

The Growing Tree Learning Center

Castles, Knights, King's and Queen's...

This month the Brancher's learned all about castles, knights, king's and queen's. What king's and queen's eat and how they show proper manners at the table, by sitting up tall, and eating with two utensils. Kings and queens enjoy the finest foods in the lands. Caviar, lobsters, the finest meats and veggies that are grown within the castle gates. The fancy clothing that royalty wears and the fancy jewels that glisten from afar. The children made their very own tiara and crowns. Explored the in's and out's of castles. They learned that moats, drawbridges and knights are there for the castles protection. Knights were a big part of our theme as the children showed the most interest in them. We watched videos of castles and also of the armor the knights wear when on the job. We held a "ball" for circle-time and enjoyed dancing and twirling around. We also read silly stories about dragons and the children loved that dragons can fly. If your child enters a room wearing a tiara or crown on their head, and gives you a funny look, it's probably because they are waiting for a curtsy and bow.



Creating individual castles.



Making "Just Because Gifts".



COMING UP!

July 4th- School Closed

July 7th- First Friday

July 10th- 20th Session 2 Swim Lesson

July 26th- BBQ



Next month... will be learning all about the rainforest. Where the rainforests are located? What are the different types of rainforests? The climate and what plants grow there. The animals, insects and wildlife that can live in that habitat. What plants, insects and animals are poisonous. By the end of July the Branch Room will be experts on traveling into rainforests,