

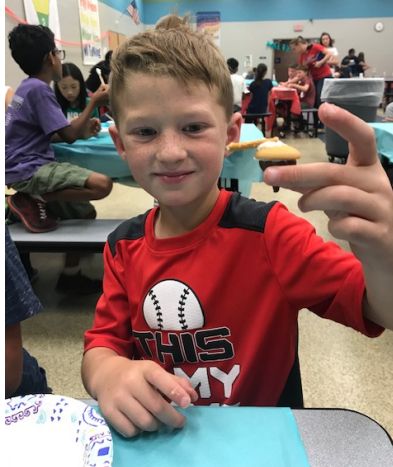
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## Afterschool Fun

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our ESE Showcase! We had a fun evening showcasing our favorite clubs at ESE. We enjoyed making edible acorns and pumpkin pretzels, bubbly lava cups, and creative fall trees. Students also loved trying to make it through the laser maze, twisting and crawling under and over the laser beams to make it to the other side!! It was difficult, but some of us made it through without touching the yarn, great job! Thank you for enjoying some of the fun Towne Meadow ESE has to offer! We thank you for joining us in playing and creating!



Please, join us for festive fall fun and food at our annual **SPOOKY FALL FESTIVAL on Thursday, October 24th from 4-7pm!!** Bring your family or stop by to join your student(s) for a spooky good time! We hope to see you there!!



## Respect Series

Towne Meadow is all about kindness and respect. We all work on these values every day. On Fridays at ESE, we have a group session that involves a discussion and/or an activity each week. We call this our Respect Series at Towne Meadow. Each week we will talk about a topic falling under respect. A few topics this ten weeks have been: Kindness, Responsibility from our Jr. Counselors, Respect is always growing, and Being Green for each other.

We usually have a discussion about a topic and ask students to share over the microphone their ideas or answers to questions like: How could you show kindness at ESE each day? Why do we talk about

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respect? What would you like to do as a group to show kindness at ESE? In what ways are you being green already? We then follow-up with a project, game, or activity that is themed to our topic of discussion. We hope to help instill these valuable principals and help our kiddos understand the importance of treating others the way we want to be treated and putting others ahead of ourselves.

Beginning next site plan, October 21<sup>st</sup>, we will be starting Jr. Counselors on Wednesdays from 4:30-5:30pm. Jr. Counselors are 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> graders who want to create and plan Respect Series activities and events, be helpers to our ESE counselors during program and events at ESE and who want to grow as a young leaders. Please ask your student if they would be interested in Jr. Counselors at ESE this year.



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