



Hello everyone,

The children did a wonderful job last week on the Stokoe Field trip. Thank you to all of you that stayed and enjoyed it too.

This past week the children were very excited about Halloween and that will grow more this week:) We hope to see you today at the Trunk or Treat, for some Halloween Fun.

This week, we will be learning about the letter Hh to go along with Halloween. All of our activities will include songs, books, crafts and learning that begin with the letter H. It will be a fun week of Halloween Fun!

For our Halloween celebration, we will be dressing up on Thursday, October 31st(Halloween). If your child would like to dress up in costume for our parade then please send a costume to school on Halloween. Your child is not required to participate. Please send your child's costume to school IN A SEPARATE LABELED BAG. Do not wear the costume to school. We will change into costumes at about 1:40 pm. Also, **please put your child's name inside EVERY PIECE of the costume.** We are hoping that you will meet us in the gym at 2:00pm for our costume parade and a couple of songs. After the costume parade we will line-up

for dismissal.(Specific dismissal information will be coming next week)
The children will go home in costume. **Please remember that we do not allow masks, guns, swords, etc. in school.** We do not want to scare any of the other children. Thank you very much for your support and please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

On November 2nd, at Rush Nursery School, we are having a class event called **Someone Special Saturday**. This is a time for a parent/guardian or other special adult to spend part of Saturday morning with their child at school. During this hour, the children will be able to show you what happens in our regular class time, complete a project and just play. It is a very special time for all that many of our young friends remember forever. Please only have one parent attend each session. We will be having another **Someone Special Saturday** on February 8th.

Mrs. Gronmeyers time will be 9:00am-10:00am

Mrs. O'Connell will be from 10:00am-11:00am.

Our pictures will be on Thursday, November 7th. We promise to not have any painting or messy projects that day.

Okay, that is all for us. As always, thanks so much for all you do inside and out of school. You are awesome families and we all are grateful for all the support you give to our classes. The children bring smiles to our faces every day. We have heard it said you never work a day in your life if you love what you do and we love what we do!

Take care,

Kirstin and Donna

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

October

- 20-Trunk or Treat
- 23-Chipotle Fundraiser
- 31-Halloween Happenings

November

- 2- Special Someone Saturday
- 7-Picture Day-3's Tu/Th and UPK Classes
- 11-22 Holiday wreath fundraiser
- 11-Veterans Day observed (school closed)
- 25-29-Thanksgiving Recess, School closed

