

West Vancouver Child Development Centre

February 2011 Newsletter

CLEAN-UP – SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH

The first clean-up of the year, (there are three of them), takes place on Saturday, February 5th at 9:00 am sharp. Please wear “work” clothes as a bleach solution will be used for scrubbing down the inside of the centre. Please bring your own work/cleaning gloves. If anyone has an extra shovel and / or wheelbarrow, please bring it along as it makes moving the gravel around a lot easier.

Please note that children are not allowed at the centre during the clean-up – childcare will be provided at the home of one of the families.

FOOD SAFETY REMINDER

Many thanks to those parents who are following the new food safety recommendations! Some parents have not yet separated their child's refrigerated items. We will extend the grace period for this recommendation until February 4th. This will have given the parents a few weeks to include this procedure into their morning routine at the centre. As of February 7th, any perishable food items that are left in your child's lunch kit cannot be served to your child.

Please read the information sent to you last month for more complete information.

VALENTINE'S DAY PARTY – MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

Please provide some party foods for the children's Valentine's party on Monday, February 14th at 3:00 pm. No candies or nut products, please.

Label, label, label!!!

There are still a few items that end up in the lost and found container because there is no name on them. Please ensure that **all** of your child's belongings that come into the centre are labelled!

STORYBOOK PORTRAITS

The photographer from Storybook Portraits will be at the centre on Monday, February 21st to take individual as well as a group photo of the children. Part-time children who normally do not attend on Mondays, are welcome to come for the photo session, accompanied by a parent.

More detailed information about the portraits will follow shortly.