



**October
2025**

Sligo Creek

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AM THEMES:

MONDAY:	Music Monday: What better way to start our week than with activities that involve music?!
TUESDAY:	Teamwork Tuesday: Cooperative games or partner activities to boost friendships and teamwork!
WEDNESDAY:	Wow Wednesday: Students will share or make something amazing that will wow us!
THURSDAY:	Talent Thursday: Students will share a special skill or hobby or join a game of karaoke or improv theater.
FRIDAY:	Freestyle Friday: This is where we'll show off our talents!

Community Resources:

Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services

1301 Picard Dr, Rockville, MD 20850 |
(240) 777-0311

The Family Services

620 E Diamond Ave, Gaithersburg, MD
20877 | (301) 840-3200

24-Hour Crisis Center

240-777-4000 | TTY: (301) 251-4850

Department of General Services

– Montgomery County

101 Monroe St, Rockville, MD 20850
(240) 777-6191



Dear KidsCo Families,

If you enjoyed September, get ready because October is packed with even more excitement! We have 3 All Days coming up this month —Thursday, October 2nd, Friday, October 17th, and Monday, October 20—so be sure to mark your calendars.

Also, don't forget to visit your site's webpage on our website, kidscoonline.com, to check out our staff bio page. It's a great way to get to know the amazing KidsCo

team! Our staff is a group of talented, friendly, and well-trained individuals who are eager to care for your children. We're incredibly fortunate to have such a fun and dedicated team, and they can't wait to make this month even more special for you and your family!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We have 3 KidsCo all days in October! The themes are below:

October 2nd- Hispanic Heritage Day
October 17th- Field Trip to Cox Farm
October 20th- Jersey Day

Football Schedule:

October 13th- Away vs Pine Crest
October 22nd- Home vs Brooke Grove

October Events:

October 24th- Annual Trunk or Treat
October 31st- Dinner and a Movie

KIDSCO SNACK & ACTIVITY CALENDAR



*All snacks are served with fruit/vegetables and water/milk.

			1 2 Pirates Booty	3 Hummus and Carrots
			Yom Kippur: No School KidsCo Open All Day!	
6 Yogurt and Granola	7 Chips and Salsa	8 Cheese Stick and Graham Crackers	9 Cereal and Milk	10 Yogurt and Graham Crackers
13 Cheez It and Juice	14 Emoji Cookies and Fruit	15 Hummus and Carrots	16 Yogurt and Granola	17 Fig Newtons and Animal Crackers
Away Football Game				Professional Day: No School KidsCo Open All Day!
20 Goldfish and Popcorn	21 Chips and Salsa	22 Cheese Stick and Graham Crackers	23 Cereal and Milk	24 Yogurt and Graham Crackers
Professional Day: No School KidsCo Open All Day!		Home Football Game		Trunk or Treat
27 Cheez It and Juice	28 Emoji Cookies and Fruit	29 Hummus and Carrots	30 Yogurt and Granola	31 Chips and Salsa
Ticket Store begins				Dinner and a Movie

CLUBS:

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, & FRIDAYS

Football (All grades)- The season is underway and the team is looking great. Tae is looking to make it to the championship again this year!

Spooky Crafts (K-2nd)- Rebekah and Ama are feeling the spooky spirit and our craft club this month will have a spooky themes.

Theater (All Grades)- Aaron and Makayla are getting started on the production. This month they are getting the stage crew informed about what they need to do.

Engineering (3rd and Up)- Quentin and the 3rd and up staff are going to inspire the kids to get their wheels turning in engineer club.

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS

Fall Festival (3rd and Up)- Dibora and Andrew are using the season to create fun stuff that is right up the older kids alley.

Lacrosse (3rd and Up)- Aaron is excited about bringing a new sport to the site. We will be learning and playing Lacrosse for fun.

TikTok Trends (3rd and Up)- TikTok is a pretty big deal, Dani is going to find some fun appropriate trends to share with the kids.

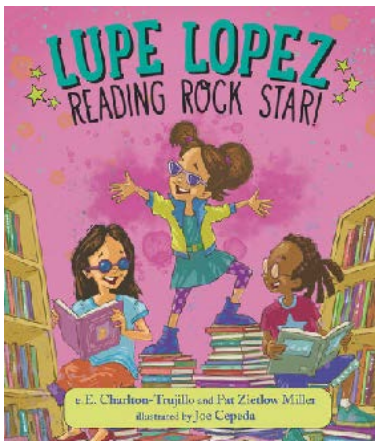
Yoga (K-2nd)- Mindfulness is key. Giselle will play some fun Yoga games with the kids and teach different breathing strategies.

Monster Art Club (K-2nd)- Makayla will use her art skills to show the children how to make fun monster art.

Party Games (K-2nd)- Musical chairs, rock paper scissors, and more! Tae will get this club going with some fun party games.

BOOKS OF THE MONTH

K-1



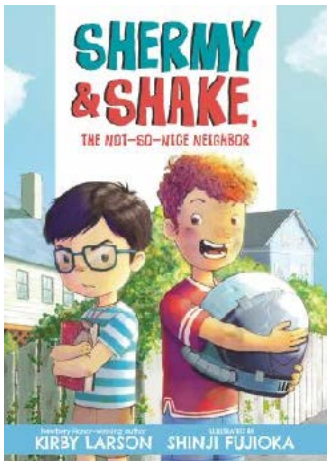
Description: Famous at Hector P. Garcia Elementary for being the first kid in kindergarten to ever start a band, Lupe Lopez enters first grade seeking a new sort of fame. She's ready to rock and roll straight into the role of Reading Rock Star! But despite her best efforts, the words she *thought* she knew--now grouped in sentences--only glare back at her. Stuck in Group A with the kids who can't read, she becomes the object of a rival's mockery. Will her beloved band, and her confidence, survive the sting of defeat? Leave it to Lupe to prove that the beat she feels when she taps her pencil isn't so very different from words and sentences--and that a real rock star is someone who doesn't give up.



4th & Up

Description: Olive Cobin Zang has . . . issues. And they *mostly* aren't her fault. (No, really!) Though she often slips under the radar, problems have a knack for finding her. So, imagine her doubts when she's suddenly dropped off at the strangest boarding school ever--a former castle turned prison that's now a "reforming arts school"! But nothing could've prepared Olive for RASCH (*not* "rash"). Turns out that RASCH is in danger of closing, unless Olive's class can stop the heist of the century. And as Olive falls in love with this wacky school, she realizes it's up to her new team to save the only home that's ever welcomed them.

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Description: When a new kid comes to stay with his grandmother at the house next door, Shermy's plans for a quiet, relaxing summer are completely upended. That's because Shake is *nothing* like Shermy. And Shermy is *nothing* like Shake. Shermy likes to read quietly in the shade of a tree. He knows the proper way to do a puzzle. He collects treasures in the pouch he wears around his neck, and the books on his shelves are alphabetized by author. Shake likes to play street hockey or space explorers. He gobbles up rocket ice pops and Toaster Tarts. He shows up unannounced and plays board games by his own rules. As the two boys are forced to spend more and more time together, will they learn how to get along? Or will it be one long countdown until Shake goes home?