

# Glenbrook Community Preschool Newsletter

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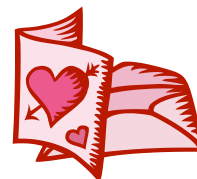
### We are a Peanut Free Zone

Thank you for continuing to respect the preschool's peanut free policy by not sending along any food to preschool with your child.



## Valentines at Preschool

Valentine's Day is coming up shortly. This is a fun opportunity for kids to exchange Valentine cards. If you wish to participate, please keep in mind the following considerations:



- Please do not address the cards to a specific student, simply sign your child's name. The teachers will be helping the students to place their cards in the mailbox slots. This will be a much easier task if the cards are generically addressed.
- There are 12 students in the three year old classes and 16 students in the four year old classes. The two year old classes will not be exchanging valentines.
- Please do not include any food due to allergy concerns.
- T/R classes will be exchanging cards on Tuesday, Feb. 9 and M/W/F classes will exchange cards on Wednesday, Feb. 10.

Thank you for your assistance. Have a happy Valentine's Day!

## Holidays and Important Dates

Tuesday, Jan. 26 -----Parent's Advisory Committee Meeting (7 pm)  
Friday, Jan. 29 -----No school (Professional Day)  
Saturday, Feb. 6 -----Pre-registration for 2010/2011 school year  
Friday, Feb. 11-15 ----Teacher's Convention (no classes)  
Tuesday, Feb. 16 -----Classes resume  
Thursday, Feb. 18 ----Registration night (for new registrants)  
Tuesday, Feb. 23-----Parent's Advisory Committee Meeting (7 pm)  
Wed/Thur, March 3/4-Class Photos  
Tuesday, March 23----Parent's Advisory Committee Meeting (7pm)  
Friday, March 26-----Last day of classes before spring break  
Wednesday, April 7---Classes Resume

☆Parents are welcome to attend Parent's Advisory Committee meetings which are held at the school in Mrs. Fozzard's classroom. Due to space limitations, please RSVP to [derrickandshelley@shaw.ca](mailto:derrickandshelley@shaw.ca) at least 2 days in advance if you would like to attend.

## Class Photos

Preschool class photos will be taken on the following dates:

Wednesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> for MWF classes

Thursday, March 4<sup>th</sup> for TR classes

Thank you for making an effort to have your child in preschool on time for these dates.



## This and That

- Just a reminder to parents that you may order Scholastic books at a great price through our preschool. You should be receiving order forms in your child's mailbox. If you wish to order books, simply fill out the order form and return it to the preschool drop box (big red box in the cloakroom) with a cheque made payable to Scholastic Canada Inc. (cash will not be accepted) by the order due date. Each order placed benefits the preschool in the form of free books.



- Glamorgan Community kindergarten will be holding a registration night for families interested in enrollment for the 2010/2011 school year. It will be held on Thursday, Jan. 28 at 7pm at Glamorgan Church (4715, 45<sup>th</sup> street SW). More information can be found on the bulletin board in the preschool cloakroom.
- Just a reminder for parents to please have their child use the bathroom before school. Although the teachers and assistants are available to take students to the washroom, it takes away from class time when several children need to go at the beginning of class. Thank you for your help in this matter.



Please contact Nadia Honnet, Newsletter Editor, at 403-283-9385 or [nhonnet@shaw.ca](mailto:nhonnet@shaw.ca) if you would like to add anything our monthly newsletter.

## FUNdraising Update

A big thank you to all of the families who took part in the Purdy's chocolate fundraiser before Christmas. It was highly successful and raised over \$1500 for the preschool. We would also like to give a huge thank you to Sue Scott, our fundraising coordinator. She put in a lot of extra time to get everyone their chocolates in time for Christmas.

Keep your eyes open for information regarding our next fundraiser in your child's mailbox. It will be starting at the beginning of February and will be selling gift certificates for Simple Simon Pies. These personal sized pies are a quick, easy and delicious dinner idea that are great to have on hand in your freezer.



## 2010/2011 Registration

Glenbrook Community Preschool pre-registration (for returning families) will begin on Saturday, February 6, 2010. This will be a phone in registration. If you wish to re-register your child in one of Mrs. Miller's classes for next school year, you may call Rebecca Hill, Registrar, at 403-246-5376 between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm. If you wish to re-register your child in one of Mrs. Fozzard's classes for next school year, you may call Susan Fatovich, Assistant Registrar, at 403-217-1034 between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm. If you reach voice mail, please leave the following information: your name, phone number, child's name (or children), date of birth and class choice. Your call will be returned. More detailed information regarding pre-registration will be sent home in the next couple of weeks.

An open house for new families thinking about registering a child in Glenbrook preschool next year, will be held at the preschool on Tuesday, February 16 from 1:30 until 2:45 pm. The registration evening for new families will be held on Thursday, February 18 from 6:30 until 8:30pm at the Glenbrook Community Hall (across the street from the school). Please pass this information along to any friends, neighbours or other prospective families. Word of mouth is the always the best form of advertising for our wonderful school.

We are looking for a few parent volunteers to be present and assist with the open house and registration evening. If you are able to help, please contact Rebecca at 403-246-5376. Thank you.

