Birds, especially owls, were a focus in March. Our whole school pellet palooza was a highlight along with a visit by educators from Maine Audubon.

Dressing up like an owl - raptor beak for tearing, talons for grabbing, and very large eyes.

Learning about what owls prey upon by dissecting owl pellets.

Our peacemaker is Gandhi. They have been learning about his life through a matching work and with a tray of colored salt and rocks in which they design a peaceful meditation garden.

Shamrock background to color matching for visual discrimination, lacing practice in making a leprechaun trap, and a letter sound game.

We made green goo bags to go along with St. Patricks day. (Hair gel and food coloring) A fun and different way to practice shapes and letters.
Making a clay model of a lake and an island takes some strong finger work but it is lots of fun. It started by them learning that Ireland, like Chebeague, is a body of land surrounded by water. They love making archipelagos.

Working a line on a cleat just like the Islander deck hands. Another friend is concentrating on careful pouring.

The full moon in March was the sap moon. I shared some images as to how trees were traditionally tapped which led to them practicing making small holes in wood with a hand drill.

They all LOVE rainbows and St. Patrick’s day was a perfect time to let them mix the primary colors to make a rainbow.

We celebrated our 100th day of school on March 30th. They shared a collection of 100 objects, made tally marks tiara’s and illustrated “I could eat 100.....”

Calendar Updates
April 9: Island Commons visit
April 10: Early release 11:30

Thank you for sharing your children
Miss Nancy