

# OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Believe it or not we are on to our second month of the new school year! The kids have transitioned well and we are having a great time getting to know each other.

Last month we learned about going to school, the color red and the letter "A". We also learned our classroom rules and a few songs. Ask your child to sing the "Speckled Frog Song" and what sound the letter "A" makes to see if they connect it to Allie Alligator. Also, look on your students hand to see if they have a stamp. This is the reward for following the classroom rules each day. So far we are all doing great!

This month we will focus on fall, pumpkins, the color orange, triangles, the letters B and C, some numbers, and the Creation Story. We will also continue to work on our classroom rules and listening skills. Book orders will be due on October 26<sup>th</sup> this month.

We will be going to the Pumpkin Patch at The Farm in Snohomish on Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>. We will not have regular classes that day and will meet at the Farm at 10:15 am. You will need to provide transportation for your child or work out a carpool. Your child's field trip is paid for but if you are bringing siblings that would like a pumpkin, please bring \$7 per sibling. The cost for this field trip includes a pumpkin and ice-cream bar. Be prepared for the weather with boots and warm jackets.

We will also be having a Pumpkin Party on Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. This will be our Halloween Celebration, so the kids can dress up in costume but we ask that no scary costumes or weapons be brought to school. Also, it would be helpful to have the kids be dressed so that they can still use the bathroom without much help. Watch for a sign up sheet in the hallway to bring treats!

Looking ahead to November, We head to the Seattle Children's Theater on Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> to see Go Dog, Go! Please plan to meet at the theater about 9:10am that morning. of the entire year!

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.  
Enjoy the change of seasons and falling leaves,  
Jana

