# Dalhousie Community





# Classroom Newsletter March 2021

#### **Dates to Remember**

March 2 - Parent Council Meeting 7 pm

March 10 – Parent-Teacher Conferences (evening)

March 11 – No School, Parent-Teacher Conferences (morning)

March 12 - No School

March 17 - St Patrick's Day special activities

March 29 - April 5: No School, Spring Break and Easter

April 6 - First day back and Parent Council Meeting 7 pm

### **Special Note:**

Our yearly calendar that was published at the start of the school year missed a non-instructional day in May. <u>Please note there will be no class on Friday, May</u> 28.

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## **Spring Break Camps**

The Dalhousie Community Association's Out of School program is offering Spring Break day camps from March 29 – April 1st. Registrations will be accepted until noon on March 15th. Visit www.dalhousiecalgary.ca for more information or call them at (403) 286-2555.

Options include the camp only (9 am to 5 pm) as well as before and after camp options. The fee for the "camp only" option is \$160 for 4 days (Monday to Thursday).

#### **Teacher's Corner**

February was a great month in our Kindergarten class! We learned about many community helpers, groundhog day, celebrated Valentine's Day and the 100th day of school. We also finished off our skating lessons. Your children are super learners!

Our look at community helpers included some creative artwork using syringes and vehicles to paint, using science to learn about how we need to take care of our teeth and taking part in two Zoom calls, one with a genetic counselor and the other with a Firefighter.

I was so proud of all the students' hard work by writing their own names and sometimes all of their classmates' names on all Valentine's cards. Thank you, parents, for assisting and encouraging your child to do the work!

In March, we will be looking at different fairy tales and learning about some dinosaurs. We will also celebrate and learn about **St. Patrick's day with a "Crazy Day" on the 17th**. We will provide more details closer to the date.

Report cards will be coming home on Friday, March 5th. They will look a little different this time with more specific skill information. I will be setting up the Parent-Teacher conference schedule using Sign Up Genius again. Please watch for the email to arrive on March 5th that will help you to sign up for a spot to speak with me. Due to current Covid restrictions, I will only be offering phone or Zoom video chats at this time. Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held **Wednesday, March 10th** in the evening and Thursday, **March 11th** in the morning.

Warmly,

Mrs. Scherpenisse