April Fools!

Here we thought Spring had arrived in April, clearly we were fooled!  We carry on with winter coats and snow boots, umbrellas and rain boots, sunglasses and shorts all depending on the magic of Spring in Wisconsin.  Kinskids have been busy with all kinds of crafts and skill practice.  We’ve had exercises in listening skills as we created rainbow arches.  You had to line the colors up in the right order and trim them off just so in order for the arches to work.  We have created umbrellas and practiced scissor skills.  We have painted ceramic Easter themed pieces to take home.  We played with different mediums to craft dimensional eggs out of foam sheets and dried pasta and dried beans.  A project that took patience and careful placing of pieces to get it to look nice.  Thanks to generous donors Kinskids got to decorate & dye 6 Easter eggs each.  Kinskids enjoyed an Easter treat meal with hotdogs, cuties, pringles and the fun of frosting and decorating Easter egg cookies!  Next up Kinskids will be writing cards & letters to three local veterans traveling on a National Honor Flight trip.  New this month will also be a fun event with the Senior Center and a building project that the kinskids will get to take home.  We hope this time with our Senior community will be the beginning of a regular event.  Such fun to have bonus grandparent figures for our kinskids!  Tutoring Tuesdays continues to bring in regular attending kinskids and some drop ins that need just a little extra help now and then.  The communication with school continues to grow as we work together to help our kinskids succeed in learning.

Here’s hoping May brings us REAL Spring weather as we turn our focus to growing our garden and some floral projects as well.