

WEE KNOW SCHOOL

This April we celebrate the 50th anniversary of "Week of the Young Child" (April 4-8). We have a variety of activities planned throughout this special week. Later this month "Great Scott" will present an amazing and entertaining magic show for all classes, and on Earth Day we'll focus on our planet and how to keep it healthy!

WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD" APRIL 4-8, 2022

"Week of the Young Child" is a nationally recognized week set aside to celebrate young children and to bring issues about their care and education into the public spotlight. It is a time to show support for teachers and other professionals who provide programs and services for children. We also want to create opportunities to educate everyone about the responsibility of ensuring a healthy future for our children and our communities.

* Monday Masterpiece Monday: Children will create a collaborative piece with a special guest artist.

* Tuesday Tasty Tuesday: Let's make dirt cake for snack.

* Wednesday "Get Out & Play": Wear your Wee Know shirt

* Thursday Hero Day & Popcorn at dismissal: Come dressed as your favorite hero! (Ex. Spider man, police

officer, mom)

* Friday Pajama Day: Come in your favorite PJs, slippers, and bring a stuffed animal.

WEE KNOW EASTER EGG HUNTS

Our playground will be filled with colorful candy filled eggs for our Egg Hunts on April 13th & 14th. In case of inclement weather, we'll move to the gym. Each child will receive a goodie bag whether they're here to participate or not. If a few parents from each classroom could donate <u>ONE</u> small bag of wrapped candy to supplement our supply, it would be greatly appreciated. (Remember candy item must fit in a small plastic egg.) <u>Please bring donations by April 1st</u> so we have time to fill the eggs. THANK YOU!

ORIOLE NEWS

from Mrs. McCarron & Ms. Sara



March was a busy month as we celebrated St. Patrick's Day with Lucky Charms for snack from the silly Leprechaun! Rainbow week was so fun to see all the Orioles wear the colors of the rainbow each day. The Orioles loved becoming paleontologists and digging up dinosaur bones during our Dinosaur week. As March came to an end, we finished the month watching for the signs of spring and playing outside a bit longer!

APRIL HAPPENINGS

The Shape of the Month is the **DIAMOND**; Number is **8**; Color is **Blue/Azul**

April 4-8



BUNNIES "Qq"

What has two long ears, a fluffy tail and eats carrots? Yes, a bunny! The Orioles will learn interesting facts and about the different types of bunnies.

April 11-15



EGGS & CHICKS "Qq"

We will be "hatching" some "egg-speriments" this week and discussing other animals that hatch from eggs. We will have Easter Egg Hunts on Wednesday and Thursday this week!

April 18-22



CATERPILLARS & BUTTERFLIES "Rr"

With the seasons changing it's a great time to learn about the life cycle of a butterfly. We will learn the names and functions of the different cycles, make some butterfly art, and learn some new songs. The Very Hungry Caterpillar will offer some fun reading and creative ideas for art.

April 25-29



FROGS "Rr"

We will discover and explore the amazing life cycle of frogs and how to tell the difference between frogs and toads. We will sing the song "Five Green and Speckled Frogs" and will make a snack to go with it!

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Conferences for the Oriole class will be held Wednesday, May 4th and Thursday, May 5th. There will be a sign-up genius emailed for conferences in late April. Conferences will be offered to meet <u>in person or via phone call</u>, will last about 15 minutes and are <u>optional</u>. We will provide a written evaluation for all children, whether a parent elects to attend a conference. Please see a teacher if you need a special time or date. We will have class as usual on these days.

