



Parkdale Sherwood Headstart Monthly Newsletter

Family Fun Night was a huge success. Thank you to everyone who participated, donated and volunteered we couldn't have done it without your help. It was so much fun!

The Munchkins

We have welcomed the newest member of our group and are having a great time getting to know him. Our Baby Beluga project is winding down, but we still love the song and the book. As we are beginning to spend much of our day outdoors, please make sure your child has a sun hat with a strap so that it will stay on their heads as well as designated outdoor shoes. Have a great June, everyone.

Sharon

Bookworm News

With the warmer weather finally upon us, we ask that you provide a BUCKET sunhat for your children. It is very warm and sunny in our side yard and ball hats tend to result in red ears, no matter how much sun screen is applied! This month we are working on being respectful to other Bookworms and adults and using good manners. Please be sure to regularly check your child's daycare clothing supply. Please be sure to label all items.

Brenda & Brittany

The Great Explorer News

It's hard to believe that summer is just around the corner, we waited so long for spring to arrive. This is a very busy month for our Great Explorers as we wrap up our final month for many of our four year olds.

Chicken Wraps

We are starting to work on our Father's Day projects. We are asking that you please email or take in a picture of your child with their dad.

Butterflies

The Superhero world is still going strong. Don't forget to check out your child's superhero around the block area; they worked very hard at painting and cutting them out all by themselves!

Please check out our important dates section as we have many things happening this month!!

Emma, Rasha, Glenda, Johanna, & Bailey

Important Dates for the Great Explorers:

June 8th: Teddy Bear Picnic (your child may bring in a small stuffed animal)

June 17th: Graduation/Spring Concert for the Great Explorers at 12:00

June 21st: Board Games Day (please make sure that your child knows how to play the game)

June 23th: Our final Show & Share (this is on Thursday due to Field Day on Friday)

June 24th: Field Day!!

June 30th: Last day of our regular program.

****We are hoping to do at least 1-2 field trips this month. Details will be given as soon as all dates and transportation are confirmed.**

Thank you!!

Sahsa, Glenda, Emma, Bailey, Johanna

Scholastic

Book orders are due June 2nd.

Reminder

Michael Pendegast, aka The Music Man, will be finishing up in early June for the summer and will return in the fall.

Children's Needs

Just a reminder that it is best if your child can dress in layers for outdoor play. Who knows what temperature it might be on any given day! It is a great idea to have a wind jacket, a sweater, splash pants and rubber boots, sneakers, and a sun hat. Our back yard can be quite wet and we do try to go out every day. We would like if you could **PLEASE** label your child's belongings as well. Please make sure your child has at least 2 complete spare changes of clothing in their back pack or bag.

Please be mindful of the speed you enter and exit the parking lot at. There have been some near misses with both vehicles and children! **PLEASE** be respectful of our **ACCESSIBLE PARKING** spaces. There are only 2 (located near the doors) !

CLOSING FIELD DAY and BARBEQUE

Our Annual closing celebration will be Friday June 24th.

We will start with a field day in the park behind the church, and our playground at 10:00. All of the children who have attended Headstart this year are invited. Games and activities will take place. Parents are invited to bring other family members with them if they wish.

At 12:00 we will have a barbeque and all of the families are invited. We realize that many people work and will only be able to attend on their lunch break. We will be looking for volunteers to help with the preparations for the day. See you there!

Thanks!

During our workshop on Spirituality at the May conference, we talked about the importance of not always giving children the answer, allowing them to wonder and hypothesize for themselves. They have the most brilliant answers to these tough questions; try not to be quick to answer...why!

I WONDER

By: Jeannie Kirby

I wonder why the grass is green,
And why the wind is never seen?

Who taught the birds to build a nest,
And told the trees to take a rest?

O, when the moon is not quite round,
Where can the missing bit be found?

Who lights the stars, when they blow out,
And makes the lightning flash about?

Who paints the rainbow in the sky,
And hangs the fluffy clouds so high?

Why is it now, do you suppose,
That Dad won't tell me, if he knows?

 **June 2016** 

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Music Man Book Orders Due	3	4
5	6 Music Man	7	8 Teddy Bear Picnic for the Great Explorers	9 Music Man	10	11
12	13 Butterflies field trip. Leaving at 9:30 **Chicken wraps special day	14	15	16	17 Graduation Event for the Great Explorers 12:00	18
19 	20  1 ST Day of Summer!!	21 Board Game Day for the Great Explorers	22	23 Final Show & Share	24 Field Day Starts at 10, BBQ at 12	25
26	27	28	29	30 Last day of our regular program 😊		



Charlotte Foster- 7th
 Anna Kells-8th
 Kinley Clow-10th
 Johanna Gallant -15th
 Sadie Coffin-15th

Lennon Taylor-21st
 Anne David-22nd
 Isla Coffin-24th
 Madeleine Pennings-24th
 Luca MacCallum-30th