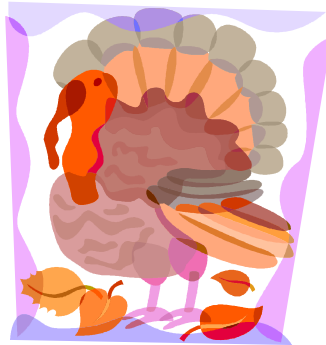


Mrs. Schubloom's Preschool News

November 2011



Happy November to everyone! Where does the time go? It's hard to believe that Thanksgiving is just around the corner. I am having so much fun watching the children's friendships grow in the classroom. They have all been doing a fabulous job with their social skills. They are wonderful at taking turns, sharing, and using their words to work situations out. It is such a pleasure to be their teacher!

November's Learning Themes:

(The Seven Continents) We will be learning about the seven continents and the different animal habitats that are found on each of them. We will jump from forests to jungles to deserts and grasslands. As always, I tie letters, sounds, numbers, and colors into each unit so the children are learning in an "academically fun" way. If we haven't packed enough into the month of November, we will also be celebrating a "Charlie Brown" Thanksgiving with all of the classes on Wednesday, November 16th. Volunteers will be needed so be sure to check the Parent Information board just inside the classroom.

Farmer Nelson:

There will be a real turkey at preschool on Thursday, November 17th. Farmer Nelson will bring his pet turkey to preschool for an "In School Fieldtrip". It is sure to be an exciting day and a great end to learning about different animals and their habitats.

Woodworking:

I am looking for 2 - 3 parents to help with woodworking on Tuesday, November 15th (**AM class**- 9:00am - 10:00 am & **PM class**- 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm). You will be helping the children build a simple project with hammers, nails, wood, glue and imaginations☺ No previous woodworking experience is needed. The sign-up sheet will be just inside the classroom.

Show and Tell Day:

Our next show and tell day is Thursday, November 10th. Since we will be learning about animal habitats, our show and tell theme for this month will be "animals". Please have your child bring **one** favorite stuffed animal (or toy animal) to share on the 10th for show and tell. The children were such quiet, respectful listeners for our October show and tell day- it was great to see.

Fall Conferences (Mon(11/14) & Fri(11/18):

I am looking forward to meeting with each of you personally to discuss the growth of your child. If you would like to meet, please sign up for a conference time on the sign-up sheet on top of the mail bins. I will be sending home a questionnaire for you and your child to complete prior to our conference. The conference will be about 15 minutes. Please arrange for childcare for your child during this time so we can focus on our discussion. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thank You:

Thanks to all who attended the Halloween program. The kids were so excited and I think they did a fantastic job!

Dates to Remember:

- November 3- Coffee & Book orders due
- November 8- Lunch Bunch Sign Up
- November 10- Show & Tell Day (Animal Theme)
- November 15- Woodworking
- November 16- Charlie Brown Thanksgiving Celebration
- November 17- Farmer Nelson's Turkey
- November 14 & 18- Conferences
- November 22 -24- No School (Thanksgiving Break)
- November 26- Happy Birthday Kate!!!

As always, if you have any questions or concerns please let me know.
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~Suzy Schubloom~