



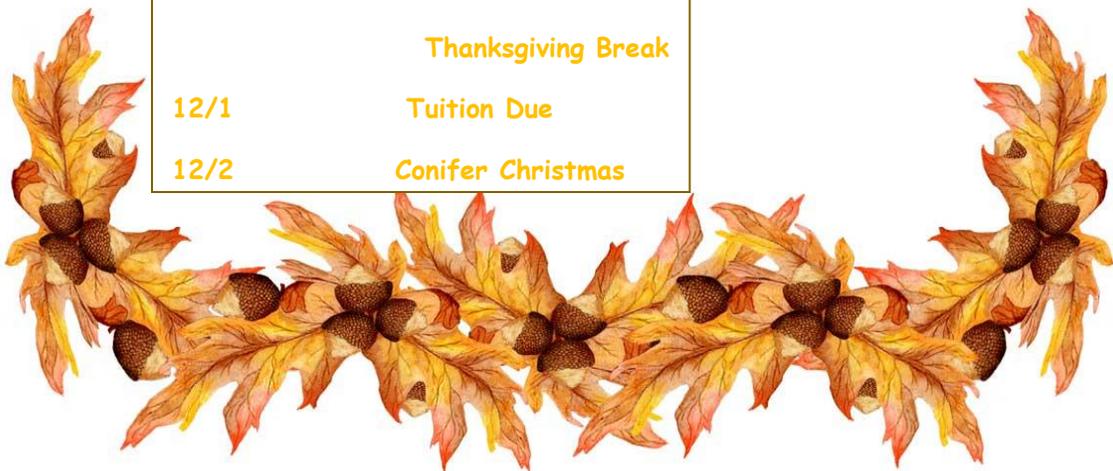
November News From The Nest

Important Dates

11/7	Picture Make up Day
11/9	Veterans Day Performance
11/14	Butter Braid Pickup
11/14	Lockdown Drill
11/17	Book Orders Due
11/17	Writers Share Fair
11/17	Thankful Feast Celebrations
11/20-11/24	No School / Thanksgiving Break
12/1	Tuition Due
12/2	Conifer Christmas

November is here and with it a reminder to be thankful. We are so thankful for our Eaglets and families who make our school great. Thank you for being a part of our school!

Everyone had such fun with our Halloween celebrations thank you to all those who participated.



Butter Braid Fundraiser

Thank you for supporting our Preschool! Butter Braids will be delivered on November 14th. Please pick up your orders on that day, we do not have access to freezers to store them. The orders will be sorted by class on tables set up in the mezzanine.



Thankful Feast

Our classes will be celebrating the Thanksgiving season with a Thankful Feast on November 17th. Our Thankful Feast is a time to share all we are thankful for and share some of our family traditions. So sign up to bring a small portion of your families favorite Thanksgiving dish and include a note sharing a story of one of your families Thanksgiving traditions.

Mrs. Dixon and Ms. DeGroot's celebrations will be: AM - 10:30 - 11:00, PM - 2:30 - 3:00. They will have a sign-up sheet next to their sign in book.

Mrs. Donovan and Mrs. Johnson's celebration will be at 2:30 - 3:00. They will have a sign up genius posted on the Elk Creek Elementary website.



Writers Share Fair

Our Eaglets have been invited to participate in the Writers Share Fair. On November 17th they will get to be part of a group with K-5th grade students and share their writing.

Our Eaglets will be sharing their pictures and writing about what they are thankful for.

News from Room 103

We continue to see our children bloom. Each student is making strides in accomplishing new tasks.

Thank you to all the parents that sent goodies and volunteered for our Halloween Party.

We have switched centers and are focusing on Community. Our new centers include: Fire Station, Safeway, Library, Vet, and Starbucks. The children are beginning to take on roles in their centers. They are enjoying being firefighters, shoppers, cashiers and veterinarians.

We are working on identifying shapes and comparing if they are the same or different during our Mystery Game.

This month we will discuss what we are thankful for in preparation for our Thankful Feast. We continue to work with the children on building their independence. Our children wash their hands, put away coats and backpacks, put on their coats for recess and get ready at the end of the day. So many things they can do!

Parents, please remember to send your eaglet with clothing appropriate for the weather.

Be on the lookout for the sign-up for the Thankful Feast!!

Ms. DeGroot and Mrs. Dixon



News from Room 104

Dear Parents,

Your preschoolers are doing great! They are quite confident with classroom routines now.

In math we have been working on the order of numbers, shapes, patterns, and recognizing numbers. In literacy, we are working on expanding our vocabulary, studying authors, rhyming, opposites, and recognizing letters. Many of the kids are learning to identify and write the beginning sounds of words on their play plans. In science we have started Science Eyes. We are recording scientific observations in our science journals. We have studied worms, bubbles, leaves and many more interesting things. Lastly we are always working on kindness and empathy. All of the children are learning and making progress.

Thanks for all of the help with our preschool Halloween Party. It was a great success, and we couldn't have done it without you.

Very soon we will have our Thankful Feast. We will have a sign up genius, where each family can sign up to bring their favorite dish to share.

There will be another sign up genius for our first ever Elk Creek float in the Conifer Christmas Parade!

Please remember to bring napping supplies each Monday. We also want to thank you for bringing healthy snacks and a water bottle every day for you child.

As it is now November, please make sure preschoolers always have warm coats and winter gear. The weather can change quickly in Colorado.

Thanks for sharing your fantastic kids with us.

Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Donovan



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