

Sprout I News



With a new school year under way, October sure has been a busy month. The arrival of fall had the children exploring different colors of the season. They have created art illustrating fall colors while using different objects found in the environment such as; leaves, pumpkins and pinecones.

During the month of October we explored **The Fall Harvest**. At circle time we read the book Leaf Man. While listening to all the exciting creatures Leaf Man encountered along his journey, **Hunter** would, “gobble, gobble” with the turkeys and **Abby** would, “moo, moo” with the cows. **Aerix** was really into making hand motions with the song, **Five Little Pumpkins** and squealed with delight when the song was over.

Outside brought a lot of football play. **Owen** would grab the football and run to the grass and toss it back and forth with **Sawyer** and **Sage**. When he caught the football he would run to the fence, spike the football and shout “Go Ducks!” The sensory table was also a big draw being full of pumpkins, pinecones and leaves. **Dominick** ran over to the table and said, “Pumpkin patch”, and scooped up leaves and tossed them in the air. **Gabriel** enjoyed exploring the playground building with the big foam blocks and putting puzzles together at the table.

For art **Natalie** loved painting with leaves. She had so much fun splattering paint on her paper with leaves. **Shaylie** had fun digging around in the rice looking for squirrels, acorns, pumpkins and leaves. Each time she would find one she would hold it up and say, “Look”, and then add it to her cup. **Emma** baked cookies in the Home Center and served them to all her friends. There’s nothing like a warm cookie on a cold fall day.

In November we will be stomping and roaring around in Prehistoric Times with **Dinosaur Stomp**. There will be fun stories about Dancing Dinosaurs and How Do Dinosaurs Go to School. We will learn new songs like, ‘Run, Run Dinosaur’ and ‘Stomp, Stomp’. For art, the children will be decorating and creating many different dinosaurs. Outside time will bring a dinosaur egg hunt and following dino prints to the hidden dinosaurs.

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We would like to welcome **Miles** who will be joining our room in November. Miles and his family are new to Growing Tree, and we are very excited to get to know him and his family. Welcome to the Sprout Room!

Please remember to stock your child's cubby for the changing weather conditions as it is getting chilly outside!

Dates to Remember:

Friday, November 2nd: First Friday.

Monday, November 12th: Parent-teacher conferences. Growing Tree will BE CLOSED on that day.

Thursday and Friday, November 22nd & 23rd: Growing Tree is CLOSED for Thanksgiving Holiday.

Thank you, Teresa, Amy, Nana Julie



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Dinosaur Stomp

Notes:

This Month's Books:
<i>Dinosaur Dance</i>
<i>How Do Dinosaurs Go to School?</i>
<i>Find A Saurus</i>
<i>Bumpus Rumpus</i>
This Month's Songs:
Run Run Dinosaur
<i>Once there was a Dinosaur</i>
Stomp Stomp
<i>Dinosaur Dinosaur</i>
This Month's Sign:
Dinosaur

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	6	7	1	2
Triceratops Toss	Handasaurus	Stegosaurus Lego Stamp	D is for Dinosaur	Paper Plate Dinosaur
12	13	14	8	9
Dinosaur Prints	Volcanoes	T-Rex	Dinosaur Painting	CLOSED CONFERENCES
19	20	21	15	16
T-Rex Tissue Box Feet	Dinosaur Skin	Paper Plate Dinosaur	Triceratops Mask	Bubble Wrap Dinosaurs
26	27	28	22	23
Dino Eggs	Fizzy Dinosaurs	Dopper Paint	HAPPY THANKSGIVING	CLOSED
			29	30
			Dinosaur Scrub	Dinosaurs In Ice

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D is for Dinosaur