



WCA Preschool Times



May 22, 2023

Last Friday was such a nice morning with "Mornings with Mom" and our class poem at opening. The children did wonderful reciting the poem they had been working hard on memorizing! I was so proud of them! The weather at the beginning of the week was warm and sunny so our "ocean" water play in the sensory table was a big hit outside. As the temperatures cooled throughout the week the sensory table came inside. We then had shredded paper in it with the ocean life. The sea shells turned out great with bright colors. Everyone did a fantastic job concentrating while using their fine motor skills to weave the yarn in and out of the holes on their shell. I absolutely loved that everyone got the same result on the front of the shell when weaving, but on the back, some came up with their own way to make it work. Thinking outside the box and problem solving to get the same outcome is just awesome! As I sat thinking about the details of last week to share with you it hit me a little harder that this is the last weekly newsletter. How did this school year go by so fast? The end of the year is bitter sweet! The growth and development of your child that we have been privileged to be a part of brings our hearts such happiness and a twinge of sadness. We are sure going to miss our class! We have become a little family in our room with each personality bringing a special gift to our atmosphere. Thank you for entrusting us and WCA with your most precious child! It might be our last week, but we have a full week to wrap up with revisiting some of our class's favorite activities and books. One exciting favorite is race tracks! We will put our creativity and math skills to work by constructing race tracks both inside the classroom and outside on the playground! Orbeez will be in the sensory table and we will make birdfeeders. The weather looks perfect all week. Please, dress your kiddo in layers. What a fabulous week to wrap up the school year!

Areas of Focus

Revisiting Some Favorites!



Literacy and Language



- Books: *The Gruffalo*, *Green Eggs and Ham*, *Little Cloud*, *Dinosaur Stomp*, *Beware of the Frog*, *The Rain Came Down*, *Ten Seeds*, *Pinkalicious*, *Skippyjon Jones*, *Holler Loudly*
- Puzzles, Games, Occupation Magnetic People

Math, Science, Sensory

- * Science: Crystal Aquarium
- * Building Race Tracks for Hot Wheels
 - * Playdough
(Numbers, Letters, Various Cookie Cutters)
- * Sensory Table: Orbeez
- * Bird Feeder



Important News

- ➔ **Friday** at opening Mrs. Vogt will honor each preschooler for completing their 2022-2023 preschool year! Please join us for this fun and special morning!
- ➔ **Friday** is our last day of preschool! It is a full day.
 - Mrs. Tran and I are giving the class a pizza party! If your kiddo does not like pizza, no problem! Please, pack them their lunch they enjoy.
 - For rest time we will watch *Finding Nemo* while we snack on some popcorn.

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