

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

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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 waterproof 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.



# CARDINAL NE

from Mrs. Carr, Mr. Peter & Ms. Anne

We are getting acquainted very nicely in the Cardinal room. The children have been busy making new friends, learning classroom rules, settling into our Cardinal 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, and putting on their own jackets. Bring on the pumpkins, colorful leaves, and cute Halloween costumes!

### **PUMPKIN FARM FIELD TRIP**

On **Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>**, 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 a pillowcase or strong bag clearly labeled with your child's name for carrying home that special pumpkin as well as a lunch in a disposable bag and a drink box (please no lunchboxes). Weplan to return to Wee Know by 12:30 pm. Please sign up by Thursday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>.

## **OCTOBER HIGHLIGHTS**

**Shape**: Square, Triangle, Oval & Rectangle **Number**: 2, 3, 4, 5 **Color**: Orange/Yellow/Green/Black

October 2-6	<u>Fall Fun; "Bb"</u>
<b>N</b>	As the weather gets cooler and the leaves change, we will learn about all things Autumn.
200	The children will create fall wreaths, paint sunflowers and explore science items such as
and the second second	leaves acorns, pinecones, and pumpkins. We will focus on letter "B", the shape "square,"
🤝 7 <b>%</b>	and the color "orange".
October 9-13	Fire Safety; "Cc"
	It's time to put on our hats, boots and jackets and talk about our friends, the Firefighters!
	They help keep us safe and show us how to prevent fires. We will also learn how to "Stop,
	Drop, and Roll!"
October 16-20	PUMPKINS "Dd"
	We will be talking about all things pumpkins this week and explore what we can do with
	them. We will visit Ebert's pumpkin farm on Tuesday, Oct 17 <sup>th</sup> .

#### HALLOWEEN FUN, "Ee"



This is a very exciting time for our 3 & 4 year old's as they will enjoy a variety of Halloween stories, art and activities related to trick-or-treating, jack-o-lanterns, bats and cats, and even a little creepy, crawly & silly sensory play!

# CARDINAL HALLOWEEN PARTY

Children can wear costumes to school on Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. Our class will have a pizza lunch, so no lunch will be needed from home on this day. Cost will be \$5.00 per child. Please put your money in an envelope labeled with your child's name and return it to school in your RED folder. We check children's these daily. Children who do not normally attend on Tuesday may add or trade a day that week to attend. Please schedule this change with our office.

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Looking Ahead: FALL CONFERENCES: November TBD Concentration of the second secon							
Sunday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	<b>Thursday</b> 5	Friday 6	Saturday 7	
Fall Fun "Bb"	L		-	Fire Department visit 9-11am			
	Maxie	James	William	Emmett	Cody		
8 Fire Safety "Cc"	9	10 PICTUR	11 E DAYS	12	13	14	
	Mrs. Carr birthday snack	Avery	Peter	Cooking Day	Finn		
15 Pumpkins "Dd"	16	17 Ebert's Pumpkin Farm 9:20-12:30	18	19	20	21 Happy Birthday	
	Easton	School snack	Owen	Ally	Lucy		
22 Halloween Fun A-D Review	23	24	25	26	27	28	
	Ben	Jackson G.	Cooking Day	Jane	Cooper		
29 Halloween & Community Helpers "Ee"	30 Jackson M.	31 HALLOWEEN PARTY Pizza Lunch	Nov. 1	2	3	4	