

Father Andrew White Preschool News

October 2011

Happy Fall to all of you! It's hard to believe we have been in school for three weeks already. Your children are an absolute blessing. We have learned how to make the sign of the cross, say the pledge of allegiance, cut, paint, and stay in a straight line. Wow! We have completed the letters A through C and will be working on the letters D through G for the month of October. We will be working on the thematic units of community helpers, fire safety, and the season of Fall. I would like to take this opportunity to say what a pleasure it was to meet all of our grandparents on grandparent's day. We had a wonderful turn out. Thank you for your support.

October notables:

- October 5, 2011 the fire department will be at Father Andrew White to talk about fire safety.
- October 19, 2011 Picture Day
- October 28, 2011 is family fun day at Father Andrew White School for all grades. The children will enjoy many games and activities from 12:00 to 2:00 P.M. It's recommended that one parent be with their child during the afternoon to participate in the many activities and festivities. Please watch for details in a future Tuesday school folder.
- October 31, 2011 we will be visiting the Forest Hall pumpkin farm for a hayride, petting zoo, and a pumpkin picking in the pumpkin patch. The cost will be \$7.00 per child for the bus and pumpkin farm. Please note the permission form enclosed in today's folder. (parents attending must be finger printed and have attended the child protection workshop)
- If you would like to recycle any toys for our treasure box please send them in marked "treasure box".

- Time to change out our summer 'change of clothes' for a warmer set of clothes. Please send them in a zip lock bag marked with your child's name.

In closing, I hope that your child is developing a love for learning through their discovery and classroom experiences so far. Know that I am always here to support, love, and nurture your child. Together we can and will make a difference. Thank you for your continued involvement.

Sincerely,

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