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The Chatterbox – September 2018

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**September Raffle
Elizabeth Dittmar**



**Next Meeting!
Guest Speaker
Carol Stevens
God's Little Lambs**

**Tuesday, October 2, 2018
Olive Garden**



**We're looking forward to
God's Little Lambs
Executive Director Carol
Steven's visit to our
October meeting.**

**F Sunday, November 3, 2018
A Zeber Home**

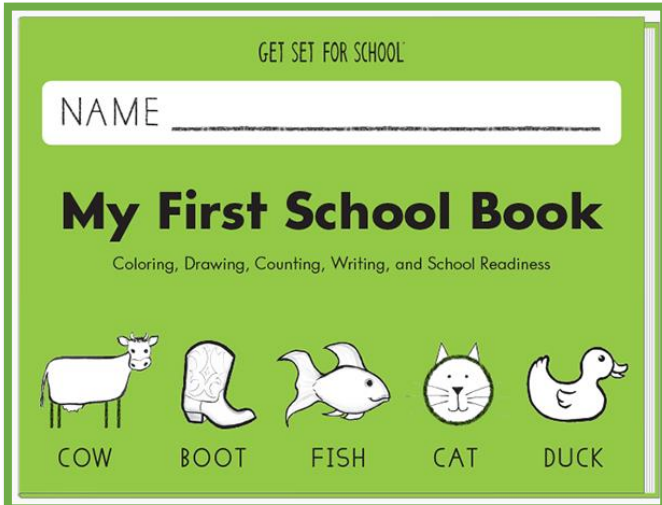
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\$20.00 per person
P Proceeds for Operations**

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Migrant Children

Back to School



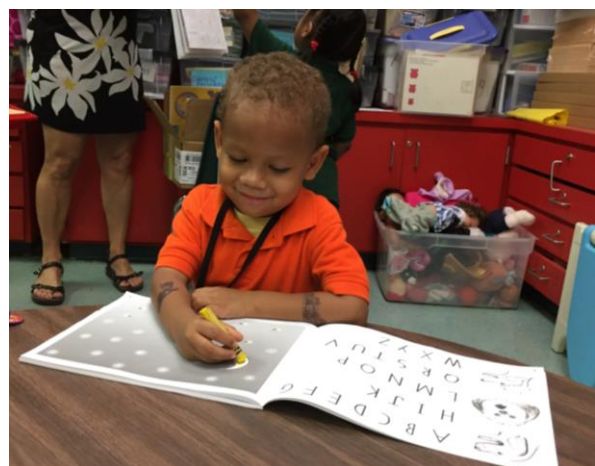
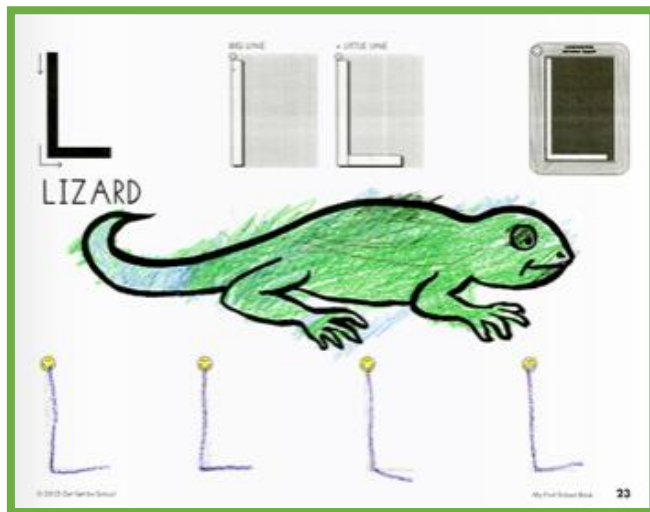
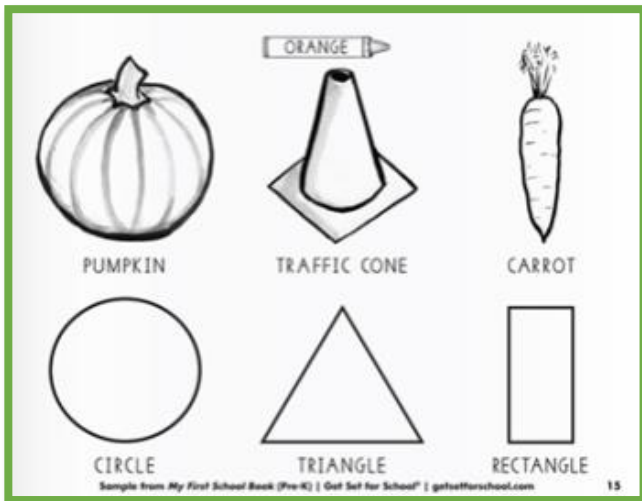
Seventeen (17) darling three- and four-year-old children are members of the migrant program at C. Markham Elementary School this year. Per the Broward County website, “The Migrant Education Program is a compensatory education program designed to address many of the unmet needs of migratory students.”

Teacher Laura Van Epps has purchased twenty (20) *My First School Books* at \$10.00 each for the children as part of her “Teacher’s Wish List” funding from QI of Fort Lauderdale. A product description from the vendor of the value of these books follows.

“Children learn joyfully with the multisensory readiness activities in *My First School Book*. Children of different abilities develop and practice readiness and pre-writing skills.

- Child-friendly language makes letter and number formation easy.
- Unique gray crayon stroke disappears when children trace over it.
- Social-emotional activities for school readiness
- Color, number, and shape lessons develop crayon and pencil grip.”

Other items purchased with their \$300 wish list grant were sheets for their nap mats, sidewalk chalk, Mr. Clean Magic Erasers, etc.





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MARKHAM BACK TO SCHOOL

Of course the most important purchases were the *My First School Books*. However, in her thank you note to the club, teacher Laura says, “The best purchase so far was a bubble machine! The children love it!”

On Tuesday, September 25th, Carol Zeber visited the school and the children took her to the playground to see their bubbles. If one looks closely, one might see the bubbles in the picture (right).

Carol took a two-minute movie, in which the bubbles can be more clearly seen. What a delight to see the children chasing the bubbles and squealing with happiness. Maybe we can watch this video at our fall party.



Mindy Edsall 10/16

Supporting Other Clubs

Plantation's Miss Piggy Luncheon



Elaine Reyes, Past R8 Director Elinor Adler, Cookie Llamas, Elizabeth Dittmar

Elizabeth Dittmar and Carol Zeber attended QI of Plantation's Miss Piggy Luncheon on September 15th. It was a wonderful event. We had a great time. See the best pictures and hear what it was really about in the next issue of *"The Great Region 8"* newsletter! Thank you Elinor for opening your lovely home and inviting Fort Lauderdale Quotarians to your club event.

5th Region Conference
St. Augustine, Florida
April 26-28, 2019
Embassy Suites
Oceanfront Hotel



Save the Date

Hart Holiday Party



Saturday
December 8, 2018
6:00 pm
Fundraiser
For
Service

FASHION SHOW! PUT ON YOUR THINKING CAPS!

Co-Chairs Emily McCrater and Laura Capolino will be inviting us to our first fashion show meeting. One of the things we'll be asked to choose is the theme. Carole Hart and Jackie Rule have already submitted some ideas. How about yours? So we don't repeat ourselves, themes from the previous six years follow.

2018 -- STILL SPARKLING – CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF SERVICE

2017 – CHARITÉ C'EST MAGNIFIQUE! OOH LA LA!

2016 -- WHERE GIVING IS ALWAYS IN STYLE

2015 – LEAVE A LITTLE SPARKLE WHEREVER YOU GO!

2014 – STEP UP TO FASHION WITH QUOTA WHERE SERVICE HAS ALWAYS BEEN IN STYLE

2013 – UP UP & AWAY INTO SERVICE WITH QUOTA

Note from Quotarian Cindy Hines in Kentucky – “I’m planning on having a girl trip to Fort Lauderdale in March to attend the fashion show. Miss you!”