# Let nothing dim the light that shines from within.

~Maya Angelou

## \*The Kindergarten News \*

for the week of 10 / 16 / 23

- **Theme** Transportation
- Introduce Sight Words: me, is, he, & run / Qq & Rr
- Expressive Vocabulary skeptical having or showing doubt or disbelief temporary lasting or used for a short time only
- **Bits of Intelligence** DaVinci & Van Gogh
- Manners "Listen when people are talking" / "Replace what you have used."
- **Fable** The Boy Who Cried, Wolf

### **Language Arts**

This week, we will concentrate on the letters Qq and Rr. We will continue our word family work and, this week, introduce the "AN" word family. We will continue working on sounding out words and practicing our writing in our journals.

### Math / Science

Our class will start counting by ones to 100 as part of our morning review, and we will also work on counting to 100 by 5s and 10s. Our work on addition will continue as well. This week, we will introduce our fact family to help the children better understand addition and start our work on subtraction. We will continue our unit on transportation. This week, we will focus on "kid-powered" transportation, animal transportation, and other forms of transportation. We will continue to learn about maps and discuss the differences between paper road maps and Google maps.

#### Student of the Week

Penny H. – October 16<sup>th</sup>

#### **Important Dates**

Halloween Party – October 31<sup>st</sup> School Pictures – November 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>

The weather is changing; please take this time to update your children's change of clothing in their cubby.

Just a reminder – Kindergarten class begins at 9:00 a.m. promptly. If your child arrives after 9:00, they will miss an important part of our kindergarten review and introductions. With that in mind, please have your child here by 9:00.

Thank you.