

MWF PM

Week of 5/17/10
and 5/24/10

Preschool News

*St. John Preschool
Mrs. Ziegler & Mrs. Williams*

What we are learning: SCIENCE CONTINUES TO BE ALIVE AND WELL IN THE PRESCHOOL ROOM! The tadpoles are continuing to thrive in a new container. Mrs. Ziegler's orphaned kitten has been part of our classroom. McKenzie's friend brought a snake for show-n-tell on 5/17. Mrs. Ziegler's brother shared a bottle fed lamb with the children on our last day of school. We read the next book in our "Happily Ever After" literature series: PETER AND THE WOLF. The story is told with music - different instruments represent different animals. Our third grade buddies read to us on 5/19. Noemi's family has a new baby girl! We made pictures for her family. We walked to the Waunakee public library on 5/21. Ms. Lisa told us the story of "DON'T FIDGET A FEATHER" with a flannel board and flannel pieces. She showed us around the library and we were able to check out a book or two. We were visited by Crash Helmet on our last day of school. Have a fun summer and stay safe!

IMC on 5/19 - Mrs. Mais focused on transportation. She read a non-fiction book titled ON THE GO - a book about modes of travel around the world. She also read I LOVE TRAINS, GO, GO PLANES and GO, GO BOATS. She did a flannel board activity with trains and boats. The children were able to do a group puzzle that featured various modes of transportation. IMC on 5/26 - Mrs. Mais focused on bugs since we were at the nature center earlier this week. She read a non-fiction book titled CREEPY CRAWLY BABY BUGS. She also read BEETLE BOG and A FROG IN THE BOG. Mrs. Mais shared her son's "dead bug" collection. The children did bug bowling and played bug hokey pokey. Can school get any more fun???

Music - Ms. Meinholz reviewed three songs with the preschoolers: "God Loves Me", "This is How We Sing to Jesus" and "Each of Us is a Flower" on 5/19. We were able to watch a video of the program on 5/26. Thank you all for your excellent participation. Hope you enjoyed the program!

Thank you to the parents who helped chaperone our trip to the nature center on 5/24.

*WE ARE IN THE SAME BOAT IN A STORMY
SEA AND WE OWE EACH OTHER A TERRIBLE
LOYALTY.*

Thank you for sharing your child's first school years with us. We hope you have found the time spent with us has been beneficial for your family.

Remember: You are welcome to join us on Friday, May 28th at Creekwood Assisted Living at 10:00 for "KG and the Ranger". The show involves singing, instruments, and a "cowboy" who can use a lasso while standing on stilts! This show made possible by funds from the St. John Auction. A great way to end the school year!