

Sahag-Mesrob Armenian Christian Pre-School CUBS

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OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

October Outline

K-2 learned both Square shape and **Orange** color in Armenian and English. The class also advanced to the number 2 and letter Cc and Dd.

K-3 learned both the Square shape and the **Orange** color in Armenian and English. Learned and traced the numbers 1-7 and letters Ee through Ll. Theme for the month was "Let's go to the Farm."

In Bible K-2 and K-3 learned about Noah's Ark.

K-4 class also learned the color **Orange** and the Square shape in both languages. How to write and count number 6-10. English letters Gg-Jj along with a few letters from the Armenian Alphabet. Phonics sounds Gg & Hh. Theme for the month was "All Around Town" and The Five Senses. The class practiced consonants sounds: C, D, F, H, M, N, T, S. Stories of the month were: "How the Zebra Got Its Stripes", "How the Cardinal Got His Red Feathers" & "Goldilocks and The Three Bears". The kids each made their own "Goldilocks and The Three Bears" and cardinal paper puppets!

During Bible story K-4 learned about how Jesus Shows Kindness and how Jesus healed a paralyzed man.

All preschool learned the "Pumpkin Prayer":

Top of pumpkin: Lord, open my mind so I can learn new things about you.
The inner part: Remove the things in my life that don't please you.

Forgive the wrong things I do and help me to forgive others.

Eyes: Open my eyes to see the beauty you've made in the world around me.

Nose: I'm sorry for the times I've turned my nose at the good food you provide.

Mouth: Let everything I say please You.

Light the Candle: Lord, help me show your light to others through the things I do.

AMEN.

All classes had Armenian story time & learned about our Armenian culture.

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Box Top Winners!

Congratulations Pre-School in taking 1st place!!!! With a combined total of 551 BoxTops!!! It was a close race with 2nd grade collecting 456 and Kindergarten with 449. The entire school collected a total of 1,884 Box-Tops!! These three classes will be rewarded with a prize. Pre-K will have popsicles for their prize.

SMACS would like to thank all the families who helped make this happen. SMACS has already shipped off the BoxTops to redeem our school earnings. Please continue to collect box tops throughout the year. Collection sheets have been sent home. Mrs. Mary has extra sheets if needed. We will have our second drawing sometime in February.

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October Birthdays

Adriana Kouyoumdjian K-2

Alexander Tabakian K-2

Aren Kouyoumdjian K-4

Talar Markarian K-4



Friendly Reminders

- SEE'S CANDIES FUNDRAISING - Continues till Nov. 13, 2015. We still have a few more boxes. Please let the office know if you're interested in selling additional boxes. For each additional box that you sell, 3 hours will be credited towards your 20 hours of parent volunteer program.
- Thank you parents for participating in our recycling program! It has been a BIG help! Each class is banking in the money to help out with classroom needs. Combined we have collected over \$200!!
- Thank you for all the BoxTops!! The Pre-School classes collected 551 BoxTops combined!! We will continue to collect BoxTops ALL year round. If you need collection sheets, please ask Mrs. Mary in the office.
- We kindly ask all parents to please not park in the middle lane during Drop-Off. The middle lane **MUST STAY CLEAR AT ALL TIMES**. This is because of safety guidelines and traffic control. Thank you.
- Students who show symptoms of illness such as fever, coughing, or runny nose should stay home for their own best interest and for the well-being of other students.

Upcoming Events



Monday, November 9 -
Pajama Day!



Tuesday, November 10 -
"Groovy" 60th Day of
School Celebration!



Wednesday, November 11 -
Veteran's Day - NO SCHOOL



Thursday, November 12 -
Superhero Day!



Friday, November 13 -
Sports Day!



Monday, November 16 -
Pupil Free Day - NO SCHOOL



Wednesday, November 25 -
Faculty Seminar - MINIMUM DAY



Thursday & Friday, November 26 & 27 -
Thanksgiving Vacation - NO SCHOOL

**Give thanks to the Lord,
for He is good; His love
endures forever.**

- 1 Chronicles 16:34



K-2 students wearing their Columbus Day hats



K-2 students with a large pumpkin in the playground



Mrs. Lara and Mrs. Lucy preparing pumpkin cookies with their K-2 class



Chuck E. visited our K-2 class





K-3a with their pumpkins before decorating them

K-3a in their chef's hats preparing pumpkin cookies to bake!



K-3a students with their decorated pumpkins!



Playing Occupational Dress Up!





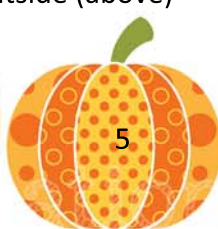
K-3b playing musical chairs (top left), enjoying outdoor playtime (right) and getting ready to bake pumpkin cookies (left)



K-3b painting the Armenian flag



Mrs. Seta and Mrs. Nicky with their K-3b class (left) and enjoying storytime outside (above)





K-4 students
preparing to
bake cookies



K-4 students with their decorated pumpkins



K-4 proudly holding the Armenian flags they made



K-4 girls having fun with chalk



K-4 boys having fun with chalk



K-4 class with Columbus
Day hats they made



Armenian Cultural Program

On October 22nd SMACS invited family and friends to watch a memorable presentation performed by our Pre-K classes. They walked up wearing their custom handmade T-shirts while holding our flag with bright smiles. With pride, they sang songs and recited poems in Armenian. It was definitely a day to remember.



Preschool teachers and students are proud to be Armenian!



Mrs. Lucy & Mrs. Lara with their K-2 students



The Preschool teachers



More Armenian Cultural Day Photos



Mrs. Seta and Mrs. Nicky with their K-3b class



Anthony and Mila from K-3a



Peter and Aleena from K-3a



K-3 and K-4 students performing during the program



Mrs. Lucy and Miss Diana with their K-4 class



Aram and Arpi from K-3a

PUMPKIN PATCH FIELD TRIP



Mrs. Dalita and her K-3a students



Miss Diana with a few of her K-4 students



K-3b students and parents

PUMPKIN PATCH FIELD TRIP



Miss Diana with her K-4 class and their parents



Our Preschool Teachers (L - R): Mrs. Nicky, Mrs. Lucy, Mrs. Lara, Mrs. Dalita, Miss Diana, Mrs. Lucy and Mrs. Seta
(Not pictured: Mrs. Silva)



PUMPKIN PATCH FIELD TRIP



Everyone enjoyed a nice lunch in the park after the Pumpkin Patch



smacs HARVEST

On October 30th Sahag-Mesrob held its 21st Annual Harvest Fair, with foot traffic exceeding over 600 guests!!!! The school opened its doors to family & friends to enjoy a night of carnival games, video game truck, varieties of food, euro bungee, arts & crafts, and a list of endless activities. We had kids dressed up as superheroes and princesses to a mom and son Ring Master and Strongest Man costume! A special thank you to our SMACS PTF and Staff for hosting such an enjoyable evening!



