November 2019



# November Newslette

# Bobbie Noonan's Pre-School

It's time to welcome November!

Busy, busy, busy describes this month. Our school is excited about falling leaves, turkey and trimmings, Pilgrims and Native Americans, and all of the other wonderful things "November" brings.

Throughout this month your child will be involved in art projects,

science and language activities, stories and games. The children will start learning about the first Thanksgiving and will be busy making costumes and holiday crafts. The children will learn about Native American myths and legends. We will display Indian artifacts, bones, toys and clothing in our class rooms

Your interest in and appreciation of these special projects is important in encouraging your child's desire to learn and grow.

We encourage your child to bring in seasonal pictures,

Native American artifacts to display in class for this special season.

### **Pow Wow Parties**

Monday, November 25 and Tuesday, November 26.

We will feast on corn bread and home made butter and apple sauce.

# **Season For Thanks**

Thanksgiving is a time to be thankful. We would like to teach the children the real meaning of Thanksgiving by contributing a small donation to the people who are less fortunate and need a little help during the holiday season.

In the spirit of sharing we are collecting can goods for the Tinley Park Food Pantry. We appreciate any contribution you can give. The donations will be picked up at the end of the day on November 15th.

Please send in the donation before this date. Thank you.

# **Thanksgiving Break**

School will be closed on Thursday, November 28th and Friday November 29th. in observance of Thanksgiving.

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### **School Pictures**

School Pictures were taken on 10/3 and 10/4.

If your child was absent or refused to take their picture, or you are unhappy with the picture we will schedule a retake day. Please let your child's homeroom teacher know.

Thank you to all of the parents that helped at the Fall Fest . A good time was had by all.



### Vision and Hearing Testing Thursday 11/14 and Friday 11/15.

# Teach your children to be Thankful

Thanksgiving is the perfect time to teach your children to be thankful. Here are some ideas to teach your children how to appreciate the blessings in their lives.

<u>Giving Thanks Placemats</u> The goal of this craft is to create a collage filled with drawings and pictures of all the things your children are thankful for. Cut pictures from magazines.

You can laminate it and it becomes a placemat that you can use at Thanksgiving for years to come.

<u>Thankful Paper Chain</u> Cut strips of paper and connect them together as loops, before you connect them write things you are thankful for with your children. For instance, "Grandma plays games with me" or "My teacher is nice". The fun part of this activity is to make the chain as long as possible... showing all your blessings.

## Save the date...

Sunday, 12/8 Bobbie Noonan's school will sing Christmas Carols (Downtown Tinley) by the train station. More info. will be sent home.

Our annual Christmas show is Wednesday, December 11th. This is for children 3 and older. Held at the Noonan Academy in Mokena. More info. will be sent home.

# Have a wonderful Thanksgiving!



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