



MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER

A Message from our Teachers

Dear Families,

Thank you for all the warm wishes and valentines! We had fun exploring the theme of Love and Friendship this past month. We learned that being a good friend means developing skills such as cooperation, sharing, giving and accepting compliments and apologies.

We hope that we have all learned some new strategies to be a good friend and family member!

We continue our monthly music classes with Ms.Tangle, and library visits with Ms.Rhonda and Ms. Lyndsey.

Our Pre-K classes will have their second Cross-Country Ski Day on Wednesday, March 8. Just like last time, each class will meet at the Nordic Centre at their scheduled time. Please remember that there are no regular classes for Pre-K on that day.

Looking ahead to March, we will be exploring the fun and familiar theme of Nursery Rhymes....and of course, Green days to celebrate St.Patrick's Day!

Our main event in March is our Registration Night and AGM for the 2023-24 school year. The event will take place at the Roundhouse mini gym on Wednesday, March 1, at 6:00pm.

We are so proud of your children's accomplishments this year and we hope you will continue to learn and grow with us next year. We hope that our preschool families have had a chance for both fun and rest over

family week. May the luck of the Irish be with you this month and beyond!

Ms.Debbie and Ms. Claire



Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, March 1, 2023 – 6PM
At the Roundhouse

In order to register for 2023/2024, and ensure your child's place:

Complete the online registration at canmorepreschool.com, and pay the \$45 fee. On March 1st, attend AGM online.

- **Board Election** – Society members (you!) elect the volunteer board for the following year. We cannot make class lists until there is a full board.
- All families who attend AGM will either be placed in their class of choice, or, if there is not enough space in a given class, then places will be awarded by lottery.
- *The meeting will last about an hour.*
- ***We have volunteers to watch your child/children for the duration of the meeting! We will advise families of their class placements as soon as we can following the AGM.***



Volunteer for the Board!

This is the only way to guarantee your class placement.

A board position fulfills your volunteer hours for the year. We are seeking the following positions:

Secretary

Is responsible for maintaining the official records of the Preschool. This includes taking minutes at Board meetings followed by distributing the minutes once they are approved.

Fundraising Coordinator

Oversees all Fundraising events. Is a member of the Finance Committee.

Raffle Coordinator

Is responsible for organizing the Preschool's annual Raffle/Auction, with the assistance of the Fundraising Coordinator. This includes all activities associated with preparing for the raffle, conducting the raffle and following up after the raffle.

Artisans' Market Coordinator

Helps to organize the Christmas Artisans' Market.

More information regarding each position can be found on our website.



Canmore Preschool Winter Auction

We have received many, many spectacular donations from over 50 amazing local Bow Valley businesses!

With more than 30 items available, there is something for everyone!



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Auction will go live February 28th at 7PM and will run until March 14th!



PreK Cross Country Skiing

Wednesday, March 8th –

No regular PreK classes on this day!

This is a regular class day for the 3yo PM class only.

March 8th will be a special day for our PreK classes, our 2. Ski Day of the Year!

Parents, please plan to bring your child to the Nordic Centre, with a helmet, and stay for the hour-long lesson (schedule below). Please make sure to have your Permission Slip signed and returned. Thanks!









ALL PreK Classes:

Arrive at **9:30**, Lesson **10-11PM**



March 2023



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	
	March 1st > AGM & Registration Night 6PM – Roundhouse		1 Body Moves PreK AM & PM 	2 Outdoor Day <hr/> Snow Science Presentation 3yo AM & PM, PreK PM	3 Outdoor Day <hr/> Snow Science Presentation 3yo AM & PM, PreK PM		
5	6 Music with Tangle PreK AM 	7 Music with Tangle 3yo AM & PM, PreK PM 	<div style="background-color: #ADD8E6; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">PreK XC Ski</div> Regular 3yo PM Class	9 Outdoor Day	10 Outdoor Day	11	
12	Last Day to bid on Auction Items > March 14th!		14 Puppet Show - Goldilocks 3yo AM & PM, PreK PM	15 Puppet Show - Goldilocks PreK AM	16 Outdoor Day <hr/> GREEN Day  3yo AM & PM, PreK PM	17 Outdoor Day <hr/> GREEN Day  PreK AM St. Patrick's Day	18
19	20	21 Music with Tangle 3yo AM & PM 	22	23 Outdoor Day	24 Outdoor Day	25	
26	27 Library Visit PreK AM 	28 Library Visit 3yo AM & PM, PreK PM 	29	30 Outdoor Day	31 Outdoor Day		

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