A Message From The Teachers

Dear Preschool Families,

Throughout March, we have been having fun getting reacquainted with traditional nursery rhymes and fairy tales. Perhaps you have noticed your child pretending to be Jack jumping over a candlestick, re-enacting Little Miss Muffet or recounting our puppet show of “Goldilocks and the Three Bears”. Revisiting old favourites is a strong building block towards literacy. As your child hears a story repeatedly, they, too, develop the ability to retell the story. It has been a pleasure to share their enthusiasm over these ageless favourites!

Though it’s a while yet to May, we want to give you the heads up about an exciting event in our preschool year. Our Mother’s Day Tea parties take place during the second week of May. The parties are roughly one hour long and take the place of regular classes. As this is a special time for you and your preschooler, we kindly ask for you to make alternative arrangements for any other siblings. Please double check the times below so that you can organize your day. If you have any questions, please check in with your child’s teacher.

Ms. Carmen’s 3AM class – Tuesday, May 9, 9:30-10:30, drop students off at 9:00
Ms. Carmen’s PreK PM class – Tuesday, May 9, 1:00-2:00, drop students off at 12:30
Ms. Carmen’s PreK AM class – Wednesday, May 10, 9:30-10:30, drop students off at 9:00

Ms. Claire’s 3AM class – Thursday, May 11, 9:30-10:30, drop students off at 9:00
Ms. Claire’s 3PM class – Thursday, May 11, 1:00-2:00, drop students off at 12:30
Ms. Claire’s PreK AM class – Friday, May 12, 9:30-10:30, drop students off at 9:00

It’s hard to believe that it’s that time of year already. Our two week Spring Break is around the corner, the first day of holidays being April 1st and we return the week of April 16. We wish everyone a safe a restful holiday and look forward to the return of longer days and continuing our celebration of Spring when we meet together again!

Ms. Carmen and Ms. Claire
**Hiring:** Canmore Artisans Market Coordinator

Canmore Preschool Society is seeking an organized, detail-oriented, friendly person with an interest in art, quality craft, and the Bow Valley community to plan and deliver the 22nd Annual Canmore Christmas Artisans Market on November 18 & 19, 2017 at CCHS. Areas of focus are logistics, maintaining the quality and diversity of the market, and nurturing community relationships. The contract is April-Dec, approx. 200 work hours for a flat fee of $5,000. More details at canmorepreschool.com. Please submit your resume by April 16, 2017 to info@canmorepreschool.com
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The Canmore Preschool is doing its part for the environment. We try not to print our monthly newsletter. Each edition will be emailed to parents, and can be viewed on our website at www.canmorepreschool.com Please send any submissions to stacie.longworth@yahoo.com by the 15th of the month if you have any information to add. Thank you!
# April 2017

3 = 3-year-old class, 4 = PreK class, A = morning class, P = afternoon class

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- 24: LIBRARY Visit 4A
- 25: LIBRARY Visit 3A, 3P, 4P

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**Mother’s Day Tea Parties - Please plan for mom to attend without siblings!**

- Please drop off your preschooler ahead of the party to help set up, and then moms please be on time for the party. Thanks!

  - Carmen 3yo AM - Tues, May 9: Drop off at 9, party 9:30-10:30am
  - Carmen PreK PM - Tues, May 9: Drop off at 12:30, party 1-2pm
  - Carmen PreK AM - Wed, May 10: Drop off at 9, party 9:30-10:30am
  - Claire 3yo AM - Thurs, May 11: Drop off at 9, party 9:30-10:30am
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