# Mrs. Jones’

# Kindergarten Newsletter

**October 11th – October 14th**

**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 Ethan A, Cole, Ethan C, and Aidan for the great snacks.
* Next week’s snack providers are Breanna, Brooke, Hayden, Jared, and William.
  + Please look for the orange “snack bag” in their backpacks the night before their turn for snack.
* As the weather turning chilly, please remember to send your child with a jacket. It is often quite chilly when we go out for play at 12:00.

**Social Studies/Science/Technology:**

* We continue to discuss signs of fall.
* Each child has been introduced to the websites CCC, [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com) and [www.razkids.com](http://www.razkids.com).
* We went on a leaf walk and described our favorite leaf.
* We read and discussed the reason we celebrate Columbus Day.

**Language Arts:**

* We have learned the sight words I, is, a, to, go, see, & the. Please have your child look for these words as you are reading.
* We have been learning how to how to choose a book and read quietly at our reading spots.
* In Writer’s Workshop, we made a class book called, “Trees have…”
* We reviewed the sound, keyword, and letter formation for the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, and Gg.
* We have been reading books about trees, autumn, and Halloween.
* We read books brought in by our students, thank you for sharing your love of reading!

**At Home Activities:**

* Please have your child write their whole name (first name only). Be sure to begin with a capital and write lowercase letters for the rest of the name.
* Practice writing the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, and Gg.
* Practice writing numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5.

**Important Dates:**

* Tuesday, October 18th – Half Day
* Friday, October 21st – Early Dismissal. I will be using emergency go home instructions. If there other go home arrangements needed for that day, please send in a note by Monday, October 17th.
  + Boo Bash 6-8pm
* Fall Celebration – Friday, October 28th – All families are welcome to attend! Please read the attached letter regarding the party.

**Math:**

* We reviewed 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and introduced 6.
* We count up to 25 and then backwards each day.
* We continue to work on AAB patterning and building (and comparing) towers with connecting cubes.

Please visit our classroom website for pictures of what we have been doing in school!

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

For Reading At Home Logs: Don’t forget to indicate Applebee’s or Pizza Hut for your award!

