



# November

## Room 3

Dear Families,

I would like to thank everyone for taking the time to meet with me for parent/teacher conferences. It was nice to talk about your children and to see your lovely faces.

During November we will learn about North America with a greater focus on the United States. We will focus on the biomes, animals and plants that make up our beautiful continent.

We will also continue our studies on leaves. The children have already learned about the parts of the leaf as well as how they differ from tree to tree. Now our focus will be on the different shapes and making their own identification books.

As we move into the holiday season we will start to talk about being thankful, peacefulness and the idea of giving. Please remember that when you are stressful your children can feel it. So take the time to slow down and enjoy these moments with your child.

On **Friday, November 17th** we will make chicken noodle soup in honor of the folk story *Stone Soup*. This story has been translated by many different authors and cultures. The lesson of the story is learning about sharing. We will also watch a play that morning put on by the upper elementary class. Please keep an eye out for a sign-up sheet as we would like to collect the ingredients earlier in the week.

Lastly, please ensure that your child has appropriate gear to go outside. The mornings are colder now but soon all recess times will be effected by cooler temperatures. Warm jackets, hats and even gloves will help your child enjoy their outside time. Remember to label everything!

### Birthdays

Teagan's 4th Birthday on the 8th

## Important Dates

### November 10th

No School  
Veteran's Day

### November 22nd, 23rd, 24th

No School  
Thanksgiving Break

### December 22nd

Half Day  
Early Release 12:30 pm

### December 26th-January 5th

Winter Break