November Newsletter

BIRTHDAYS

Adelyn Nov 18th
Miss Jange Nov 2.9th

WEEKLY TOPICS

Health & Safety
In the Neighborhood
Downtown

Creative Careers

FOCUS LETTERS

Dd, Jj, Uu

FOCUS NUMBERS

546

CLOSURES

Nov. 11th Veteran's Day We will be OPEN

November 23rd We will be <u>closing</u> early at 4:00 PM

Nov 24th Thanksgiving
We will be CLOSED

November 25th
We will be CLOSED

COMMUNITY HELPERS

Your child will take on new roles as they wear a sheriff's headband, fight fires and drive a bus. They will explore who keeps us safe and who helps us learn and grow. We are thankful for all the jobs people do in our communities. Dream big, play hard and learn together in this town helper theme.

Right Outside the Door

Community helpers are everywhere. The mail carrier, the bus driver and the crossing guard are all helping in our communities. The next time you go to the grocery store, library or just down the street, make a list of jobs where people are helping others. Children can help other too. Together, brainstorm ways to help in your community. You could pick up litter in park, plant curbside flowers or visit a nursery home. Together we can build a better community every day.

SPECIAL DAYS

Fri 11/4- <u>Pajama Day!</u>

Jammies 4 stuffies

Fri 11/11- Support Veteran's Day
(all classes) Wear Red, White & Blue or

Tue 11/14- Community Helpers

<u>Dress up Day!!</u>
Dress like a doctor, chef, policeman, firefighter, teacher, construction worker, nurse ect

Wed 11/23
(all classes)

Wear fall colors for our special Thanksgiving lunch

Tue 11/29- Show + Share

Bring something that begins with the letters D, J, or U

FALL CONFERENCES

Pre-K (Miss Jamie)
Mon Nov 21st + Tue Nov 22nd

Preschool (Miss Jasmine)
Thur Dec 1st 4 Fri Dec 2nd

Toddler (Miss Ninfa)
Mon Nov 21st + Tue Nov 22nd

Waddler (Miss Lisa)
Tue Nov 29th + Wed Nov 30th

Please join us for our fall conferences. This is a time to meet with your child's teacher to learn about our curriculum and hear about your child's progress. There will be a sign-up sheet for time slots for each class. Please be sure to pick a time.

We would appreciate everyone's attendance.

"Time spent playing with children is never wasted" -Dawn Lantero

ADMINISTRATIVE NEWS

Signing in and out

There are many parents not signing their child in or out. Per WAC, all kiddos must be signed in and out each day.

Daycare Hours

Please make sure you are dropping off your child by 9 am every day and picking them up BEFORE 6:00. We understand things come up, however some are making a habit of late drop offs and pick-ups. *Please note that you are automatically charged a late fee for picking up your child after 6:00.

Also, please remember per WA state law, kiddos are not allowed to be in the daycare longer than 10 hours a day.

Sick Policy

Please keep your child home if they are coughing excessively, have green discharge from noses, fever, diarrhea or are vomiting. Remember kiddos must stay home for 24 hours AFTER all symptoms are gone.

Morning Drop Off

With cold and flu season upon us please drop off your child in the hallway instead of coming into the classrooms. Dropping off in the hallway will also help with any anxiety the kiddos may be feeling.

Extra Clothes

Please check your child's cubby DAILY to make sure they have extra sets of clothes including socks and undies. So many kiddos do not have extra clothes in their cubbies (especially the pre-k class!). Accidents happen and kiddos get wet outside. Also, if your child borrows daycare clothes, please be sure to wash them and bring them back! We are running out of extra clothes due to them not being returned

Weather Changes

It is getting cold outside! Please make sure your child has a HEAVY jacket (not a sweatshirt) gloves and hats. We go outside every day. Little faces and hands get cold quickly! It is a good idea to leave a set in their cubbies so they always have it.

THANKSGIVING LUNCH

On Wednesday, November 23rd, we will be having a (kids only) Thanksgiving lunch. We will be lining up tables and having all classes eat together as we give thanks for all that we have. This year we will have a sign up sheet if you would like to donate any food items to our special lunch! It is really fun and the kiddos enjoy it! The kiddos are encouraged to wear fall colors to celebrate Fall.

COOKIE FUNDRAISER

We would like to say a big thank you to everyone who participated in our school's cookie fundraiser!

We ended up blowing past our goal and sold 417 tubs of cookies!!! We are beyond amazed!

PRIZES

Since we are past our goal we will be having an all school pizza party on Friday, November 11th.

The Pre-K class sold the most tubs at 198! We decided to share with all classes since we all did so well!

Top Raisers

1st place Family Photo Session- Aylah B.

2nd Place \$50 Amazon Gift Card- Trevor O.

3rd Place \$30 Amazon Gift Card- Danielle T.

4th 5th 6th Place- Starbucks Swag Bag Charlotte Q, Charles S, Emery K.

7th 8th 9th 10th Place- Holiday Lantern Centerpiece Cooper B, Rylee T, Winston B, Eliot T

Prizes will be distributed by the end of next week including participation prizes and prizes for selling 10 items!