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Special Points of Interest:

November 3: Daylight Savings Time

November 11: Veterans' Day VPK Only Closed, Alumni Club Open

November 11—15: Canned Food Drive

November 20—22: Individual Portraits

November 27: Hanukkah Begins

November 27: VPK Only Closed, Alumni Club Open

November 28—29: Wellington Academy closed. Happy Thanksgiving!

December 3–4: Trim the Tree (1A, 1B, 2A, & 2B)

December 12: Santa Visits!



Wellington Academy NOVEMBER 2013

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We would like to thank all those who came and participated in our Fall Festival this year! We had so much fun! Thank you for all the donations of raffle prizes, candy and baked goods, too! They were greatly appreciated! LifeTouch Portrais will be here to take individual portraits November 20-22. Please watch for posters with detailed information as the date gets closer! As the season changes, so will the weather. Please make sure to dress your child in weather appropriate clothing. Also, please check your child's change of clothes to ensure they are appropriate as well.

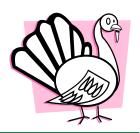
Just a few reminders: Please only park in designated parking spaces. Along the fence and in front of the dumpster are not valid or safe parking spots.

Wellington will be closed November 28 and 29 in observance of Thanksgiving.

There is no VPK Only on November 11 and Nov 27. Wrap around care is still available these days and our Alumni Club will be open, too.

Tuition is due on Friday each week for the upcoming week. Please pay promptly to avoid a \$40 late fee.

Wellington will host a canned food drive November 11 through the 15th to help those less fortunate in our community. All non-perishable items should be dropped off in vour child's classroom. The class that collects the highest class average of items will win a pizza party! Thank you in advance for all of your donations. We hope everyone has a great month! As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to talk to you child's teachers or the administration up front!



Infants

November has come! It's going to be busy! We have lots of fun activities planned for the month. We would like to welcome our new friends Joshua, Ryan, Nicholas, Caden, and Kaylie! We would also like to welcome Ms Ashley back to Wellington! We wish all our friends the best of luck in D1A. We would also like to wish Ms Kathy a big happy 28th birthday on 11-28! Please remember to check our parent board for any updates. Please remember to label all of your child's belongings. Also, please bring in a family photo to add to our family tree project. Happy Thanksgiving!!

~Infant Teachers~

D1A

This month we will be learning about families. We will focusing on the colors purple and brown and the shapes triangle and heart. If you haven't already, please bring in a family photo to display in our classroom. Please remember to dress your child appropriately as the seasons change. We still go outside even in the cooler weather, so please bring a jacket or sweater when appropriate. Also, please check your child's cubby for artwork and soiled clothes. Thank you for sharing your child with us!

~Ms Melissa and Ms Jan~

D1B

We can't believe it's November already! Our theme of families fits perfectly with Thanksgiving coming up! We will be talking about animal families as well as our own families. Please bring in a few photo's of your family for some art projects we have planned for the month. Also, please check your child's daily paper to see if they need supplies. Thank you for sharing your child with us and we hope you have a fantastic month!

~Ms Lynsay and Ms Jessica~

D2A

We want to welcome our new friends Evan, Micaela, and Justin to our class and wish Bryn, Alexis, Logan and Gianna the best of luck as they begin a new journey in the D2B class. We will surely miss you!

Thank you to our parents for the Halloween Party donations and to everyone who came and joined us during our Fall Festival. It was very nice to see everyone having fun.

Please remember to check your child's folder daily. We strongly encourage you to bring your child to class by 9am so they don't miss our on learning activities. Lastly, please make sure your child has a change of clothes at all times in his or her cubby. Thank you for sharing your child with us!

~Ms Maria and Ms Carolyn~

D2B

Welcome, November! Our theme this month will be focusing on families and we welcome you to bring in a family photo for our class. We would like to welcome Ms. Kate as our new 2B teacher! We would also like to welcome Alexis, Bryn, Gabby, Gianna, Logan, and Matty to our class. We wish Cayden, Meadow, and Qristian best of luck as they continue on to D3! As always, our day begins at 9am with circle time. Any late arrivals disrupt the class and your child misses out on exciting learning opportunities! Please remember to check your child's cubby, folder, and the parent board daily for important information. Please make sure to label all of your child's belongings and as always, thank you for sharing your child with us!

~Ms Katie, Ms Jessica, and Ms Kate~

D3

We're off to another great month! We had a blast at Fall Festival! Thanks for helping to make it a success! We would like to welcome Preston, Qristian, Meadow, and Cayden to our classroom! This month we will be learning all about Families and things we are THANKFUL for! Be on the look out for Food Lab signup! Please remember class begins at 9am and to check our parent board and folders daily. As always, thank you for sharing your child with us!

~ Ms Kelley and Ms Victoria~



PreK

This month we will be celebrating our families. Please bring in a family photo for your child to share with the class. We will be making a family tree to put on their cubby. We would like all of our friends to participate and are asking that the photos be brought in to class by Monday November 4th. We will be working on writing and recognizing the letters "Mm, Nm, Oo, and Pp". We will focus on recognizing the numbers 9 and 10 as well as the shapes triangle and heart. Instead of having a cooking project on Fridays, we would like to encourage you to sign up to bring in a healthy snack that you and your family can share with the class. We will have a sign-up sheet posted on the door for those that are able and interested in participating. Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to ask!

VPK

Last month we learned a lot about nature and the Fall season. We had fun cleaning out the pumpkins and eating the seeds. This month we are celebrating families. The students will learn what a family is and discuss how our families are all different. Be sure to bring in your family trees no later than November 16 so it can be displayed for everyone to see. The students will also talk about their pets and animal families. Just a reminder: There is no VPK on Nov 11th and Nov 27th. Also, Wellington is closed Nov 28th and 29th for Thanksgiving. We hope everyone has a wonderful month and a safe and happy Thanksgiving!

~ VPK Teachers~

A Note to You:

As many of you know, Ms Kelli, a former parent and teacher here at Wellington, is currently undergoing treatment for brain cancer. I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who donated and was able to help Ms Kelli and her family. Together, with your contributions and Wellingtons proceeds from Fall Festival, we were able to donate over \$500!! We will continue to accept donations through the month of November and appreciate any and all assistance you and your family can offer. At Wellington, we always strive to help the community and our family in any way possible and appreciate all that you do, too!



~Ms Ruth and Ms Loumarie~