## October 7 – 11<sup>th</sup>, 2012

## **This lovely Week:**

- · Swimming will be on Day 6 (Sunday, October 7)
- · Library will be on Days 8 and 2 (Tuesday, October 9 and Thursday, October 11). Please ensure their library books are returned by this date.

Letters of the Week: "Mm" and "Dd" Please have your child bring in something (or a picture of something) that begins with one of these letters. Please also send 3 clues about what this item might be, which they will read aloud to the class and have their friends guess!

We will be continuing our explorations for the exciting unit on **The 5 Senses**, including a "Senses Celebration" amongst all KG2-4 classes on Wednesday afternoon! This week we will also be learning about matching number sets, building on numbers, and 2D shapes! We will be practicing writing our name with a variety of materials, and beginning to write in our brand new, self-decorated Writing Journals.

Please come visit us!!! In early October we will commence our IB Primary Years Programme (PYP) unit on "How Our Family Homes Relate to Our Life Experiences". The focus of our discussions and learning will be about the special things that make a house a Home. We would LOVE to have elders from our community (parents, grandparents) come in for 10-15min to share their wisdom. Please feel welcome!

We will no longer be sending out paper Newsletters to parents. Please be sure to check this website (Kinder4Starfish.weebly.com) each week for class updates and information for Parents.