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Special points of interest:

- October 13th—Columbus Day
- October 17th—P.N.O.
- October 20th—No VPK Only. Alumni Club Open
- October 24th—Fall Festival!
- October 31st—Halloween! Please Be Safe!
- November 2nd—Daylight Savings Time Ends



We have such a busy and exciting month for everyone! Our monthly parents night out will be on the 17th and Wellington's annual Fall Festival will be held on the 24th! Fall Festival is once a year and is lots of fun for the children and parents to dress up in their favorite costume. There will be games, contests, refreshments and best of all, everyone gets a goody bag! There is a \$2.00 admission fee per person and the times are from 7:00 P.M. until 8:30 P.M. You start at any room and go from room to room playing games and activities. We'll have a cake walk in the commons area as well as door prizes for the parents.

All donations for candy (or baked goods the day of the festival) are greatly appreciated. If any parent has access to or the ability to donate a service to use as a door prize for our Fall

Festival please contact the front office. Any amount would be greatly appreciated.

October is Fire Safety month. We will have a fireman come in and speak to the children about fire drills and safety in the home as well as at school.

This is a good time to check your smoke detectors at home, too!

In the front office we have a take it and make it pumpkin activity for you and your child to do at home. Bring it in when you're finished and we'll display them all in the front reception area. Let your imagination go wild and get those creative ideas flowing!

Just a few friendly reminders: Tuition is due on Friday for the upcoming week unless you are on vacation or out due to illness. If not paid by Tuesday at 6pm there will be a \$40.00 late fee attached to your account.

Also if your child has gotten their medical records updated please supply the front desk with the original forms. The Health Dept. inspects us to ensure everyone's shots and physicals are up to date and not out of compliance. Without this information we are not allowed to have a child in the facilities.

There is no VPK only on Oct 20. We follow the public school closing dates so be sure to check the calendar that was sent home at the beginning of the year. Also, the VPK only hours are 8:30 until 11:30 Monday through Friday. Any time before 8am and after 12pm will be charged as extra for VPK Only students.

Don't forget to change your clocks back an hour on November 2nd!

Thanks for all of your continued support!

Tales from the Crib

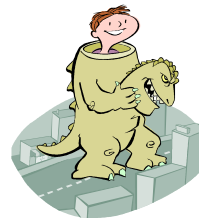
Fall is here! This month's theme is Nature. We will be reading and learning about Leaves, different seasons, and much more...

We would like to officially welcome Ms. Judy to our classroom! We love her and so do the babies! Please remember to label all items brought into class. Bottles must be labeled with your child's first and last names as well as the date and time the bottles were prepared. Look for upcoming events such as Fall Festival. We hope to see you there! Remember to look at your child's daily sheet for any supplies needed. Our milestones this month include: Jordan is taking steps, Jaiden is learning to stand, Sanibel is crawling, Alexandria is learning to crawl, Tessa is learning to sit up and Izabella is pulling up on her own. We are so proud of all our infants!! Thank you for sharing your child with us! ~Infant teachers

Ghostly Greetings from D1-A

Pumpkins, ghosts, & bats galore! Falling leaves, festivals, games & more! We will be learning about nature and outdoor things. We will decorate pumpkins and little bats with wings. Don't forget to check our parent board and wish list, too! We greatly appreciate any donations from you! Thanks to all the parents who were able to make it to parent orientation. Just a reminder: Check your child's folder and daily sheet at pick up for art work, information and supplies that may be needed. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask! Thank you for sharing your child with us!

~ Ms Michelle & Ms Vivian





Boo! From D1-B

It's hard to believe October is here already! To observe this months them or "Nature", we will be talking about all the changes Fall brings us! We look forward to spending more time outside to see first hand what nature has to offer. Keep an eye out for upcoming events such as our annual Fall Festival on Oct 24th from 7-8:30 pm. Thank you sharing your child with us!

~ Ms Lynsay



Tricks & Treats from D2-A

.We are falling for fall in 2A! We are looking forward to this exciting month of October! We will be learning about "Nature" and we have some exciting activities planned to keep our little ones busy! We will be going on nature walks, doing cooking projects, and preparing for our Fall Festival which is coming up at the end of the month. Please keep an eye on the parent board on our classroom door for sign up sheets and info. As always, thank you for all your support and for sharing your child with us!

~ Ms Maria & Ms Heather

EEEKS! From D2-B

As we fall into the new season we would like to take this time to thank you for sharing your precious gift with us. We have many different crafts and projects planned this month so check your child's cubby and folder daily so you don't miss important information. Please keep at least 3 complete changes or clothes and an extra pair of shoes in your child's cubby. Please have your child in class by 9am. We understand things come up and a courtesy phone call is appreciated. Also, please have your child wash his or her hands upon entering the classroom. Thank you!

~ Ms Kim & Ms Jessica

Monstrous moments from D-3

We would like to thank everyone for attending our parent orientation! We had the most parents attend!! Thank you for being concerned and involved in your child's education! We would like to welcome Ms. Angela to our room. She is excited to join us and the children are excited to have her! In October, our Nature theme will have us observing the leaves and trees outside.

We will also learn about how pumpkins grow by planting seeds and have an opportunity to decorate a pumpkin. Please remember there are no costumes allowed in class. Please plan on attending our Fall Festival on Oct 24th where children and parents are more than welcome to dress up! We hope to see everyone there!

~Ms Cindy, Ms Linda, and Ms Angela



Witches and Werewolves form VPK

Fall is here! This month we are learning all about Nature. Even though we do not experience a true change of seasons, we will discuss what happens in the fall. For this month's family project we will be decorating pumpkins. We will also be carving pumpkins and trying pumpkin seeds. The students will continue working on the alphabet, number recognition and handwriting skills. Just a few reminders: Library day is on Monday. Library books are due back by Thursday. Please remember to return your child's book in order for them to bring home a new one. Fall Festival is on Friday, October 24 at 7pm. Get your costumes ready and be prepared for fun! Thank you for sharing your child with us!

~Ms Lisa, Ms Loumarie, Ms Diana, Ms Laurie, Ms Shay, and Ms Lily

Spooky Spiders from PreK

October brings many fun things. We will start our month by talking about how leaves change colors in cooler weather. We will also discuss apples and pumpkin patches! We will explore the inside of a pumpkin, have an opportunity to taste pumpkin seeds, and see how long it takes a pumpkin to rot. We will end our month with a week full of fall festival activities. This week I will be asking for donations of all sizes of pumpkins. We will measure, weigh, and explore all the pumpkins we receive. We also ask that each child bring in a small pumpkin for decorating. During all this pumpkin fun, we will also be focusing on the letters "li", "Jj", "Kk", and "Ll", the numbers 6, 7, and 8, shapes oval and square, and colors black and orange. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask! We are looking forward to a wonderful month! Thank you for sharing your child with us!

~Ms Tonja and Ms Michelle

