#### Wellington Academy North Cape November 2014 Newsletter

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# Happy Birthday to all our special friends celebrating this month!!!

Alex B. Abigail B.

Ceili C.

Zoe C.

Ritch D.

Kucu L

Amya F. Bella H.

Ava H.

Madeline L.

Caden L.

Logan L. Aryanna O.

Derek P.

Jariel R.

Emily S.

Isabella V. Sophia V.

Madison W.



#### Administrator's News...

Thank you to all our families that attended our Fall Festival! We owe the success of the evening to your generosity & participation. A HUGE thank you to all our parents and friends that assisted with baked goods and candy donations this year. The festival was fun for all!! We have posted pictures on our Facebook page of the Fall Festival. If you haven't already, please find us and "like" us on Facebook. We post pictures, inform parents of upcoming events and share interesting articles on the Wellington Academy page.

November has arrived and the year is quickly winding down!! We will begin to think about families and the spirit of giving this month. The center will be holding a canned food drive starting November 3rd and ending on Friday, November 14th. We will donate all the items collected to a local charity in need. The classroom with the most participation will win a pizza party for their classroom!!

This month the children will be learning abut pilgrims & native Americans and the first feast. The children will recreate the first feast on Thursday, November 20th, during their lunch times. They will make hats and eat a traditional Thanksgiving feast!

December is right around the corner, and boy is it full of fun events!! Santa Claus will be visiting Tuesday, December 10th @ 9am. We want to remind parents to select a \$5-10 gift for YOUR child, wrap it, tag it, and drop it off in the front office, no later than Friday, December 5th. Santa will personally deliver each gift. Santa pictures with your child will be available to purchase that afternoon for \$5.

Our holiday programs are also on the way!! Please refer to the "December Dates to Remember" page in the newsletter for dates and times for all that is happening in December.

Parent Night Out will be held Friday, November 14th from 6:30pm-11pm. The cost is \$15 per child, and siblings are welcome!! We will have dinner, movies, games & a ton of fun!! This is a pajama party, so bring your child in his or her jammies!! Ms. Rosie & Ms. Deisy will be the evenings teachers. Sign up is located at the front desk. Pre-payment is required and we must have at least 10 children signed up in order to hold this event.

Ms. Melissa

# Canned Food Drive

During this time of giving and thinking of others, we begin our <u>Annual Canned Food</u> Drive to help families less fortunate than ourselves. On **Monday, November**3rd, we will begin collecting canned food and non perishable items. The items collected will be donated to a local organization. The drive will continue for two weeks. Thank you for choosing to share with us the joy of giving during this giving holiday!!!









Letters: Mm, Nn, Oo & Pp

Numbers: 9 & 10

Shapes: Triangle & Heart Colors: Brown & Purple







#### **CLASSROOM NEWS**

Developmental Can you believe it is already November?! Crazy to think that the holidays are right around the corner!! There are a lot of new faces in the toddler room, so we want to welcome all of our new students...we are grateful to have you in our class!! There is a school wide canned food drive going on, we are asking you to give to others that may be having a tough time. Anything is gratefully appreciated. Please do not forget that our parent board has lots of important information. If your child needs diapers or wipes we will have that on there too! We love having your children in class, they brighten our lives!! Happy Fall!!

Developmental 2A— October was lots of fun, learning about nature & getting ready for Halloween. We practiced counting using the "Five Little Pumpkins" poem. We learned about the concept of hot & cold. Of course, our Fall Festival was a huge success, thanks to everyone who donated & helped us. Now we turn our attention to the time of year where we focus on families and giving thanks. We will have our annual Fall Feast for the children on Thursday, Nov. 20th.

Don't forget that Wellington is CLOSED for Thanksgiving Day & the day after. A reminder to everyone to please update the extra clothing in your child's cubby as we are heading into cooler weather. We want to wish you a very blessed Thanksgiving!

Developmental 2B— Fall is in full swing! We have so many fun things planned for the month of November. Arts & crafts. canned food drives, fall feast & lots more!! We welcomed a few new friends to our room, so from D2-B, Welcome!! There will be lots of happening things this month, so please stay up to date. Any important announcements or sign ups will be on our parent board!! We continue to work on potty training...your help at home is greatly appreciated!!!

Developmental 3A— We had a blast this month, between making fun crafts and doing lots of holiday activities. We want to thank all the parents who helped us with decorations for our room, it looked fantastic!! We loved seeing everyone at the Fall Festival, it was a great time. We are looking forward to all the fun activities we have planned to celebrate fall!! There is a lot planned, so

please keep checking our parent board for any upcoming events!!

Developmental 3B— November is all about family, and we are SO thankful for our D3B families!! We had so much fun at our Fall Festival & Halloween Party. Thank you for all of your donations. This month we will learn all about Autumn as our weather (hopefully) cools down. We will cover the letters M-P, numbers 9 & 10, the colors brown & purple & shapes triangle & heart. We are looking forward to our Thanksgiving Feast and much f u n !! more VPK A & B— Believe it or not, the holidays are right around the corner. We are very excited about all the fun activities planned. Our Fall Feast is coming up soon, as well as our Canned Food Drive & Our Trik-a-Thon fundraiser for St. Jude's. Thank you to all the parents who helped us make our Fall Festival possible. Without you we couldn't have made that event possible. Please continue to practice the sight words with your child, as well as the monthly letters & numbers. Do not forget to reevery Monday...Keep checking our parent board for any sign ups or announcements. From our family, to yours. Happy Thanksgiving!

VPK C & D—Hello November! This month will be a ball! We are going to focus on families & fall. Turkeys, leaves, & yummy food galore!! There will be new letters, numbers, shapes & colors too!! There will be a Trik-a-Thon to benefit St. Jude's, a school wide canned food drive, pot luck celebration& LOTS more fun activities!! Keep checking our Parent Board for any important announcements or sign ups!

Be thankful for what you have and you will end up having more. But if you concentrate on what you don't have, you'll never, ever have enough.

-Oprah Winfrey



Wellington Academy will be closed

turn your "library" book

Thursday, November 27th & Friday,
November 28th in observance of Thanksgiving!! Happy Thanksgiving from our Wellington family to yours!!



## November 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 Ms. Ana's 21st Anniversary!	Canned Food Drive Starts!!	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 no vpk!	11 NO VPK!	12	13	14 Canned Food Drive Ends!!!	15
16	17	18	19	Fall 20 Feast!! Ms. Kenzie's Birthday	21	22
23/30	Ms. Haydee's Birthday!	25	NO VPK!	Happy Thanksgiving! Wellington Closed	28 <u>Wellington</u> <u>Closed</u>	29