

# Kindergarten Newsletter

News and events from rooms 1, 2, and 6

October 12<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup>, 2009

## This week is Green Week!

**Math** Chapter 3: Patterns- students will be identifying patterns; copying and extending color, size, and shape patterns; and comparing patterns.

**Language Arts** Theme 2: Colors All Around. Focus on S, writing S and making the sound of S. Learning about sequence of events in a story. What happens first, next, and last. Daily message, interactive dialogue journals and shared writing.

Sammy Seal Alpha friend song (tune: Yankee Doodle)

Sammy Seal will sail the sea when summer is the season.

Sammy Seal will sail the sea and never need a reason.

Sammy Seal will sail the sea in very sunny weather.

Sammy Seal salutes a seagull as they sail together!

Themes: color of the week: green

I Went Walking class book

**Art** **Yellow+Blue=green hand prints, Green Frog Monart, scarecrows**

**Sight Words** brown, red, yellow, blue, green, I

## Important Notes

\*Welcome back. We hope you had a wonderful and restful vacation. Please don't forget this Friday is no school for students. Teachers have a staff development day.

\*Please return library books ASAP.

\*Kindergarten Box Tops competition: Last week you received a folder with Box Tops information. Please turn in your box tops on the form provided by October 25th. The winning kindergarten class gets a free recess with our principal.

## Important Dates

\*Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup>: Have your child wear something **green**. Please do not go out and buy any new clothes. You can pin something green on your child's shirt that day!

\*Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>: **No school for students**-Teachers staff development

\*Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>: **Minimum Day**-Teachers have collegial planning.

All k's attend 7:55-11:20.