#### Books We Read Together

- \*One Wonderful Smile
- \*Shapes all Around
- \*Turtle Splash (math)
- \*Have you Filled a Bucket Today? (RAMS time/kindness)
- \*Kite Flying (vocabulary story)
- \*\*small group books for Ms. T and books about shapes all around us.

#### \*Sight words: at, like



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### **Upcoming Dates**

- \*PTA Monster Mash is tonight! You can still buy tickets at the door. 5:30-7:30pm
- \* Butter Braid fundraiser orders are due back on MONDAY October 28th. Consider ordering at least one to help our playground fund.
- \*Yellow Grand-friend notes are due back next Friday November 1st. I will need to know who is coming and what your child is doing for lunch. Thank you!

# Kindergarten News

Mrs. Dangel's Class

October 25th, 2019

Dear Parents.

Last week we learned about Fire Safety, teen numbers, our new science unit, and reviewed letter sounds during our short week. Thank you to everyone who came to conferences! I appreciate you working on the skills your child needs.

This week we are back to our routines with small groups and our letter of the week. We are enjoying two new write the room activities during small groups. We either find words around the room and do a free choice write the room OR we do a shape hunt. For the shape hunt we are practicing sight words, writing sentences with spacing and punctuation, handwriting of lowercase letters, reading, and showing we understand the sentence by drawing it too.

In math we are trying to master our teen numbers with many different activities that help us represent the numbers. We have to count carefully. We are also counting to 100 by 1's and 10's. Did you see the new 100 chart in the homework bag? It stays at home to practice.

We had fun dressing up for red ribbon week and talked about making healthy choices for our bodies. We were so busy we did not get any pictures taken. In guidance we made a shield with things we like about ourselves. We also welcomed our new friend Amelia to our class this week. Officer Friendly was here Friday to talk about Halloween Safety. Stay safe and no candy for snack please.

#### Ms. T has Tall Teeth

We worked on a story for Ms. T in our journals, wrote about something that was tall like her teeth for a class book and all our regular letter people—activities!

Thank you to Lily for the teddy grahams snack! Try writing words that begin and end with /t/.



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\*We practiced writing our opinion this week using our sight word like. We wrote about a favorite thing to do in the fall. Next week the kids will need to write an opinion on their own. You can practice by having them answer the following questions and writing their opinion and why. \*What is your favorite color? Why?

\*What do you like to do at home? Why?

Writing the sounds they hear might look like "I like bloo. It is prite" or "I lik to pla wif mi dol. It is fun." Most students will only write "I like \_\_\_\_\_" but practice to help with confidence is always appreciated! Thank you!