

Parents,

The petting zoo visited school last week! Our friends were so calm and gentle with the animals even when the baby goats tried to nibble on their clothes.



In Art, the children created collages using glue and popsicle sticks and other wooden shapes. They were encouraged to fill all the negative space and overlap the different shapes. This activity worked their fine motor, listening and concentration skills.



In Music, we learned about the life cycle of butterflies and then morphed into our own dancing butterflies using colorful scarves as wings.



Bugs, butterflies and other insects have also become a part of our day-to-day activities in the classroom and our sensory bin is no exception!



And sometimes even more sensory play is requested, so shaving cream it is! Our friends had the BEST time smoothing shaving cream onto the playground sensory bin, their faces and just about every part of their bodies that was not covered by clothing.



At Outdoor Classroom, we watched friends observe how this sensory apparatus worked and then team up to make it happen. One friend had to use their gross motor skills and core strength to scoop the rice mixture and pour it into the tube while the other could see it move down the tube and into the basin. When the basin was too full, everyone used their strong muscles to empty the rice mixture back into the large basin.

And with Easter around the corner, we had a few extra bunnies hoping around.



Happy Birthday to Colt and Ms. Caroline!



What's Ahead

4/10 Chapel

4/17 Chapel

4/24 Chapel & Baby Blessing

4/29 & 4/30 SCHOOL CLOSED Parent/Teacher Conferences

(Sign-up Genius forthcoming)

We hope everyone had a wonderful weekend. See you tomorrow!

Amanda and Caroline