage with them this busy holiday. Talk to them—even if they do not use many words yet. Let them help you with small chores—and stand by to help them complete them if need be. Enjoy all of the small pleasures—and each other. Happy holidays!!



**Please mark your calendars . . .**

## *Tree Lighting at the Governor's Mansion*

Sunday, December 6, 6:00 p.m.

All Buckhead Prep families are invited to meet at the Georgia Governor's Mansion for the annual Holiday Tree Lighting. The event includes live music, the tree lighting at 6:30 p.m., a tour of the main floor of the beautifully decorated mansion, followed by refreshments in the lower level. This wonderful family event is free.

## *Dads and Doughnuts Day*

Friday, December 11, 8:45 a.m.

All dads are invited to drop their children off in carpool, park, and then join their children in the classroom at 8:45 for Dads and Doughnuts Day. The children will enjoy a fun snack while dads enjoy coffee followed by 15 minutes of group time. The event should end by 9:15 in time for dad to get on with the day!

## *Reminders:*

***School Photos:*** These beautiful proofs are posted at [www.muddyfaces.com](http://www.muddyfaces.com) until December 1!!!

***Semester Break:*** Friday, December 18, 11:30 a.m. Classes resume Tuesday, January 5, 2010.

***Re-enrollment for existing students and siblings for 2010-2011 school year:*** Begins December 1—January 31, 2010 deadline. Open enrollment to new students begins on February 1.

**For complete school information:** go to [www.buckheadprep.com](http://www.buckheadprep.com) and choose "parents' page."