



October Newsletter 2015

Hello Bear Families,

It seems impossible that our first month of school has gone by so fast! The children have made great strides in developing new friendships and achieving more social independence. We are very pleased at how well all the children have adapted to their new environment.

We jump right into October, which kicks off all the fun holiday events coming in the next few months. It is an especially fun time of the year and we look forward to welcoming fall.

Please remember that we will be having school pictures on Tuesday October 27th and Wednesday October 28th. Have your children dress their best for these two days.

Our first unit for the month will be "Transportation". For this unit, the children will be learning about different forms of transportation and how we go from one place to another. Our second unit will be "Farm/Apples". We will talk with the children about life on the farm. Who works there? What kind of animals are on a farm? "Day and Night" will be our third unit for the month. During this unit we will be having a Pajama Party on Tuesday October 20th and on Wednesday October 21st. Please have your children wear their P.J.s to school on these days, plus their tennis shoes. Our final unit will be "Let's Pretend/Halloween". We will be making fun Halloween art activities and yummy snacks during this fun-filled week.

Our annual Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, October 24th from 12:00pm to 2:00pm. This is a wonderful event filled with great fall activities for the children. Information about the Fall Festival event and volunteer information will be sent home within the next few weeks.

Lastly, we will be having our Story Book Character Dress-Up Day on Friday, October 30st. Your child should come to school dressed as his/her favorite story book character. Remember to bring the book! We will be reading them that morning in class. Also we will be having a Halloween party on this day as well. Look for a sign up.

Chapel days with Mrs. Carter will be on Friday, October 2nd, Thursday, October 8th, Friday, October 16th, Thursday October 22nd, and Friday, October 30th. Our T-shirt days will be on Friday, October 2nd and Thursday, October 15th.

Our Spirit Night at Stevi B's will be on Thursday, October 1st. This is a great fundraiser for our school.

Happy Birthday to Robert, on the 9th, Rylan, on the 18th, Jackson, on the 24th, and Carson on the 27th.

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