

MWF AM

Week of 5/16/11

Preschool News

St. John Preschool

Mrs. Ziegler, Mrs. Williams & Miss Diane

We continued with our "Happily Ever After" literature series. We read the big book titled THE CITY MOUSE AND THE COUNTRY MOUSE. The children also listened to and completed the back of their own storybook of the same title. Jaxon and Ryan's Moms came in on 5/16 and helped the children do their last project for their scrapbooks. The scrapbooks will be coming home this week. Thank you to Michelle and Sue for helping us complete the scrapbooks. We hope you enjoy them for many years to come! We worked with play dough and played alphabet bingo. We chose a book as an end of the year gift from our teachers on Friday. Crash Helmet visited our classroom on Friday also. Crash talked to us about bicycle safety and the importance of wearing a helmet. We finished our week listening to "Somewhere Over the Rainbow". By looking at the children's faces, this song must cross the generational bridge to bring delight!

IMC - Mrs. Mais focused on DOGS this week. She read DOGS DON'T BRUSH THEIR TEETH, HOW DO DINOSAURS LOVE THEIR DOGS, and DOGS. The children colored a dog-coloring sheet.

Phy-ed: The children watched and participated along with an exercise video from the kindergarten wellness curriculum. The children walked, jogged, marched and bended to music.

Music - The children were able to use rhythm sticks. They imitated Ms. Meinholz's movements singing "See How I'm Tapping". Ms. Meinholz reviewed the song "Friends Are Like Flowers in the Garden of Life". She also reviewed a rhyme titled "1,2,3 - Baby's on My Knee". Ms. Meinholz let the children try to play different instruments. Look for photos in your child's scrapbook.

