

Nottingham November Newsletter



Message from Myriah

Happy November Everyone!

I would like to extend a warm welcome to all our new families who are joining Nottingham this month.

A big thank you to Melissa Sanz and our teachers for organizing the October field trip to Frootogo. The children had a wonderful time riding on the wagon, watching a puppet show and choosing a pumpkin to take home.

I also want to thank our In Class Party Committee for organizing the Halloween parties. It was great seeing the children dressed up in their costumes enjoying all the Halloween treats and activities.

Please mark your calendars for Friday, November 11, 2011 for our Annual Family Fun night which runs from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Our Social Committee is hard at work organizing lots of fun activities for the children including listening and dancing to the music of child performer "Ronno", face painting, games, tatoos and more. Siblings are welcome to come and join in the fun. We will also be having some of our Nottingham parents displaying some items for sale.

Dates

Creative Dance: November 1-December 9 (2 a.m. Tuesdays, 3 a.m. & JK Fridays)

Dash Sports: January 9 – March 23 (2 a.m. Tuesdays, 3 a.m. & JK Fridays)

Family Fun Night: Friday November 11 6-8.

Hello Nottingham Parents,

October was a "spook" taacular month! The children had lots of fun on picture day, at Frootogo, and at our fabulous Halloween Party. The children enjoyed singing their Halloween songs and playing games with special treats. Decorating flying bats, carving the classroom pumpkins, and making bats and ghosts were also huge hits!

November is now here and we have a wonderful month planned. We will be learning about Transportation and Community Helpers. Creative Movement is also starting the first week of November. Parents please remember to send running shoes for your child.

With the cold weather creeping in, please make sure your child has appropriate outdoor clothing. Hats, mittens, snowpants, coat, and warm boots. Please no scarves.

Important Reminders

- Please refer to the monthly calendar for important dates and events
- Duty parents, please be on time (8:50)
- Please be on time to pick up your children
- Our Jolly phonics letters for this month are D, E, F, and G.
- The colours are Brown and White

Miss Cathy and Miss Anne

ILLNESS REMINDERS AND SCHOOL CLOSURES

Please remember that if your child has had a fever or sickness within 24 hours of school starting, **do not bring them to class**. Sickness spreads quickly amongst the wee ones and that is no fun for anyone. You do not need to call if your child is missing class, only if they have something communicable that the teachers should know about.

In addition, Nottinghill closes the school when the Halton District School Board cancels the buses due to inclement weather. On snowy/icy days, please listen to your radio (CFRB 1010) or watch TV (CH, CityTV) for the school board announcements. In the event of school cancellation we will also leave an outgoing message on the school voicemail.

Got the Sniffles?

Did you know if your child is sick and will not be coming to school **you do not** need to notify the school.

However, if your child is absent due to a *communicable disease please inform the school ASAP.

*Examples of communicable diseases include: influenza, chicken pox, ringworm, and whooping cough.

A Good Tip:

As we enter cold and flu season it is more important than ever to wash your child's hands. Keeping anti-bacterial hand wipes in your car to wipe your little ones hands before and after school will help stop the spread of germs!

Achew! Thank You!

IS IT THAT TIME ALREADY?

Attention Duty Parents!

Please arrive by 8:50 am! Your promptness is very much appreciated and helps ensure the class starts smoothly!

An important reminder:

Many parents have been **late** when picking up their child(ren) from school. Please remember, departure time is

11:30am sharp!

Thank you!



REMEMBER!!!!

We play outside...even when it is cold(-7 is the cut off). Please dress your child appropriately.

Thank you for all the fabulous items that you donated to the school!