

Ms. Karen and Ms. Anna
Senior Newsletter

Thank you for joining us for the Fall Fest Costume Parade. Hope you enjoyed seeing all of the children in their costumes. Thank you to all who donated treats for all of the festivities in the month of October. It was greatly appreciated and enjoyed! In October we were busy exploring Pumpkins. We learned the life cycle of a pumpkin. Weighed and measured pumpkins and gourds and scooped out the pulp and seeds and many of us really enjoyed scooping out the gooey mess, very slimy! The pumpkin seeds were cleaned, boiled and then baked in olive oil and lightly salted, so we could eat them at snack one day.

We learned about nocturnal animals, specifically owls and bats. We learned what they eat, where they live and talked about the attributes of each. We made a list of other nocturnal animals and made a picture of animals at night. Ask your child who some of them are.

In the month of November the class will: talk about hibernation and what animals hibernate.

Be busy making fall decorations, by painting, coloring and cutting.

Learn about our five senses and do different projects that isolate each sense to help us focus on how each one helps us gather information. We will also take a walk outside to see how we can use all five senses to enjoy nature.

Literacy

Time to Sleep-Denise Fleming

Winter Lullaby-Barbara Seuling

Over and Under the Snow-Kate Messner

My Five Senses-Aliki

The Listening Walk-Paul Showers

You can't Taste a Pickle with your

Ear-Harriet Ziefert

Thankful

Thanks for Thanksgiving

Math

Each day in our class we do many activities that help us learn various math concepts.

- Rote counting-count when we line up
- Number Recognition-counting the days we have been at school
- One-to one correspondence (1 peg for 1 hole as an example)
- Shapes and their attributes
- learn about patterns at circle time
- Sorting and Classifying-choosing what to play with and at clean up time too.

Dates to Remember

November 5-Family Night at home

November 16-20-Baby Needs Pantry donations drop off at our drop off/pick up location in the designated box.

November 20-Show and Tell

November 25-27-No School
Happy Thanksgiving! Enjoy time with family!

Please bring one item that highlights one or more senses for our show and tell on November 20.