



Parkdale Sherwood Headstart

Monthly Newsletter

DEAR Headstart Families,

Please note that your **2020 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS** are now available. Please sign the sheet indicating that you have received your receipt. Any that are not picked up by the end of the month will be mailed out. Thank You

Carol

Baby Beluga News

This month we will explore Valentine's Day through art, literature and song. We will also be saying goodbye to one friend as he moves on to the Busy Bees, while welcoming a new friend to our group.

Happy Valentine's Day, everyone!

Sharon

Busy Bees News

The Busy Bee's have been super interested in building lately! We have been working respecting others work so we don't destroy what others are working on as well as taking turns using the blocks in our under loft area! We have been trying to get outside as much as possible though it has been a cold and icy start to the winter! We also are still loving trucks, tractors and big machines! This month we also will be doing some activities around Valentine's Day! We hope everyone has a great February!

Jessie, Rudaina, and Emma

The Gummy Bears

I cannot believe its February already! The Gummy Bears have been enjoying climbing on the hill across the road, so most nights their outer wear maybe wet. Please send lots of dry socks since they also get wet when we go outside.

We have been working on Valentines for the residence of Lady Slipper Villa. Happy Valentine's Day and Islander Day from the Gummy Bears!

Christina, Brenda, and Sasha

The Doodlebugs

Hoping everyone enjoyed the beautiful weather we had in January. We are very sad Sasha is leaving the Doodlebugs but excited to have Maggie return to our group.

The Doodlebugs are going to be working hard on building friendships, sharing, and our listening skills. We will be starting a new special helper sometime in February. Hopefully we will have lots of outdoor play and some fresh new snow.

Happy Valentine's Day to all

Love

Glenda, Maggie, & Sasha

Closed

We will be closed Monday February 15th for Islander Day. Enjoy the long weekend!

CHILDREN'S NEEDS :

Please be sure that your child has a warm jacket/snow pants/hat/mittens and a couple of changes of clothes in their backpack that fit properly.

If snow pants are forgotten, we only have a couple of spare pairs (not larger sizes) and your child will be cold when we go outside.

VALENTINE'S DAY

On Friday February 12th the children will exchange valentines within their own group in the morning and are welcome to bring valentines for their friends. There is a list of the children in each group as part of the newsletter. Some children will enjoy writing their friends names and their own names themselves. Please keep in mind that you do not have to give Valentine's to the entire center, making them out for your own group is recommended. You may also bring your child's valentines in early so the groups can get a head start on sorting as this tends to be a lengthy process.

All children enrolled here at Headstart are invited to attend the Valentine party from 9:30-11:30 whether you are scheduled for Friday mornings or not. There will be no extra charge for coming in for the party. This is your invitation. Come along and wear something red, white, pink or purple.

IF YOU FEEL INCLINED TO BRING IN A TREAT FOR YOUR CHILD'S GROUP IT HAS TO BE SOMETHING PREPACKAGED FROM IT'S MANUFACTURER CLEARLY STATING THAT IT IS PEANUT AND TREENUT FREE. It cannot be something packaged from a bakery. If in doubt please ask Angela or Carol.

Paula's Corner

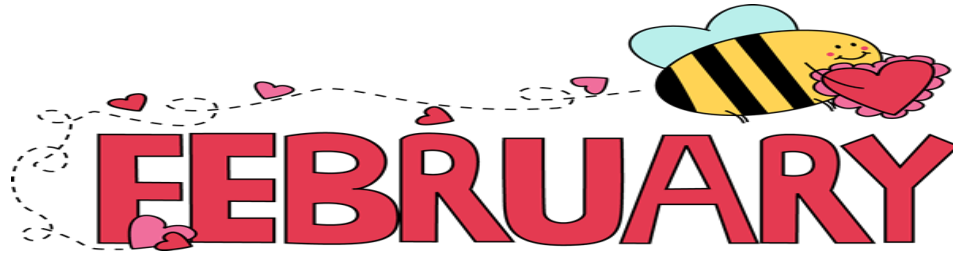
Cinnamon Applesauce Muffins

Ingredients








- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- ½ cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 egg
- ½ cup butter, melted
- 1 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Instructions

1. Preheat oven to 375. In a large mixing bowl, add dry ingredients. In a separate bowl, add wet ingredients and whisk until combined.
2. Add wet ingredients to the dry and stir until combined. Evenly scoop mixture into a greased or lined muffin pan, filling about ¾ of the way full.
3. Bake for 20 minutes, or until a toothpick comes out clean.



FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<p>1</p>  <p>Lochlan</p>	<p>2</p>  <p>GROUNDHOG DAY</p>	3	4	5	6
<p>7</p>  <p>Angela</p>	8	9	10	11	<p>12</p> <p>V'Day Party 9:30-11:30 (Red, white, purple, and pink day)</p>  <p>CHINESE NEW YEAR</p>	13
<p>14</p>  <p>HAPPY Valentine's Day</p>	<p>15</p> <p>CLOSED FOR ISLANDER DAY!!</p>	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	<p>26</p> <p>PJ & MOVIE DAY</p> 	27
<p>28</p> <p>** Lincoln's birthday is Feb. 29th</p>  <p>Lincoln</p>						



Headstart Valentine's Day List



The Baby Belugas

Miley
Landon
Joel

Educator:
Sharon

The Gummy Bears

Shoaleh
Pryor
Isabel
Luke
Ollie
Cormac
Declan
Ellie
Rosie
Harry
Lochlan W
Bridget
Ethan R
Sadie
Lincoln
Adalyn
Ethan G
Charley

Educators:
Brenda, Christina, Sasha

The Doodlebugs

Marcus
Myra
Forest
Silas
Beth
Gus
Reemi
Christian
Lucy
Daisy
Evelyn
Sophie
Wesley
Maddox
Aiden
Lauchlan M
Sutton

Educators:
Glenda & Maggie

The Busy Bees

Duncan
Sully
Sammy
Marina
Everett
Kieran
Ben
Logan
Pius
Evy

Educators:
Jessie, Rudaina, Emma

Additional Staff

Angela
Carol
Paula
Susan
Jalisa
Kyle
Amy
MaryEllen