

Mrs. Utschig and Mrs. Albanese's March Newsletter

"March comes in like a lion.....and goes out like a lamb." Ask your child the meaning of that quote - they will definitely be able to tell you! "Wild Weather" will be one of the topics discussed this month. The students will use new art techniques to complete their thunder and stormy weather crafts.

We will learn many new letters this month -T, U, V, and W. The letter file holders will be filled with tigers, unicorns, vultures, and watermelons.

The beginning of the month will bring a birthday celebration. We will wish Dr. Seuss a "Happy Birthday" on March 2nd. The children love the Dr. Seuss stories, especially Wacky Wednesday.

Leprechauns will create chaos in our classroom to celebrate St. Patrick's Day! Everyone is invited to wear green on this day (Date will be following...) We will go to the gym for recess and return to our classroom to find a big surprise - tables will be moved, the puppet theater will be turned over, and I'm sure we will find tiny green footprints all over the room! The leprechauns usually leave a special St. Patrick's Day treat - green coins (but don't tell the children, yet!) The students will create rainbows, leprechauns and shamrocks!

The number 8 will be reviewed in March. The children will learn how to make an oval shape and talk about the color, purple.

The "in-house" Children's Carnival Week will be held on Monday, the 18th - Thursday, the 21st.

Easter is early this year. Spring Recess will be Monday, March 25th - Monday, April 1. School will resume on Tuesday, April 2nd.

Assessments will begin at the end of this month in preparation for Parent/Teacher conferences in April. It is wonderful to see how much your child has learned since he/she walked through the 4U/A door in September!

Let's see if March really does come in like a lion!

