

Napa Valley Montessori Learning Center

Lower Elementary Newsletter

March 2015

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Happy Birthday to Kale'a who turns 6 on March 24th!

Spring camp week starts on Monday, March 30, 2015. We are planning a week of science fun!

Month at a glance: March

This month transition classes are learning about what it means to be an All Star Citizen, synonyms and antonyms.

In addition to our Math and Language Arts individual lessons in the mornings, our afternoons consist of a variety of activities. The month at a glance provides an overview of what we learn beyond just Math and Language Arts but is occasionally subject to change.

Science and Culture:

March is Women's History Month. We will be learning about important women who have made a difference in our world. We are also holding our own interviews of Women at Work.

The youngers will be learning about the plant cell as we continue along their geologic time-line.

The olders will be continuing their studies of the Renaissance time period as we continue along their civilization time-line.

For our space lessons, we will be learning about Earth and Mars as we continue our studies of our solar system.

Art:

Since we are celebrating St. Patrick's Day we will be doing a variety of arts and crafts surrounding St. Patrick's Day including a leprechaun trap!

After- school corner:

Science and Outdoor Exploration -We will learn about simple electric circuits and the basic concept of electricity. We will experience and build a light circuit powered by a battery and controlled by a switch. We will also learn about electrical conductors and insulators.

Music- We are concluding our Karate Recorder by wrapping our black belt song: "Ode to Joy"