News From the Nest

This week at school we talked about zoo animals. Each day at circle we read stories and sang about different animals we might see at the zoo. We also made a list of the animals that each kiddo wanted to see when we went on our field trip!

On Monday, Miss Katie sang a new song with us called, "Elephants Have Wrinkles". It was so silly and fun and everyone loved it!

Some of the stories we read this week were: <u>Curious George Goes to the Zoo</u>, <u>Jake the Snake</u>, <u>I Love You</u>, <u>Zooborns!</u>, <u>Peek-a-Flip Zoo</u>, and If I Lived at the Zoo.

During our fine motor craft time we painted lions using forks, made zebras out of white paper lunch bags, monkeys out of paper plates, and a volcano out of the letter V.

We were able to enjoy the playground a lot this week with the warmer weather!

To end our week about the zoo, on Friday we went on a field trip to the Buffalo Zoo! We had such a great time walking around and seeing many of the animals we learned about throughout the week. Thank you to all of our chaperones who came and helped us make the trip even more fun for the kiddos!

Next week we will be learning the life cycle of a butterfly. We have added some new pets (5 furry caterpillars) to our classroom. Over the next few weeks we will watch them grow and will release them once they become beautiful butterflies. Our letter of the week will be "W". When it is your child's show & share day, please have them bring in an item that begins with this letter.

Upcoming Events

Thursday, May 9th
Mother's Day Celebration
8:45am-9:30am

Thursday, May 23rd
Art Show/Basket Auction/Ice Cream Social
6:00pm to 7:30pm
NO AFTER SCHOOL

Monday, May 27th
Memorial Day Holiday-NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, May 28th Final Parent-Teacher Conference

What We're Learning















Reminders

Going forward, please make sure your child has all their weather appropriate gear necessary to go outside each day they are at school. Please make sure all items are clearly labeled.

