

## News From the Nest

This week at school we talked about helpers in our community and the jobs that they do. We also learned about the upcoming holiday, St. Patrick's Day.

On Monday, Miss Katie came in for Music class and sang the song, "5 Little Leprechauns" with us. She brought her felt hand to help act out the song as we all sang it together. The kiddos really enjoyed this!

Piper's mom, Siobhan, also came in on Monday to talk to us about her job as a nurse. She brought several props, including: a stethoscope, a blood pressure cuff, medicine cups, and pretend syringes. She helped each of us to hear our own heartbeats. Our favorite activity was when she did an experiment with us to show us how germs stick to our hands, but when we wash them, the soap gets all the germs away!

On Tuesday, Miss Fran came in during Social Skills and showed us how to be a chef. We got to make our own pizzas for lunch-it was so fun!

Throughout the rest of the week, during our fine motor craft time, we made clovers with green puffy paint, a rainbow out of fruit loops, and a construction hat.

Some of the books we read this week included: <u>Nurses Help</u>, <u>There Was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Clover</u>, <u>3 Ways to Trap a Leprechaun</u>, <u>Dig!</u>, and <u>The Night Before St. Patrick's Day</u>.

Next week we will be talking about more community helpers! Our letter of the week will be "Q." When it is your child's show & share day, please have them bring in something that begins with this letter.

## **Upcoming Events**

Community Helpers Month All of March

> Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup> Good Friday NO SCHOOL

Monday, April 1<sup>st</sup> Easter Monday NO SCHOOL

## What We're Learning











## Reminders

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

