

Tortuga News
NOVEMBER 2011

Dear Families,

Welcome to Fall! We are so excited that we are now in cooler weather. Please make sure your child has warm sweater or jacket everyday. Your child still needs to bring a water bottle daily and have nap bedding if they nap with us.

In our classrooms this month you will see work by the children that reflects our "*Family and Friends*" theme. We are exploring farm animal families as well as human families and how they are alike and different. The children will study what makes each of our families unique and special through our foods and celebrations.

Please remember: you need to sign up for hot lunch on the pink sign up sheets. The pink lunch sheets need to be turned in to the Admin Office~ not the classroom teachers for Preschool/PreK.

Weekly Sharing and Letter of the Week Focus: Parents we are working on letter sounds. I need you to help your child find and bring words to school daily.

Wed. Nov. 2

Letter Ll words: Each child needs to bring in leaves to share/show to class

Wed. Nov. 9

Letter Mm words: Each child needs bring in their favorite family recipe that we will use to create a class cookbook

Wed. Nov. 16

Letter Nn words: No sharing due to performance/potluck

Wed. Nov. 30

Letter Oo words: Each child brings in an Owl related item

We will be gardening this month. We need donations of low-water use plants and we need donations of cool weather seedlings.

THANK YOU TO OUR CONSISTENT~FINGERPRINTED PARENT VOLUNTEERS YOU CONTINUE TO HELP US IN OUR CLASSROOMS SO MUCH.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES:

November 1, 2011	Book Fair– Please look for the Preschool/Prek wish list box
November 11, 2011	SCHOOL CLOSED–Veterans Day
November 23, 2011	Early Childhood Fall Performance 10:00am (program and costume info to follow)
November 24 &25, 2011	SCHOOL CLOSED–Thanksgiving Break

If you have any questions or need further information, please speak with me or the other Early Childhood Staff.

Ms. Wanda

