# Mrs. Jones’

# Kindergarten Newsletter

**November 13th – November 20th**

**Social Studies/Science/Technology:**

* Each child has been introduced to the websites [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com) and Success Maker in Computer’s with Mr. Spencer.
* We started learning about the first Thanksgiving and the different traditions we each have around the holidays.
* Please visit our classroom website for updated information:

http://www.toolboxpro.org/classrooms/template.cfm?ID=4210

**Important News:**

* Please remember to send lunch/milk money on Mondays. Please write your child’s name on the envelope but keep the milk choice sheet separate.
* Thank you Jacob and Flint for the great snacks!
* Next week’s snack provider is Abigail
* Snack providers for the week after vacation are: Colin, Lynzie, Jazmine, Jack, and Ayden.
  + Please look for the “snack bag” in their backpacks the night before their turn for snack.

**At Home Activities:**

* Please have your child write their whole name.
* Practice writing the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, Gg, Mm, Ll, Hh, Tt, Oo, and Ii.
* Practice beginning sounds. For example, point out words or objects and help your child decide what sound it makes/letter it starts with.
* Practice writing numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.

**Language Arts:**

* We have learned the sight words I, is, a, to, go, see, my, & the. Please have your child look for these words as you are reading.
* In Readers Workshop we continue working on strategies that will help us when we get to our Just Right Books!
* We wrote about what we are thankful for.
* We reviewed the sound, keyword, and letter formation for the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, Gg, Mm, Ll, Hh, Tt, Oo, Ii.
* We read books about Native Americans and Pilgrims and discussed their similarities and differences.

**Important Dates:**

* November 16 – 18 – “Big” production at CS High School. Attached to this newsletter is ONE FREE TICKET VOUCHER. If you would like to turn this in for a free ticket, bring the voucher to the ticket booth. Otherwise, tickets for the show are $8.00 each.
* November 21 – Thanksgiving Gathering items due
* November 21-23 – No School – Thanksgiving Break
* December7nd – Half Day – Teacher Conference Day.

**Math:**

* We reviewed 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.
* We count up to 25 and then backwards each day.
* We worked on writing numbers 0 – 10

There will NOT be a folder sent home next Tuesday. Please fill out both snack milk papers and send them back on Monday 11.19.11. Have a great holiday with your family!

Thank you for attending conferences this week!

It’s great to brag about how well your children are doing!

