# LAKELANDS LITTLE LEARNERS

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#### OCTOBER RECAP

During this chilly fall season, in October the kids explored the subject of oceanography. As they researched the subject they came to realize how vast and unexplored the world oceans are, which set them off on a quest to learn more. They conducted an experiment to see why oceans don't freeze, to their surprise it was because of the salt. As they realized how deep the oceans are, they made layers of the oceans in a jar that they proudly displayed, sharing their discoveries with teachers and classmates. To better understand the bottom of the sea, the kids built a layer (trench) of the ocean floor with flour and salt in shoeboxes creating trenches and caves. They also came to appreciate the impact that garbage has on the oceans that encouraged them to want to recycle more. As we discussed the importance of marine life the kids decided to help out the animals in our community. They did so by bringing in a donation to give to Lakeland Animal Shelter.

### NOVEM BER NEWS

For this month, we are going to explore the subject of Zoology, the study of the animals of the world. We hope to learn why cat's eyes glow? How do fish breathe? How do animals stay warm in ice water? As we learn about the animals and their sizes, the kids will create "Actual Size" measurements for animals of their choice. As we learn about the amazing wildlife found on our planet, the kids will create a game of jeopardy that they will play in teams.

## REMINDERS

There is no school on November  $27^{th}$  or the  $29^{th}$ . If you need child care, please contact the main center at 262-723-8391 by November  $15^{th}$  at 10 am.

Please send a warm coat, gloves and hat with your child each day as we do go outside everyday, weather permitting zero degrees and above.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

Paws to Read Matheson Memorial Library November 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th

# FAMILY CONNECTION

Discuss with your child the variety of animals found around the world and which animal is their favorite? Where does it live? Why is that animal important to the ecosystem? As you learn about it together, take a walk to the library and look for books on that species. Lakeland Animal Shelter will be visiting with animals that are looking for a good home on Mondays 415–515 during the month of November. There, you can play with puppies and kittens helping the animals to become familiar with kids and people.