



# CMS Fall Festivities



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## The Whole Trip

The whole trip was amazing! At the pumpkin patch, there were so many pumpkins; we didn't know which ones to choose! They were very well grown. We thought the green and white ones were very cool! The picnic was so much fun! We loved watching dolphins as we ate! The speaker was very educational, but she still made it fun. We all really enjoyed the trip!



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## The Speaker

By: Keeta, Clara, Marshall, and Amelia

The speaker's name was Mrs. Jennifer. She talked about pumpkins. One of the most interesting facts is that no matter how big the pumpkin, it will always float; this is called buoyancy. The air in the pumpkin allows it to displace enough water to float. She tested this theory by dropping multiple-sized pumpkins into a bucket of water. Mrs. Jennifer talked for thirty minutes. It was all very interesting.

## The Pumpkin Patch

By: Abby, Chloe, Grayson, and Brooke

The pumpkin patch was very fun. They had lots of pumpkins. They were all colorful and there were many shapes and sizes. All of the pumpkins came from New Mexico in a semi truck! The reason the pumpkins survived in the truck is that the stems on the pumpkins held the nutrients. We got to each pick out a big pumpkin and two little pumpkins. The pumpkin patch was absolutely amazing.



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## DID YOU KNOW?

1. When leaves cover the pumpkin, it turns **black**.
2. The pumpkin turns **orange** with the correct amount of leaf coverage and sunlight.
3. When there are no leaves covering the top, the pumpkin turns white because of too much sun exposure.
4. When pumpkins bump into each other they get **warts**.



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## The Picnic

By: Ben, Colby, and Christoph

We had lunch at Neptune Park. We sat under the trees at the picnic tables. We saw many dolphins and dogs. We had so much fun!

