Kinder News

February 2020

February Birthdays: Achol M. (PM) - 5 Logan K. (PM)- 28 Sawyer M. (AM) - 18 Gibson I. - Aug. 10 1/2 Birthdays (August): Harry P (PM). - Aug. 7

What's Happening in Our Class This Month:

Letters for February:

Feb. 3 -6 "Ss" Feb. 10 -12 "Vv" Feb. 17 -20 "No Homework"

Feb. 24 - 27 "Vv" Mar. 2 - 5 "Qq"

*Children are asked to bring in magazine pictures, print words or to draw objects that begin with these letters to class on the Mondays (limit of 3 items).

Theme: Valentine's Day

Dates to Remember:

- Feb. 5 (Wed.) Winter Walk Day approx. 10:50 am & 2:50 pm (Children need to be dressed for the outside weather: winter boots, jackets, gloves, toques) **weather permitting** - ECS classes going together
- Feb. 13 (Thurs.) Valentine's Day Party. *Party snack sign up sheet is posted on entrance bulletin board (you can start bringing your Valentine's day cards on Wednesday to place in Valentine's day holders) - Wear Valentine's day colours: red, pink or white
- Feb. 17 (Mon.) Family Day (NO SCHOOL)
- Feb. 18-21 (T-F)- NO SCHOOL for the Family Day break & Teachers' Convention
- Feb. 25 (Tues.) School Council Meeting at 7:00 pm
- Feb. 26 (Wed.) Pink Shirt Day (Anti-Bullying day) : please wear pink to show your support against bullying
- Feb. 27 (Thurs.) Hot Lunch: Domino's Pizza
- Feb. 29 (Sat.) Leap Year!

Other Reminders and Information:

**We would like to thank our parents and relatives for their tremendous support with our January skating field trips! It was great to see how excited the children were about skating for the first time. We were so proud how hard the children worked and they never gave up trying! They were pretty proud of their accomplishments, and would often show us what they could do on the ice. Thanks for taking the time to assist out on the ice, you helped make your child's skating time a success.

** If you or anyone that you know would like to donate any used skates that your child may have out grown to our school, we would sure appreciate any donations!

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~ Our Home Reading program has been going extremely well and we will continue until June 10th. This is meant to be an "enjoyable" family activity to encourage the children to start becoming readers, therefore we have the children choose their own book from a certain book level. If you feel that your child could try a higher level of books to read, please let me know in person or write me note. Please remember to keep the book in a safe place in the ziploc bag and bring it into the class each day to exchange. Your child is welcome to keep it for a longer period of time if needed.

~ Our school will be having a Winter Walk Day on February 5 (weather permitting). The whole school will be participating (Kindergarten classes will have our own special time & path for the walk) and ask that the students be dressed for the winter weather. The AM Kindergarten children will be walking approx 10:50 am and end at 11:30 am in order for the children to be ready for our dismissal at 11:36 am. The PM Kindergarten class will walk at 2:50-3:25 pm for dismissal at 3:30 pm.

* Depending on the weather/temperature on that day, please have our students wear snow pants, winter jackets, toques/hat, mittens/gloves and snow boots.

~ Our Valentine's Day party is on Thursday, February 13th. If your child is handing out Valentine's Day cards, please make sure that each child in their class receives one. A class list is provided in this newsletter. * A sign up sheet for party snack items is on our boot room bulletin board. Thank you for bringing in a snack item!

Thank you! Miss Ikeda

