



## What's Happening

### Valentine's Day

Since Valentine's Day lands on Teacher's Convention this year, we will be celebrating and exchanging valentines on Tuesday, February 11. If your child would like to bring valentines for their friends, they are more than welcome! We have 17 friends in our class. An email will be sent home with a name list that can be used when completing valentines.

### Swimming

As we look to the end of our skating lessons, we're reminded that swimming lessons are just around the corner! We will need volunteers (especially male volunteers) with up to date police information checks (PICs) to volunteer their time and help us in the change rooms. If you require a letter to take to the police station to request a PIC, please contact the office.



Skating Day

## Dates to Remember

**Feb 4** – Parent Council Meeting, 7 p.m.

**February 5** – Skating lessons

**February 11** – Valentine's Day party

**February 11** – Music class

**February 12** – Skating lessons

**February 13** – No School, Teacher's Convention

**February 14** – No School, Teacher's Convention

**February 17** – No School, Family Day



Happy Birthday

Ray – February 18

Lucy – February 22



**Coming soon...  
(mark your calendars)**

- Swimming April 28, 30 and May 5, 7 from 9:15am to 10:00am at Foothills Municipal Pool.
- Inglewood Bird Sanctuary – May 20

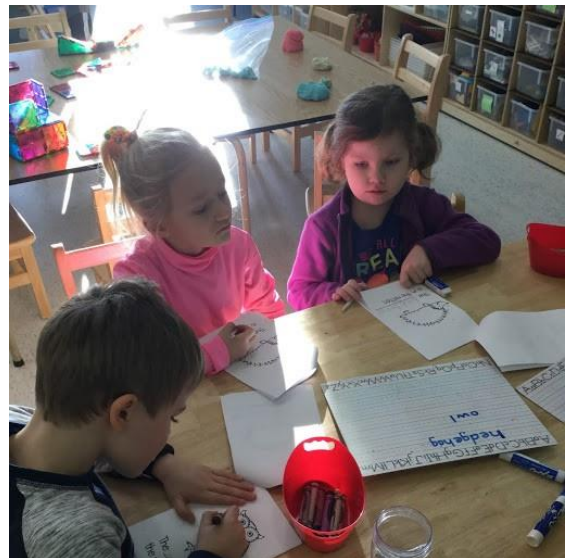
**Police Information Check (PIC)** – If you do not have an up to date PIC and would like to obtain one, please send an email to [dcakids@telus.net](mailto:dcakids@telus.net) and we will provide you with a letter to take to the police station.



**Shaving Cream Snowman**



**Practicing story retelling**



**Working on our books**



**Reminder**

If your child is sick or will be missing school, please let us know as soon as possible. You can leave a message on the school phone, 403-288-1050 or text the classroom cell, 403-875-8783. A planned absence, let Mrs. Scherpenisse know directly.

Thanks for your help with this.



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## Teacher's Corner

Just like that January has come and gone! The students did a great job learning the story of "The Mitten" by Jan Brett. It was fantastic watching them share the story with their preschool buddies. I hope that they shared the story at home as well! Our skating lessons began mid-month and have been going really well. We have some students who have never skated before and it has been inspiring to watch them give it their all.

In February, we will be learning about friendship and feelings exploring the concepts of belonging, respecting ourselves and others, sharing, caring and listening. We will celebrate Valentine's Day as a part of this theme as well. Our skating program will continue with the last day being February 12th.

Thank you for your continued support of our program. We appreciate all the volunteers that have been helping with our skating program. I will be posting a new schedule with opportunities to volunteer in the classroom very soon. I will email it out as well in case there are parents/grandparents who would like to sign up but aren't often at drop off or pick up.

My door and email are always open so please get in touch if you have any questions or feedback.

Warmly,

Mrs. Scherpenisse

