Hello everyone,

I hope that all of you are enjoying your weekend. I hope all of you are able to enjoy your family and make beautiful Fall memories. The children did a wonderful job with the Fire drill last week:)

This week, we will be learning and discussing two letters. The letter Pp and the letter Jj. We will be discussing and completing projects/activities that go along with pumpkins and Jack-O-lanterns. Make sure to ask your son/daughter, how they can tell the difference between them. We would like to carve a Jack-o-Lantern in each class. I am making a voting poster for the children in each class to vote on what they would like their pumpkin to look like. We will vote on Monday(10/26) and Tuesday(10/27) and reveal the results on Thursday(10/28) and Friday(10/29)

We will be **painting the children's feet on Thursday and Friday**. Please do not put the girls in tights that day. It makes the painting much easier. Thank you!

For our Halloween celebration on Thursday (10/29) and Friday(10/30), we will be having a fun day of crafts, songs and games. Since we are unable to dress up, we are asking the children to wear something Halloweenish or orange shirt, if they would like to.

Our projects will continue to focus on using fine motor skills. We will continue to trace our names for all projects in order to encourage correct letter formation and the use of ONE capital letter and the rest lower case. The children are doing a great job of grasping the concept "Nip, Flip and Grip" with the writing utensils. Okay, that is all for me. Enjoy the rest of your Sunday. You all have truly awesome kids!! Thanks so much for letting me enjoy them each day.

Kirstin

Important dates to remember October 29-30- Halloween Fun in our classroom.

<u>November</u> 2-Monday – 2nd quarterly tuition payment due

11—Wednesday-Veterans Day school closed 23-27-Thanksgiving Recess; School closed