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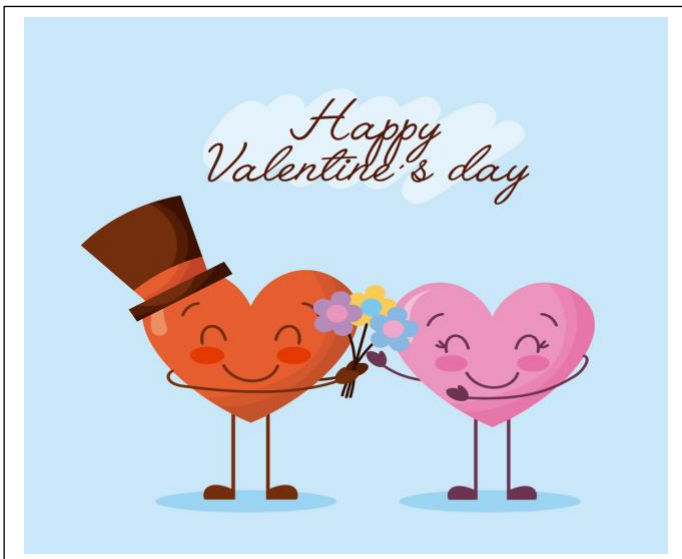
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This Month at Preschool

Although February has only just arrived, it is shaping up to be a busy month at preschool. Our students are currently focused on Valentine's Day, with pink playdough to shape and a multitude of hearts to paint, glue and color. Our Valentine's discoveries will conclude with the much anticipated card exchanges on February 9th and 10th. After the long weekend our students will turn their attention to dinosaurs of all types, shapes and sizes.

Upcoming Holidays and Important Dates

Tuesday, Feb 9th: 3yr-old Valentine's Card Exchange
Wednesday, Feb 10th: 4 yr-old Valentine's Card Exchange
Thursday and Friday Feb 11 and 12: NO SCHOOL, Teacher's Convention
Monday Feb 15: NO SCHOOL, Family Day
Friday Mar 12th: NO SCHOOL- PD Day
Friday Mar 26th: Last day of classes- Spring Break
Tuesday April 6th: Classes resume
Monday April 26th: NO SCHOOL- PD Day
Friday May 21st: NO SCHOOL- PD Day
Monday May 24th: NO SCHOOL- Victoria Day
Wednesday June 16th- last day for 4 yr-old classes
Thursday June 17th- last day for 3 yr-old classes
Friday June 18th- End of Year Picnic (more details to come)



R E M I N D E R :

- **If your child is not feeling well, or appears tired, or a bit "off", please do not bring them to Preschool. As well, if your child requires medication (even Tylenol) within 24 hours prior to the start of the child's class time, they may not attend class that day. Thank you for doing your part to help keep sickness out of our school.**
- **If you or a family member learns you/they have been exposed to someone who tested positive for Covid, it is important you inform Mrs. Miller immediately. Please leave a message at 403-686-6868 and also send an email to teafit@shaw.ca**



Love Our Preschool?...

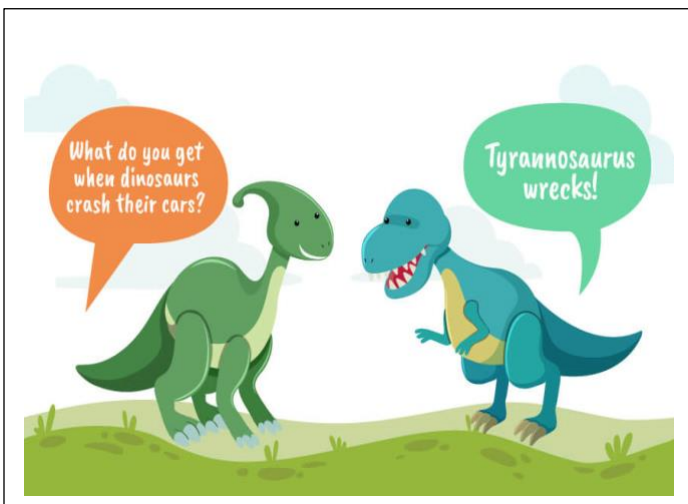
Then spread the word and write a Google Review, let everyone know how great our preschool is. It will help us reach more people and increase interest in our programs.



Learning Through Play

This month your children are having fun exploring the sand table at preschool as well as learning about Valentine's Day and dinosaurs. Digging for treasure holds great excitement, but did you also know that playing with sand also helps children to:

- Learn about the properties of sand and water by feeling, patting, shaping, digging and lots more
- Strengthen their muscles as they move the sand around
- Work together with others on special projects like digging holes or trenches or making mountains.
- Be creative



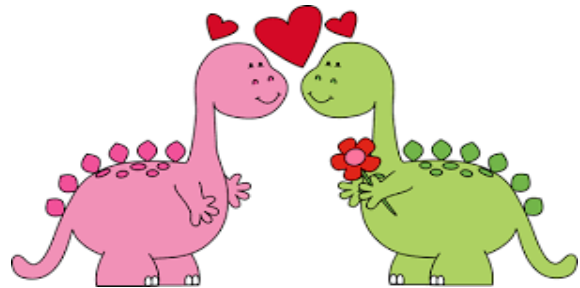
Valentine's Day at Preschool

Valentine's Day is fast approaching, and it provides a fun opportunity for students to exchange Valentine's cards with their classmates. If your child would like to participate, please keep in mind the following considerations:

- Did you know the best place to buy children's Valentine's cards is Dollarama? You can purchase a package of 16 for \$2.00.
- Do not address the cards to a specific student but instead simply sign your child's name. It is easier for children to place the cards in their classmates' bags when they are addressed generically.
- There are 8 students in the 3-year old class and 16 students in both the AM and PM 4-year old classes. Please send a card for each student so everyone feels included.
- DO NOT include any food due to allergy concerns.

M/W/F classes will be exchanging cards on Wednesday, February 10th.

T/TH classes will be exchanging cards on Tuesday, February 9th.



Open Registration for the 2021/2022 school year begins Monday, February 8. Please tell your family and friends about our wonderful preschool. More information is available on our website: glenbrookpreschool.org

Parents' Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting Dates for the 2020 - 2021 Pre-School Year:

February 23th, March 23st, April 27th, June 1nd

All meetings are held at 7:30 pm via Zoom.

Dates listed above are tentative.

Any changes will be communicated via the monthly newsletter.

If you'd like to attend, please email Katie at chair@glenbrookpreschool.org or katie.ann.gibson@gmail.com.