

## NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER 2020

### **Mrs. Donna and Ms. Sherry** **M-TU-W-TH-F**

October was a great month. I hope the children are enjoying class as much as we do. We are very sad to say goodbye to Mrs. Nicol. She is moving to Florida, but we will be Facetiming her during the year. She is a very wonderful teacher, and she will be missed. We are very excited to have Ms. Sherry join our program. Ms. Sherry started the last week of October. She is very excited to be part of our wonderful family. Please say hi when you see her outside at arrival and dismissal.

The Nature Center was a great a field trip. On Thursday and Friday, we were able to take a long hike into many different areas of the center. We learned about the forest, the woods and the prairie. The children were looking for animal tracks in the soft ground and they found a deer track and dog prints. Thank you all for dropping off and picking up your children. We like to use all the park district's facilities as much as we can.

Our alphabet is progressing very well. The children are doing very well signing the letters and learning the sounds of the letter. We have learned about Ll, Pp and Ss. These sheets come home every week so you can see their progress. We read a book about a rabbit that wanted to change her color from white to brown. This book explained when you use the three primary colors, (red, blue and yellow) you can make many different shades of brown. Everyone's brown was completely different. They enjoyed this fun science experiment. We used powder paint and added water to make the new colors.

Students are picked each day to help with different jobs in our classroom. The jobs are calendar helper, weather teller, line leader, sweeper, bell ringer and plant waferer. These are very important jobs. Everyone gets very excited about their jobs.

We had a nice Halloween celebration. The costumes were great. We love seeing the children all dressed up.

November will be filled exciting things. We will be learning the letters Ww, Tt, Gg Ii. We will talk about how animals prepare for winter and learn about the North and South Pole. We will be writing a book every month. Ask your children what they wrote about. The book for October was about a pumpkin and November's book will be about a turkey. Hope all are doing well and want to thank you all for giving us the opportunity to teach your children.

### **Happy Thanksgiving**

