

November
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WEE KNOW SCHOOL

"A preschool experience providing quality early childhood education in a loving environment!"

As the trees lose their leaves, we know it's time to say good-bye to the beautiful fall we've had. With Thanksgiving around the corner, we'll focus on family, and of course, turkeys! Please make sure your child is dressed for outside play each day and if needed, update your extra clothes bag with season appropriate items. Parent/Teacher conferences will be held this month – more info on dates and sign-up information in your class news. Wee Know will be closed on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 28th & 29th for the Thanksgiving holiday.

INDEPENDENCE SKILLS

As the school year progresses our teachers encourage independent skills as the children are ready. Presently, upon arrival they hang up their coats and bring lunches/water bottles to the designated classroom area. Throughout the day they are learning to do many things on their own.... hand washing, bathroom procedures, after play and lunch clean-up, etc. We ask parents to encourage these tasks at home. It may take a bit more time, however, the overall pride of accomplishing these skills builds confidence in each child which is very important in their overall development!

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Throughout the month classes will hold parent-teacher conferences. Please watch your email for a Sign-Up Genius invitation to reserve a date and time to meet with your child's teacher. Our teachers look forward to meeting with you to discuss your child's social and emotional adjustment. Conferences will be 15 minutes in length and are optional. Check the classroom calendar on the back of this newsletter for conference dates. *Please note that class will be in session on these days.

CANARY NEWS

from Ms. Kris, Ms. Emma & Ms. Sam



This October Super Canaries had an excellent time learning about Fall which included Farms, Apples, Pumpkins and Spiders. We love collecting leaves, raking leaves, throwing leaves and jumping in huge leaf piles! Everyone seems to love our special cooking days which included smoothies, peanut butter apples and pumpkin muffins! Our class enjoys being outside and we really have a great collection of walnuts, Horse Chestnuts, acorns, pinecones, milkweed seeds and leaves.

The Canaries like to be creative and paint with all sorts of things including pinecones, marbles, and forks! Our artwork is kid created and often takes several steps to complete. The Canaries are free to express how they see the world through their art.

Favorite activities this month included meeting the Fire Fighters and getting to go in the Fire Truck. We learned that Fire Fighters are our friends. Another favorite was the pumpkin patch. The Canaries love walking on the hay bales, picking out their pumpkins and using jack-o-lantern pails to pick up leaves.

NOVEMBER TOPIC & ACTIVITIES

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November is all about coming together and being thankful! The Super Canaries classroom has grown, and we need to learn how to be a Friend. The first week we will be reading books about friends, making friendship bracelets and practicing characteristics of a good friend. We will even make a friendship fruit salad! Next, we will talk about our families and why we are thankful. As we focus on Thanksgiving, we will of course learn all about turkeys! We will make turkeys out of pinecones, paint turkeys and practice the turkey dance. To celebrate Thanksgiving, we will cook something special as a class.

CANARY CONFERENCES

Chickadee parent/teacher conferences are set for Tuesday, Nov. 19th and Wednesday, Nov. 20th to meet with Kris Trainer. During these conferences we will share a brief report indicating how your child is adjusting to the group setting at school focusing on social-emotional development. Look for an email to sign up for a date and time through Sign-Up Genius. If these dates don't work, please contact Ms. Kris to set an appointment. Class will be held as usual on these days.

DRESS FOR THE WEATHER

Cool weather is here! Jackets and/or heavy sweaters are necessary, especially at our early outside time. Hats and mittens are recommended, as well. Mittens are easier and preferred. When the snow flies, boots and snow pants will be required to play outside. **Remember to label all clothing and both boots!!** Teachers will be checking your child’s extra clothing in their white cubby baskets. It should be changed to warmer clothes and include underwear, pants, shirt and socks.



Reminder...Wee Know is closed Thursday and Friday, November 28th and 29th for Thanksgiving.

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Happy Halloween			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> COSTUME PARTY! PIZZA LUNCH </div>		School snack	
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Friends 	Lily	Jordan	Carter	Braeden	Loys	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Family 	Ceci	Nevaeh	Mila	Cooking Day	Claire	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Thanksgiving 	Charlotte	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Parent-Teacher Conferences </div>		Happy Birthday Graham! 	James	
		Elsie	Graham	Sophie		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Thanksgiving 	Leo	Auggie	Cooking Day		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Wee Know Closed </div>	

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