

# October Newsletter

Footprints for Learning Preschool - Sierra Springs

## Theme:

Nocturnal  
Animals

## Virtue:

Sharing

## Letters:

t, e, c, o

## Numbers:

4, 5, 6, 7

## Reminders:

With our weather changing daily please remember to bring Jackets, gloves and hats daily as we will be going outside regularly.

## Show and Tell:

Items related to nocturnal animals or the sound of the week. Show and tell is ongoing so feel free to bring an item anytime during the month. Please limit to once per month.

## Questions or Concerns?

Please see Ms. Carmel after class or email her at: [teachers\\_ms@fflpreschool.com](mailto:teachers_ms@fflpreschool.com)

## What happened last month:

It has been a pleasure meeting and getting to know all of the children and their families. September has been a busy month learning all the classroom routines, the teachers and their new friends. We also learned a lot about ourselves. In science the children looked at their eyes and hair colour. (There is a chart on the board and we would love if you came in and had a look.) The children spent some time learning about their features using a mirror. In art, the children explored their own faces, using a mirror to help them make self-portraits out of yarn and buttons. The children had so much fun learning all about themselves and their peers. I hope you all enjoyed the first of month of school.

## Things to look forward to this month:

We are starting off October with Stone Soup, and we hope you all are able to join us. If you can't attend you are welcome to ask a family member or friend. The children will be preparing all the vegetables and then serving you the soup they have made. If your child could please bring in a vegetable, washed but not cut, on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> and on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will discuss thanksgiving and what it means to us. Also this month the children will be learning about nocturnal animals and our changing environment around us outside. We have started nature walks to observe these changes and will continue these as long as our weather cooperates. At the end of October we will be having our Halloween parties – we encourage all to come dressed up that day. We ask that children do not wear masks and do not bring weapons. Please watch out for sign up sheets after thanksgiving to bring food and/or volunteer that day in your child's class.

Just a reminder that when your child is sick or going to be away, please send an email to your child's teacher to let them know:  
[teachers\\_kh@fflpreschool.com](mailto:teachers_kh@fflpreschool.com)

Ms. Carmel, Ms. Ayesha, Ms. Sue & Ms. Breann



## Important Dates:

**October 3<sup>th</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>:** Stone Soup - join us for the last 45 minutes of class.

(Bring a vegetable on Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>)

**October 5<sup>th</sup>:** PD Day (No School)

**October 8<sup>th</sup>:** Thanksgiving (No School)

**October 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>:** Halloween Parties

**November 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>:** Picture Day