

Bobbie Noonan's Child Care  
Palos Hills

**\*\*\* Junior Journal\*\*\***

*for the week of September 25*

- **Theme:** Fall
- **Introduce:** Story #1 "Run"
- **Expressive Vocabulary:** scamper: *to run or move lightly or quickly*
- **Fable #2:** The Hare and the Tortoise
- **Moral:** Slow and steady wins the race

**Language Arts:** During Ms. Jo's language arts class this week we will be learning about fall. The leaves changing, the birds flying south and how we need to dress. We will learn about "Mrs. Squirrel" and read books like "Boom, Boom, Boom" and "Harvest Party." We will enjoy hearing our new fable "The Hare and The Tortoise." Our friend Taffy Apple will be here to help with our review this week.

**Concept:** Fall is here as you will see; the season's changing 1, 2, 3! Colors changing all around and we will find leaves upon the ground. Science tables, nature walks, pumpkins, scarecrows and even corn stalks. We enjoy the fall season, it gives the children and Mrs. Lynn plenty of time to explore and talk about the different things that are changing outside. The boys and girls will have fun going on nature hikes and having some time to play outside. I will add a fall season bin and the children will have shelf time. Feel free to bring in any "signs of fall" you discover outside!



**Craft & Writing:** This week Ms. Nikki will welcome in the Fall season with many fun projects. The children will enjoy sponge painting a maple leaf. We will use our fingertips and finger paint a fall tree. In addition, we will practice curve cutting with our scissors and trace our letters with a pencil and continue working on our fine motor skills.

**Important Dates:**

September 25.....Students of the week/Nabil Tadros  
Michael Schram  
Billy Slaven

**Please bring in any color apple on September 26 to help us celebrate  
Johnny Appleseed Day!**

October 9.....Columbus Day/School CLOSED!  
Full tuition will be due

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