

Mrs. Strehlow
4K Newsletter
January 31, 2016



Important Updates

We had a great week celebrating Lutheran Schools Week. We watched the older grades jump rope. We did an learning activity with the 4th and 8th graders. We had a baby shower for The Place of Refuge. We prayed with third and fourth grade prayer partners. We ended the week with our bowling field trip. It was a blast and a huge shout out to Bowlero Lanes who had everything all set up so it was easy for the kids to bowl. I'm afraid you may have some kids that you may bug you to go bowling again! Thanks to the AM families who adjusted their schedules to join us.

This Wednesday, February 3 will be our 100th day of school. Can you please send in 100 of 1 item in a gallon sized baggie and we will make a "100 Museum" to compare all of our 100 items. Have your child help you count them out. Please let me know if you need a gallon baggie.

Thanks for all the baby supplies sent in this week! I'm overwhelmed with your generosity!

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, Feb 3 - 100th Day of School

2/11-2/14 - Grace Classic Basketball Tournament

Friday 2/12 - Valentine's Day Party

Monday, 2/15 - NO SCHOOL

2/22 -2/25 - 4K Conferences

Jesus' Time

We learned about some little children who wanted to see Jesus, but the disciples tried to stop them because they said Jesus was too busy for children. Jesus said "Let the little children come to me" and blessed them. This is a great lesson, even today, to let the kids know how much Jesus loves children.

Books & Videos This Week

- My K Book
- If I Were A Penguin
- Without You
- The Book Who Ate My Dog
- Vegetable Glue
- Video - World of Penguins

Letter of the Week & Sight Words

Sight Words: Review - is, it, I, a, you, the, can

We learned the letter K this week with the story of Kicky Kangaroo. We made a kangaroo wheel of K words and colored kites the colors named on them. We matched up words on keys to the same printed word and wrote about things each child would put in a kangaroo's pocket. We made fruit kabobs for snack.

Everyone can bring in something that starts with the letter L next Friday.

Theme - Penguins

We used our Weekly Readers to learn how penguins work together to survive. We learned there are 17 different kinds of penguins and ways they move around. We learned some fun finger plays and made a penguin. We will finish this week by making a penguin puppet.

Centers

- I-pads - Practiced K and k.
- Listening Center - Snow Dance
- Played "The Winter Game", a board game

Math

We practiced sorting and graphing teddy bear counters. We acted out story problems and practiced writing the number 2. We located circles and rectangles in our classroom.

Next Week: Snack and Mystery Bag

Morning Class: Hannah
Afternoon Class: Lola

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