

Giraffe June 2018 Newsletter



Dear Giraffe Families:

It is hard to believe that the end of school has arrived. It has been an amazing year for the Giraffe Team and, a fantastic year of learning and playing with your children. Each child in our classroom has grown and changed in so many positive ways.

Thank you everyone for all your support throughout the school year! We couldn't have done it without you.

THANK YOU:

Everyone for making our Giraffe Family Breakfast so great! We appreciate all the contributions!

Even the visit from the snapping turtle helped to make the morning so memorable.

Thank for the lovely flower arrangements too.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Josephine and John C.

HAPPY SUMMER BIRTHDAYS TO:

Meher, Anneliese, Cami, Aria and Ruby

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Aria, Ruby, Cami and Victoria, they are moving on to kindergarten next fall!

This month we have been learning about construction. We opened a construction site in dramatic play which included work benches, goggles, tool belts and of course many kinds of tools. We made all kinds of constructions, some 2-d and many 3d. We used architectural tools for drawing out plans and, drove trucks through paint and mud. We celebrated our dads by creating picture frames and special cards. We made pinwheel decorations, and fruit salad for the breakfast. We even painted a huge box for everyone to play in.

Other highlights included listening to the Middle School Orchestra Concert in the large hearing room. We even got to play some of the string instruments when they visited our classroom. We also spent the morning with fifth graders from Loker School. Together we decorated quilt squares to be hung at Loker in the fall. We also got to take the famous bus ride around the Wayland Town Building parking lot.

BOOK AND SONG HIGHLIGHTS:

The Big Orange Splot by D. Pinkwater

Dreaming Up by C. Hale

De La Cabeza a los Pies in Spanish

From Head to Toe by E. Carle

Pete the Cat Construction Destruction by J. Dean

Shh! We Have a Plan by C. Haughton

“When I Build My House” song

“Build it up and Knock it Down” song

We wish everyone a wonderful summer!

Jeanne, Federica, Betsy and John

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