# GLCDC News - November '13



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# Celebrate Thanksgiving

To share the spirit of Thanksgiving with our school family, GLCDC will have its annual feast on **Thursday, Nov. 14**. We'll have a delicious lunch of roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, dressing and more!

As a special treat, the children will make homemade butter. In keeping with our feast theme, afternoon snack will be pumpkin pie.



# Holiday closure

GLCDC will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 28 and Friday, Nov. 29 for Thanksgiving.

We will reopen Monday, Dec. 2 at 7 a.m.

# Christmas holiday closures



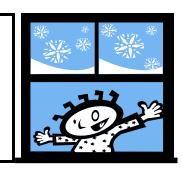
Christmas and New Year's Day fall on Wednesdays this year. GLCDC is normally closed from Dec. 24 through Jan. 1. We plan to reopen on Thursday, Jan. 2 — as usual. But we might be closed on Monday, Dec. 23.

Please look for the sign-up sheet and tell us if you need to bring your children on Monday, Dec. 23. If we do not have enough families coming on Dec. 23, we will be closed.

If you have not already done so, take a minute and write your name on the sign-up sheet, and tell us NO or YES for Monday, Dec. 23.

#### **SNOW DAY INFORMATION**

During the winter months, GLCDC follows <u>Warren Consolidated Schools</u> for snow day closures. If you hear an announcement on the radio, or see on local TV news that <u>Warren Consolidated Schools</u> are closed for snow and/or ice conditions then we will be closed, too.



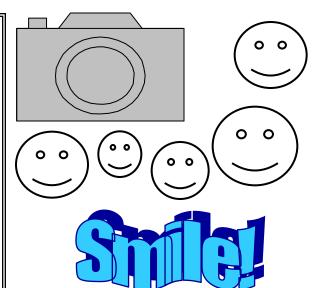
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#### Picture days set, Nov. 18-19

Teddy Bear Portraits will be here to take pictures on Monday, Nov. 18 and Tuesday, Nov. 19 starting at 8 a.m.

You do not have to pay on the day that pictures are taken. In a few weeks, representatives from Teddy Bear Portraits will be back with your child's complete package. You pay at that time based on the number of photos you buy.

Even if you don't want a photo package, please bring your child in to have his or her picture taken for a class composite photo. Remember, there's no charge to have your child's photo taken and there is no obligation to buy any photos.





#### Goal-setting helps you succeed



Studies have shown that people who set goals are more likely to succeed because they know where they are going.

It's okay to set small goals. You don't have to strive to earn a million dollars on a business venture; just try to save \$10 or \$20 per pay period and see what you have in a year. Once you have set and reached a series of small goals, you may find you're ready to strive for larger goals.

Most importantly, don't give up. Keep working at your goal, even when it feels impossible to achieve. As automobile pioneer Henry Ford once said, "If you think you can or you think you can't — you are right."

November
Birthdays



Charlotte E.	11/4/08	Sophia Y.	11/16/09
Asher D.	11/5/10	Michael B.	11/20/08
Andreas E.	11/5/09	Emma F.	11/21/08
Adriana E.	11/7/11	Clare C.	11/24/09
Lucy W.	11/15/08	Kassidy C.	11/25/09

**Miss Jessica** 11 / 9 **Miss Beth** 11 / 12

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Pre-Kindergarten

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# Thanksgiving will be celebrated on Thursday, Nov. 21 with a special feast at lunchtime!

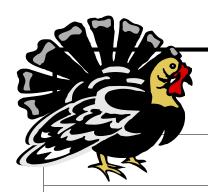
THEME: HALLOWEEN! Letter: H Number: 4 Color: Gray	Please say please and thank you when you	29 <u>Miss Benni's class</u> Show & Tell letter H	30 <u>Miss Kristie</u> Show & Tell letter H	71 PARTY DAY Halloween Party!!	NOVEMBER 1 Diamonds and	
Shape: Diamond  THEME: Voting Letter: A Number: 5 Color: Brown Shape: Pentagon	Trick or Treat  4  Discuss elections and introduce "Daily Vote"	5 <u>Miss Benni's class</u> Show & Tell letter A	6 <u>Miss Kristie</u> Show & Tell letter A	7 Miss A says, "AHH-CHOO!"	Kites  8  Pentagon has 5 sides	
THEME: THANKSGIVING Letter: P,# 6 Color: Orange Shape: Oval	Who were the Pilgrims and Native Americans?	Miss Benni's class Show & Tell letter P	Miss Kristie Show & Tell letter P	Miss P has pointy patches	Planting and Harvest	
THEME: THANKSGIVING Letter: Z, # 7 Color: Black Holiday Shapes	Mr. Z has zipping zippers	19 <u>Miss Benni's class</u> Show & Tell letter Z	20 <u>Miss Kristie</u> Show & Tell letter Z	21 PARTY DAY THANKSGIVING FEAST at GLCDC	<b>22</b> Counting 7	
THEME: ADVENT Letter: B, # 8 Colors: Purple / Pink Shape: Octagon	What is Advent?	Miss Benni's class Show & Tell letter B	Miss Kristie Show & Tell letter B	GLCDC CLOSED Happy Tha	GLCDC CLOSED anksgiving!	



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Insects Letter J j Number 10	Practice tracing & writing our names	Color book: ORANGE	Learn 10 Letter J	Practice cutting lines & shapes	Fun with squares	E TO
Number 10				CORNUCOP	IA PROJECT	95
THEME: Thanksgiving Letter K k Number 1	18 Review # 1 Letter K	Fun with diamonds	Practice cutting lines & shapes	Thanksgiving Feast @ GLCDC	Color book: GREEN TURKEY PROJ	ECT
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# Preschool Prep

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Happy Thanksgiving!!

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Autumn Letter: I; # 9	4	5	6	7	8	
Color: Black/ White Shape: Heart	What happens in the fall? Why?	Squirrel-y Fun	Make a "waxy leaf" collage	Learning about hibernation and migration	Make a leaf rubbing picture	
About Our Bodies Letter: J; # 10 Colors: Red Shape: Circle	Head	Trunk of Body	Limbs	Exercise your body	How do our body parts work together?	0 0
Pilgrims Native Amers.	18	19	20	21 Annual	22	
Letter: K; # 11 Color: Blue Shape: Square	Who were the Native Americans?	Make a headdress	Who were the Pilgrims?	Thanksgiving Feast at GLCDC	Make a Pilgrim hat	
Thanksgiving Letter: L; # 12 Color: Green Shape: Triangle	What is Thanksgiving?	What are you thankful for?	Make a hand turkey	GLCDC CLOSED	GLCDC CLOSED	

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		J is for Jelly Bean	Ten 10		Red		Rectangle	Fun with Cool Whip		
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