*Dear Parents,*

*The year is just ‘march-ing’ right along. The children are growing taller and taller, getting smarter every day and just blooming into Kindergarteners! We are amazed everyday with your children.*

*Thanks to all who came for parent teacher conferences. Since I don’t get to see you every day it is nice to see you and talk to you. If you have not yet received your child’s mid-year report, it will be coming home soon!*

*We have begun a few countdowns in our classroom, we have 57 days left until the last day of school. Easter has been a big topic at group time so we have 26 days until Easter and finally we have 8 days until spring. We have paper chains in the classroom and take one off every day. It is an easy visual representation of time and how long it will be. We also have a calendar, so they can see it in a more traditional way. Also, we are only counting the school days, when we are together.*

*We would like to welcome our student teachers Miss Lauren and Miss Megan to our class. They will be with us on Tuesday and Thursday until May when their semester is over!*

*Miss Janis and Miss Katie and Mr. Bobby*

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In like a lion

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Out like a lamb!

*March is National Literacy Month.* Try to read one children’s book every day to develop the love of reading, learning and closeness with your child!!

*Special days in* March!

**March 17**: St. Patrick’s Day and No School today

March 2017

**Themes for March:**

For the first two weeks, we will have a Dr. Seuss, theme with a literacy and math focus.

The third week we will listen to and explore different types of music. We will also make musical instruments.

The last week of the month we will examine 4 different types of art by looking at the artist’s creations and then trying out the artist style ourselves.

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If you have any concerns, please call or send a note right away!

Happy Birthday to You!!

Emma turns 4 on March 11!

