



Parkdale Sherwood Headstart

Monthly Newsletter

DEAR Headstart Families,

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! We had so much fun at our Christmas Concert and once again the turnout was unbelievable. Thank you for all of your help; donating food and/or volunteering your time. I hope that everyone had a nice holiday with your families. The staff really enjoyed our time off. We spent some quality time with our families and are rejuvenated and ready for an exciting New Year.

Regarding the end of the calendar year, I will have your income tax receipts ready for you by the end of January. You will be notified when they are ready to be picked up.

Thank you --For all of your gifts of time, food and/or presents. Enjoy the New Year!!

Also big congratulations to our Ticket Winners this season: Colin MacKinnon won BEST SEATS, and Jenn Neill won BEST SPOT ON THE LOT. Thank you again for all your hard work and support selling the tickets this year!

Carol

Baby Beluga News

Now that the Baby Belugas have experienced Christmas, we will revisit some aspects of it while it is still fresh in their minds. We will also be continuing their exploration of snowmen this month. Happy New Year everyone

Sharon

The Little Duckling News

The Little Ducklings are super excited to welcome our new teacher Krista into our group while Sasha is gone on Mat leave! We were very interested in making music before the break and hope to continue exploring this interest. We also have a great interest in dumping things so we are going to try and explore this as well. Finally we plan on spending as much time outside as possible because we love having space to run and climb. Having said this please ensure that your child has warm/appropriate outdoor clothing daily. Happy New Year Everyone!

Jessie & Krista

The Little Wonders

The Little Wonders have been working really hard on turning under loft into a gingerbread house. They have been doing a lot of painting for the gingerbread house and paper to put on the outside of our igloo up loft. With the gingerbread house, the Little Wonders have been learning to take turns, as there is only room for four children under loft. In January we will continue to practice our self-help skills when getting ready to go outside, this can be quite a lengthy process. We encourage you to be allowing your children to be trying things for themselves. The Little Wonders want to wish you all a Happy New Year!

Christina and Brenda

The Pigeons

Welcome back everyone, we hope everyone enjoyed their Christmas holidays. Happy New Year to all! The Pigeons are excited to be starting a new special helper for January. We will be doing a small hockey project with some friends who are interested. We will also be enjoying lots of outdoor play so please make sure your child has lots of warm clothing and an extra change of clothing in their bag. If you would like to come in and volunteer your time to do something with the group, we would love to have you. Thank you to those that have helped with presentations, demonstrations, fieldtrips, and the making of our Christmas decorations. Some other ideas that we would love help with are teaching some basic hockey skills, reading stories, the possibilities are endless. If you have any ideas please see Glenda or Maggie

Happy New Year to all

From

All the Pigeons





















Glenda, Maggie, and Olivia

CHILDREN'S NEEDS :

We try to get outside every day. It is essential that your child comes with snow pants, warm mittens, a winter hat, winter boots, and a warm coat every day. We also ask that you have extra clothing, especially socks in your child's locker.

Thank you

January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1  Sutton  HAPPY NEW YEAR	2   music therapy 10:00	3  3:00	4	5
6	7	8  9:00	9  music therapy 10:00	10  3:00	11	12
13  Mia M & Carol	14  Maeve	15  Christian  9:00	16  music therapy 10:00	17  3:00	18	19
20	21	22  9:00	23  music therapy 10:00	24  3:00	25 MOVIE DAY!	26
27	28	29  Glenda  9:00	30  music therapy 10:00	31		