

Inglemoor Cooperative
Preschool
Kirkland, WA

Family Newsletter

November 2017

Happy Thanksgiving!

Theme:

Thanksgiving/Turkeys

Science:

Nutrition

Shape:

Triangle

Colors:

Brown

Let's Party!

Thursday October 26

6:30-8:30pm

The ICP Halloween Party and Trunk or Treat is THE preschooler event of the year! Wear your costume

and bring the whole family for a night of not-so-spooky games, activities, crafts, treats, and potluck dinner!

We will have carnival games, prizes, a dance party room, and trunk or treating!

The party is located in the classroom, with dinner downstairs in the kitchen area. Trunk or treating is in the parking lot.



FAMILY ED NIGHT

When:

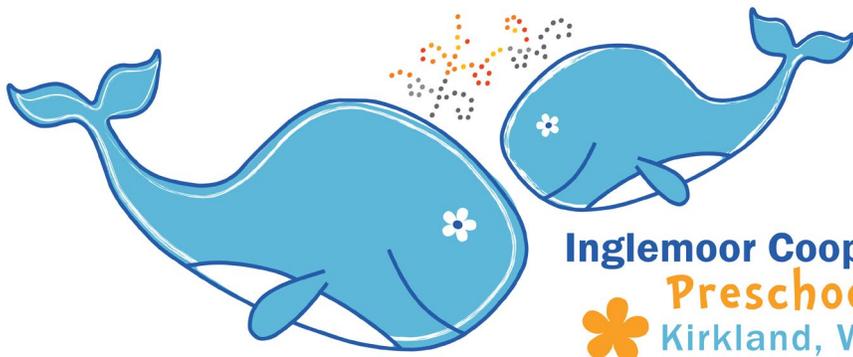
Thursday, Nov 16, 6:30-8:30 at ICP
(First 30 min is class meeting)

Topic:

Mindfulness for Children and Families, speaker Ann Hollar



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FROM TEACHER DENISE

In October we talked about pumpkins, the fall season and leaves changing color. We made dried apples. We have been hard at work on our problem solving and friendship skills. These are concepts you can reinforce and talk about at home. Our strategies to solve problems are: walk away, take turns and share, say “stop”, apologize, or ask an adult for help. Ask your child about these.

In addition, our Pre-K kids dazzled us with all the fantastic skills they have with their “I can” demonstrations. We have a list in the classroom of all the skills we saw.

We have started our letter of the week. Let me know if you have any questions. In November, we will be talking about food and nutrition. We will also be discussing what it means to be grateful.

Just a reminder as cold and flu season is kicking off. Please keep an eye out for kids putting things in their mouth (especially name tags and hands). You can help by helping kids to wash or sanitize hands.

Thanks for all your help!

Denise

FROM TEACHER GINA

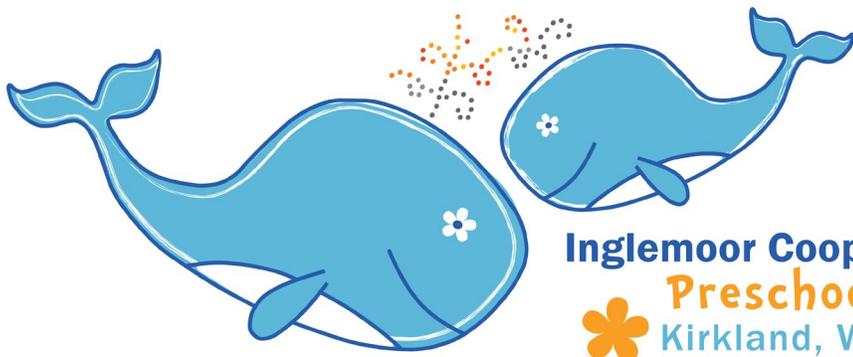
We have seen lots of changes this past month! The kids are practicing following directions, eye-hand coordination, counting, and recognizing shapes and colors. We had lots of fun creating pumpkins, monsters, and owls of all shapes.

In the $\frac{3}{4}$ class the kids get to choose a song at circle. Thank you Lilly Noble for choosing Taylor Swift “Shake It Off” and Katherine Allhouse for finding the kids version on iTunes. The kids, parents, and I had a great time singing and dancing along.

November is the month of giving thanks. We all have so much to be thankful for. We will be focusing our curriculum on Thanksgiving and nutrition. The kids will develop an understanding of the foods of Thanksgiving, and become more aware of the many people and things they have to be thankful.

At home, talk with your child about the special ways your family celebrates Thanksgiving. Make sure to emphasize things for which you are thankful.

If at any time you would like to share a family tradition with our class we would love to have you do so just let me know.
– Teacher Gina



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IMPORTANT DATES

Mark your
calendar!

Oct. 26
ICP Family Halloween Party

Nov 4
Fall Outdoor Cleaning: 9:00am -
1:00pm

Nov 10
NO SCHOOL - Veteran's Day

Nov 16
Parent Ed at ICP

Nov 22-24
NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving

Nov 27
Begin in-class discussion on Chapter #1

Nov 29
Last day of quarter, make up assignments
due

ICP SHOUT OUTS!

Marizka Capiral
Organizing the fantastic
school photos. We
appreciate the time you
spent prepping for picture
day!

Fam Douglas
Organizing the excursions. The pumpkin patch
was lots of fun!

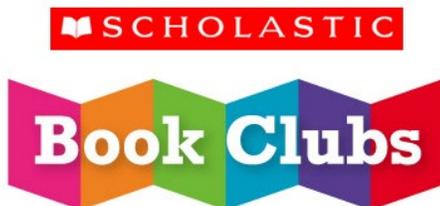
Bonnie Lehenbauer
Thank you for fixing the drawers on the train/car
table!

Amanda Stuckey
For being an awesome coordinator and making
the first month of school so smooth! Thorough,
organized, and on the ball!

Dramatic Play Team
Thanks for an awesome dramatic play area.
Everyone loves it!

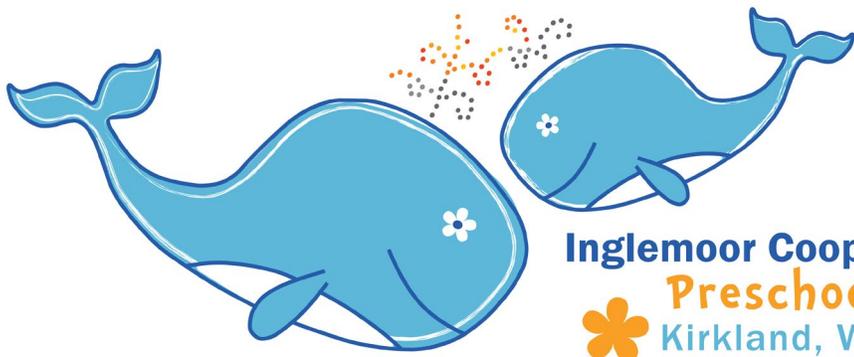
Thank You!!!!

BOOK ORDERS



November book orders are due by Friday, November 17th. This will be the last book delivery before the holidays! If you'd like to order books as gifts for your child and do not want them put in your box, please email Tami at tamaram@gmail.com to make arrangements.

Website: www.scholastic.com/bookclubs
Class Activation Code: HCQX6



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FUNDRAISING

Square1 Art Keepsake

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IT STARTS WITH THE ART!

Kids Art Keepsake personalized catalogs and stickers will be arriving around Oct. 25th or so. All orders will be placed online and due by November 6th.

Don't hesitate to reach out to Nikki (price_nikki@hotmail.com) if you have any questions!

Shop with Scrip

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Using Scrip to buy gift cards online is an easy way to meet your entire fundraising goal! Purchase gift cards to places you already shop for your typical shopping needs, or purchase them for holiday gifts for friends, family, or clients! Physical cards and e-cards are available.

See the following page for details on how to enroll and start saving now!

Holiday Poinsettia and Greenery



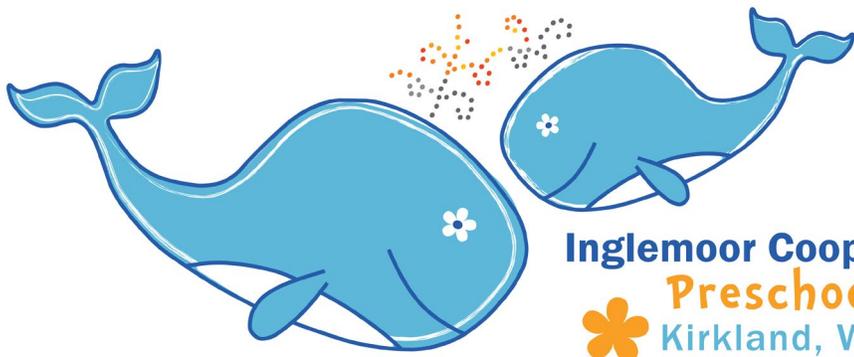
The fundraiser is ON! Everyone should have received a packet at the class meetings and an email with all links to order. If you decide not to register as a Champion, make sure your customers put your child's (or family's) name in the "Delivery Notes" section so we know who will be picking it up, and who gets the fundraising credit.

If a customer is paying by check, it should be made out to ICP. All cash and checks received for orders can be placed in the red tuition box in the classroom and must be in an envelope with FUNDRAISING and your families name written on the envelope.

All orders are due by Oct. 31st. We are running an awesome contest during this fundraiser. The class that sells the most (per child enrolled average) will get a special class surprise to be announced soon!

ONLINE ORDERING

<https://www.farmraiser.com/campaigns/inglemoor-preschool-2017-holiday-sale>



HOW TO REGISTER:

To place your scrip orders, you need to create a ShopWithScrip® account. Go to www.ShopWithScrip.com and click on the 'How to Enroll' button at the top of the page. Next, click 'Join Your Scrip Program.' You will need to enter your organization's unique enrollment code. This code allows the ShopWithScrip system to link your account activity with our organization.

Next, fill in all the required information and click 'Register.' You will be asked to select two challenge questions and provide answers, which will be required if you forget your password. Keep in mind that your answers are case-sensitive.

The ICP enrollment code is 8L63E5BB47718

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You can manage your account through your Dashboard, which you can access by clicking the 'Dashboard' link at the top of any page. From here, you can check your account activity, change your profile and password, add, remove, and modify organizations you belong to, and read coordinator announcements. You can also run your own order and rebate history reports and view or print any ScripNow® eCards that you've previously ordered.



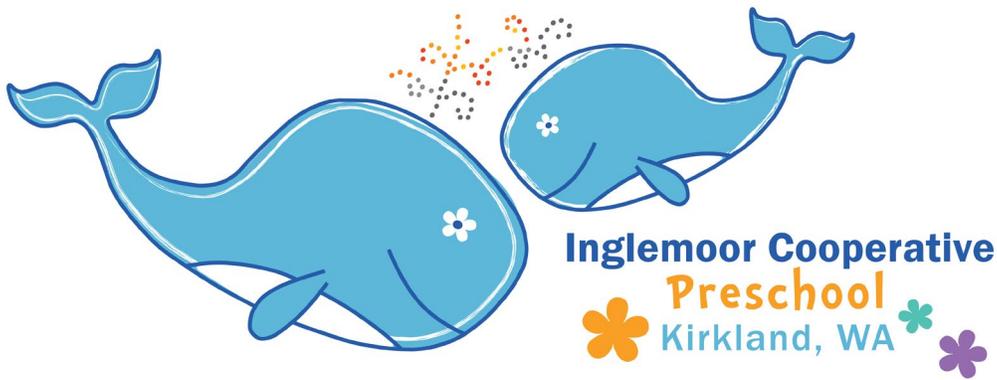
IT'S EASY TO ORDER

You can login and place orders a few different ways:

Shop Tab: Looking for a gift? Not sure what's available? Click 'Shop' at the top of the page and use this feature to sort products and browse by category, card type, or rebate percentage.

Express Order: Know exactly what you want? Quickly add the items to your cart using this feature.

Shopping Lists: Order the same products each week? Add these items to a shopping list for easy ordering; then set reminders so you get an email when it's time to place another order.



BOARD MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Kristina Watilo, Vice Chair

This is Kristina's third year at ICP. Her son Oliver is in the Pre-K class and Emma is in the 2/3 class. Pre-kids she was a first grade teacher for seven years, and currently she bakes out of her home. She is currently the Vice Chair, and previously she was Toddler class coordinator, and also a crown sewer. Kristina loves being on the board and helping make decisions for our wonderful school. When she's not baking or being mom, she loves being outside, kickboxing, and a night out with her hubby or friends.



Katie Miller, Registrar

Katie is this year's Registrar. This is her fourth year at ICP with Mia (Pre-K class), and Jack (Toddler class). She was previously on the fundraising team and was a board member in the Marketing Co-Chair position. Katie originally came to Seattle to attend the University of Washington where she received a BA in Theater, and then started and ran her own theater company. She also worked in high-end real estate property management. She joined the board to become more involved with the wonderful community at ICP and help share her enthusiasm for the school with other families. In her free time she likes to do yoga, decorate her home and cheer on the Seahawks and Huskies.