

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

March 14th-March 18th

This Monday, we kicked off the week by celebrating Pi Day! The Eagles participated in some pi themed arts and crafts such as pi skylines and making bracelets following the digits of pi, as well as memorizing the digits to earn shells. At lunch time we got to celebrate further by eating some delicious pie! And speaking of lunch, this was our first official week of Taco Tuesday for the year!



For those of you participating in March Mammal Madness, this week we also learned the winner of the wildcard round and the winners of round one for two sections! A few of the Eagles have pulled ahead into the lead, but we still have many rounds to go-so it's still anyone's game!

History

History this week for Navigator and Launchpad was focused on the Vietnam War and Cold War, and following the focus of the past two weeks, how the Civil rights movement affected the Anti-War movement. The Foundation learned about the Spartan's this week, and to go along with the reading, their arts and crafts project was making Spartan Helmets. Art for everyone this week was weaving for the Fiber art session!



p.e led by Jett and Luca!

Projects

The Foundation are continuing to build on their collective passion project, making a puppet show, and Launchpaders have a new special project of their own. They recently got the opportunity to connect with Launchpaders across the Acton Network and are now getting to participate in weekly Socratic discussion to have more opinions represented. A project all studios are participating in is getting our garden ready for planting. We started our gardening this week by pulling out all the overgrown weeds!



Quest

In quest, the Launchpaders continued with medical bio, having a focus on medical scans, heart tests, and blood and lab tests, along with finalizing their displays on a system of the body. In the Detective Science quest, the Foundation and Navigator Eagles learned to analyze mold through experimenting on bread with mold, yeast, salt, and vinegar. They have also further discussed potential suspects and have whittled it down to two!



Writers Workshop

In Writers Workshop, the Navigators and Launchpaders are working on Journalism. This week, they chose which section of the newspaper they would be individually covering, created outlines for their articles, and wrote their first official article. The Foundation is working on Mystery Writing and created their first drafts this week!



Holiday Celebrations

This week was full of Holidays and celebrations, and we ended the week by celebrating St. Patrick's Day and Holi! The Eagles walked in on Thursday to find that Leprechauns had visited during the night and left some treasures on their desks! We continued the celebration by learning some of the history and some fun facts about the day as well as getting some tasty green treats! On Friday we got to learn about and celebrate the Holi festival, ending the day with lots of fun and color!

