



January Newsletter

Early Childhood Preschool– 2018

Happy New Year!!!

Registration for Preschool School Year 2018-2019

Pre-registration for fall preschool will begin on Monday, January 15-26. At this time children currently enrolled in the preschool program and their siblings may register for Fall 2018 Pre-school & Pre-kindergarten classes. This is in advance of the general registration. There will be a \$25.00 non-refundable deposit with a balance due in July. Parents can choose to sign up for an automatic payment plan. To register a proof of age will be required for children entering the program for the first time. Pre-registration forms will be distributed in the classroom January 9th-11th.

Please ask your child's teachers if you are not sure on the best placement for next year.

School Closings (Policy Reminder)

In case of severe weather the Park District early childhood/preschool programs will follow District 15 closing procedures. Please check the District 15 website for updates on weather www.ccsd15.net

Free Fitness Preschool Fun opportunity will be January 25 and 26 this month. Preschoolers can Join Ms. Karrie in the gym for some morning exercises and movement from 9-9:30am, no pre-registration is necessary.

Don't forget about **Kids Day Out**

Bring a lunch, do a craft, have some gym time, some free play and end the day with a story.

This extends your preschoolers day from 12-3pm.

The fee is \$12 cash or check in advance, \$15 day, of please stop by the Community Center office to sign up today!

COMING IN February (Save this date)

Mom's Teas - FEBRUARY 8 & 9

Mom's Tea is a day when mom or any special adult is invited to spend an entire class day with her preschool child. We will go through a sample day of school and have refreshments together.

Note: 4 day attends 2/9

Ice Skating opportunity for the 4 year old classrooms

All of the **four year old** preschool classes will be ice skating at the Nelson Sports Complex January 31st and Feb. 1st. Ms. Sue/ Therese and Ms. Kris/ Michele– Jan. 31 & Ms. Malia/Tricia-and Ms. Kim/Emmy-Feb. 1. The Nelson Sports Complex is located at 3900 Owl Drive. Each child that skates must have an adult present to put on skates and take them off when we are done skating. Please plan to meet at the ice arena at 9:30am on your child's assigned date. If your child does not feel comfortable ice skating he/she may come to school late that day. They may meet their class at school at 10:45am. Parents are invited to ice skate with their child but will not be required to wear skates on the ice. Ice skates are provided for children and parents at no charge. Other siblings are not allowed on the ice. Please dress the children warmly; include mittens and hats please. A waiver will need to be filled out upon arrival. **Note:** The four year olds will also have **Ability Awareness days** led by our Special Rec Association on 1/24 and 1/25.

Snow reminders: As sleet and snow tracks in the classrooms, please help us keep wetness to a minimum by removing boots at the class door entrance rug. Parent boots do not have to be removed, but please try to stay on the entrance rugs, our floors get very slippery. It's helpful to label coats, hats, gloves & boots.

NO SCHOOL - JANUARY 15

Coming March 14 & 15 Dad's Preschool night 6:45-7:45pm.

There will be no school on Monday, January 15 for MLK Jr. Day. We **do** have class on January 16.