

NOVEMBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

Room #104 - Mrs. Jordan

Dear Parents,

*I hope everyone has a fun and safe Halloween.

*The weather is starting to change. Please send warm clothes for going outside as we go out everyday.

* The children are getting really good at recognizing their name and hanging up their things by themselves.

Themes:

- Building with Shapes
- Opposites/ Rhymes
- Thanksgiving

Calendar Dates:

Nov. 7th - Tuesday

Shape page due & Preschool
T-shirt day

Nov. 8th -Wednesday

Show & Tell (Something that
starts w/ B, K or D)

Nov. 9th - Thursday

Music

Nov. 13th, 14th & 15th-

Fall Conferences (after
school)

Nov. 16th - Thursday

Charlie Brown's Thanksgiving
with all classes

Nov. 20th - Nov. 23rd

Pre-school closed

Nov. 23rd - Happy

Thanksgiving

Walking through the alphabet

We will be learning the alphabet throughout the year. We will look for the letters in our classroom, in books and magazines as well as talking about how each letter sounds. We will focus on words that begin with the letter we are working on. This month we will focus on the letters B, K and D.

Conferences

I will be offering conferences after school on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Nov. 13th-15th. This conference will focus on how your child is adjusting to preschool and will be 15 minutes in length. This conference is optional, so if you would like one please sign up on the form in the classroom by the door. If you choose not to come in, you will receive a copy of the conference form in your classroom mail box. Reminder: Your child does not attend the conference.

Show & Tell / Sharing Day

Wednesday, November 8th will be our next show & tell day. Since our letters of the month are B, K and D please have your child bring something that starts with an B, K or D. We will talk about the name of what they brought and how the letter sounds. Show & tell is once a month, usually on the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

Shape book

We will be making a book about shapes. I will send a note home about the project. The children can pick any shape they want, find objects that are that shape, cut them out and glue them onto a piece of paper. (8 ½ x 11). Please return your page when done, but no later than Tuesday, Nov. 7th.

Corduroy

Corduroy has started his adventures with our classmates. So far he has been to Cecelia & Greta's houses and it sounds like he is having fun. Corduroy comes to your house for a weekend to stay with you, have fun and don't forget to take him with you on any adventures you may go on. I will give you a page that you can draw or put a picture on and then tell a little about what Corduroy did with your family. Have fun.

Happy Birthday

No birthday's this month.

We will be celebrating each child's birthday as close as we can to their day (or $\frac{1}{2}$ birthday, if their birthday is in the summer). Your child may bring a special birthday treat for snack that day. Many parents like to come on that day to have snack with the class and read a story of your child's choosing before we go outside. Please let me know if you would like to come. Thanks.

Dramatic Play - Grocery Store

Beginning Wednesday, Nov. 1st our dramatic play area will become a "Grocery Store". Please bring a couple of non-perishable food items for the children to use in the store, (no glass please). We will talk about food shelves and donate the food to a local food shelf when we are done. Some old grocery receipts for the store would be great too. The children will get a chance to pretend to be a customer, cashier, bagger or stock worker.

Charlie Brown's Thanksgiving

On Thursday, Nov. 16th we will be having a Charlie Brown Thanksgiving with all the other classes. Everyone will be contributing to our feast. There will be a note by the door to pick something to bring, Charlie Brown had an interesting feast as you can see by what the choices are.

Thank You

- Thanks to Debbie (Charlie's mom) for making our class friend's book, It is wonderful and it sounds like the families are enjoying looking at it.
- Thanks to Ken (Nikolai's grandfather) & Ken (Charlie's dad) for helping with woodworking. The children had a great time and were very proud of the creations they made.
- Thanks to Debbie (Charlie's mom) & Leigh Max's mom) for being chaperones on our fieldtrip to the Apple Orchard.
- Thanks to Debbie (Charlie's mom) for helping out at our Halloween party.

Be sure to let me know if you have any questions,
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HAPPY THANKSGIVING

