



Nest Notes

April 5, 2019

We began our week very busy with everyone choosing work and being completely concentrated. When it was time for snack and we sang our songs, they just wanted to keep on singing! I finally had to tell them we needed to eat, we were already late for snack. It was lovely to observe how they all really enjoy their environment.

Ms. Alicia came with her maracas on Tuesday and some did not want to put them away without the promise she would bring them back on Thursday. The end of our week brought just as much joy, having fun singing and moving with our maracas!

We have a special window polishing lesson which was introduced this week. This polishing lesson comes with a solid polishing disk. The child uses the dropper for a small amount of water, dips their polishing cloth, then rubs it on the dry disk. Once the polish is on the cloth, it is applied to the window in a circular motion. We wait a few minutes then take our clean cloth and again, in a circular motion take the dried polish off the window, watching the sparkle. This is a one person lesson and was very busy!



Our Spring Fling Scholarship Fundraiser will be next Saturday, April 13th! If you have not already planned on coming, please come!! It is an awesome good time with yummy food, our normal drinks of choice as well as delicious cocktails. The many silent auction items are always amazing. This year is the first year that I will be putting a basket together for the silent auction, which will be filled with food preparation and serving items for the young child. Our classroom art project will also be auctioned off as our live auction item. If you are unable to make it, and you wish to bid on your child's project, please call the office to inquire about proxy bidding. Their projects always turn out so amazing and I always end up wanting them too! Of course I am trying to entice you! This is such a nice evening of enjoyable socializing, as well as all proceeds going to a very well worthy cause. I would love to see you there!!

The next Mind in the Making class is coming up soon Saturday April 27th. I attended the last class session last year. It is very insightful, especially for young children. It does incorporate all age levels as well as much self reflection. This class is supported by the Patterson Four-

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ation to enable all to attend at no charge. Mind in the Making is a wonderful opportunity if you are able to take advantage.

Our official conference day is April 22nd. I am excited to speak to you about your children!! I have sent out our sign up through Sign Up Genius. Please look for it in your email. Just a reminder that children are not in attendance due to the nature of our discussion. Childcare is not provided on this day for toddlers. Please look at the calendar, if you are not able to make this particular day, we can accommodate you during the week before school at 7:45am or after school at 3:00pm. I would need to confirm with Rosa that she is available to be with your child during these times, depending on the day, while we meet.

Thursday April 18th, we will have our annual spring egg hunt. We ask that everyone bring in 10 plastic eggs with a little something non-edible inside. We will decorate our own Spring bags to collect our eggs. We always have our 6th graders hide our eggs on the playground. They take such joy in helping bring fun to our growing toddlers.



Spring is in the air!



THE FINAL PRODUCT!

THANK
YOU

- Thank you to the Patel family for healthy snack this week.

We cannot create observers by saying 'observe', but by giving them the power and the means for this observation and these means are procured through education of the senses.

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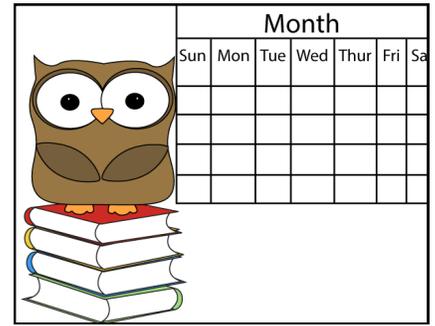
Dates to Remember

April 13 – 6:00pm our annual Spring Fling Fundraiser

April 19 – No School, Good Friday

April 22 – No School, Conference Day

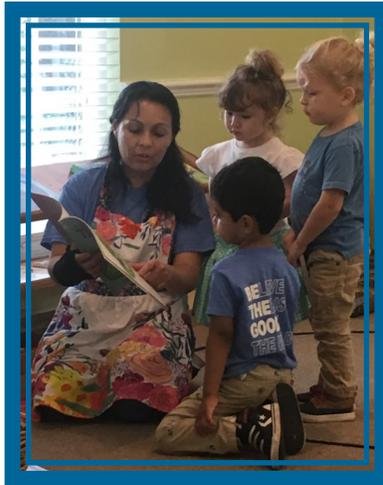
May 23 – Our Moving Up Ceremony as well as the Nest's last day of school/Party



Have another great weekend!

Ms. Christine and Ms. Rosa

STORY TIME WITH MS. ROSA



GIVING A RIDE



POLISHING WINDOWS

Never help a child with a task at which he feels he can succeed.

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