

# Clemson Montessori School

FYI

## Class Bits...

### Coming Up:

Oct. 10 - Progressive Dinner

Oct. 16 - Pumpkins arrive!

### Clemson Community Care

Keep your Birthday Bag donations coming!



**Elementary:** It's research time! Older students will choose between making a mapbook of landforms of the world, or researching volcanoes or igneous rocks. Younger students will choose a planet to investigate. (Natalie & Judy)

**Peanuts:** Gardening has been a fun challenge for the Peanuts. We are dedicating two of our raised beds to bulbs for flower cutting, two for growing herbs, and the other three for winter vegetables (Marjory and Chelsea)

**Primary 1:** Do you know the names of the bones in your body? We have discovered Osteology, the study of the bones (ost means bones and ology is the study of). Your child should be able to name many bones by the end of the month. Thank you to our parents for donating flowers, allowing our class to begin "flower arranging". This is a favorite activity in our Practical Life area. (Marjory & Shannon)

**Primary 2:** Animal migration is an interesting way to explore both wildlife and geography. The first migrating animal we will examine is the British Swallow who travels from France to South Africa. Our study will include the anatomy and life cycle of birds. (Chelsea & Patrick)

**Pre Primary:** We began baking together this week with a delicious banana bread for Friday's snack! Next week the children will learn plant washing. As the weather cools, please bring long sleeves and long pants for classroom extra clothes. (Irish & Mary Heyward)

