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We're heading into our second month of the school year with everyone settling into their new classroom. Saying good-bye to mom or dad at drop off has gotten easier, the children are eager to engage in the day's activities, and new friendships are being formed. Below you will find your classroom newsletter with all the details of what is happening in October. Happy Fall Y'all!

#### **FIRE DEPARTMENT VISITS**

We are fortunate each fall to have the Lake Country Fire Dept. visit our school. Children learn about fire safety and get an up-close look at a firetruck and ambulance. They will return on Thursday, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> for those who missed the September visit.

#### PICTURE DAYS - OCT. 10 & 11

More information will be sent out soon!

#### EBERT'S FIELD TRIPS – Oct. 17-19

3K and 4K classes will travel by bus on this first field trip of the school year. Chaperones are welcome! More details in your classroom news.

### "WEE KNOW" TOTE BAGS!

Plan early for the winter weather. We've got the perfect <u>waterproof</u> bag for those snow pants, scarves, mittens and boots! They are available in Royal Blue and Red. Cost is \$8.00 for one or \$15.00 for two! Samples bags are available at our entrances. Just let our greeter know if you would like to purchase one.



# **ROBIN NEWS**

from Mrs. Barker & Ms. Becki

We are getting acquainted very nicely in the Robin room. The children have been busy making new friends, learning classroom rules, settling into our Robin routine, and best of all...having lots of fun together! Our classroom is filled with active, happy children! The focus in September was listening and following directions. We will continue to reinforce and practice these skills with all the children in large and small group settings. We will also continue working on "self-help" skills such as toileting, hand washing, putting on their own jackets and unpacking their lunchboxes.

We wrapped up September with a visit from the fire department on Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>. We'll have a practice fire drill at school to learn what we do in case of a fire. Ask your child to demonstrate "stop, drop and roll." Don't forget to double check your smoke detectors (changing the batteries with the daylight savings time change is an easy way to remember). Be sure to practice a family fire drill and set up a safe meeting place plan.

### **PUMPKIN FARM FIELD TRIP**

On <u>Thursday, October 19th</u>, we will travel by bus to Ebert's Greenhouse Village, departing from Wee Know at 9:20am. A "Sign Up Genius" link has already been emailed. We will enjoy a story, special craft project, and hayride to the pumpkin patch where the children will pick out a pumpkin to bring home. All children are invited to attend. Chaperones are welcome to join us.

Please send/bring a pillowcase or strong bag clearly labeled with your child's name for carrying home that special pumpkin and a lunch with drink box in a disposable lunch bag (please no lunchboxes). We plan to return to Wee Know by 12:30 pm. Please sign up by Thursday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>.

#### **OCTOBER HIGHLIGHTS**

Shape: SQUARE Number: THREE (3) Color: ORANGE/ANARANJADO

#### October 2-6 <u>FIRE SAFETY AND PREVENTION; "Cc"</u>

We will gently introduce fire safety for home and school at a comfortable level for your child. Our classroom will feature dramatic play and large motor opportunities for fighting fires and practicing "stop, drop and roll."

#### October 9-13 FALL LEAVES, "Dd"



Let's talk about the fall theme with the change in the weather, and nature around us by taking a closer look at leaves and their changing colors! We'll investigate **why** they change colors and **how** many types of leaves fall from trees right in Wee Know's backyard!

#### October 16-20 PUMPKINS "Ee"

We will investigate pumpkins vs. jack-o-lanterns this week in the Robin class. We will visit Ebert's Pumpkin Farm for some fall fun on Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup>!

#### October 23-31

#### HALLOWEEN FUN, "Ff"



Learning finger plays and songs about Halloween as well as fun activities will be our focus through the end of the month.

## PARENT'S NIGHT HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION

On Tuesday, October 24<sup>th</sup> we are planning a very special Costume Party at school from 6:00-7:00pm. It is our hope that the Robin child(ren) along with one grownup will come dressed in costumes (no scary masks or weapons please). You will have an opportunity to play and experience process art with your child(ren) and have a sweet treat before we finish the evening. Class will be held as usual on this day. Invitation out soon!

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6:00-7:00pm

Halloween

Halloween

**Snack** 

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**Brooks** 

Nov. 1

**Paisley** 

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Happy Birthday

Jack!

Jack

**Applesauce** 

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