



Childspace Day Care Corporation-

Centre 2 Newsletter- Spring 2018

Welcome & Thank You:

Welcome to all our new families and staff. Thanks to all the parents that supported our parent night. If there any other ideas on topics you would like to share, please feel free too with the office.

Mindfulness for kids- Books:

Breath like a Bear by Kira Willey

Breath and Be by Katie Coombs

Baby Buddha's by Lisa Desmond

Yoga Bunny by Brian Russo

Mindful kids activity cards-Website:

kidsrelaxation.com

Annakaharris.com

Mindful.org (article "a mindfulness practice for preschoolers")

Cosmic kids

The Great Parent Show: <http://greatparentingshow.com>

Webinar: Caring and Responsive Relationships:

Anticipating and Preventing Challenges:

You tube: 1ssh7j8dKd8

MENU

The new Spring/Summer Hot Lunch Menu will be

starting as of April 23rd and will be posted.

Celebrations:

During the March break and special holidays such as Valentine's Day, St. Patrick's Day and Easter, teachers planned different cooking/baking activities for each room. The children made different treats like cookies, green apple donut, cupcakes, etc. They also had a great party to celebrate the different occasions.

Fundraising:

- The Scholastic fundraiser is ongoing and book orders are due at the 25th of each month.
- Our School-aged children organized "Bake off Sale" during the March Break and it was a great success!!! **They raised almost \$90!!!** Thanks to Ms. Rochelle, Ms. Hinna & Ms. Mikalia and to all the George Brown Collage Students. Also, to all the families who supported us: **THANK YOU!!!**
- **We are seeking support from our incredible families of Childspace Day Care for volunteers, donations or any form of contributions that will help us have another successful year! Please contact the office if you are interested and more details.**

SPRING READY: Happy Spring everyone!!!

Although we have been getting a mixture of pleasant and cold days. We are asking parents to be mindful of the weather and the temperature as it changes and provide the suitable clothing for their children. When there are nice days and the child doesn't need an item, we will leave it in the cubby. *If possible, please send an extra set of clothing for your child. Please have these items labeled so we can ensure that the items go back to the right cubbies. Please*

also check the lost and found to recover any missing items.

REMINDERS

- All staff, parents and children should be out from the building at 6:00pm due to security reasons.
- There is a late fee of \$1.00 per minute for the first time a parent is late and \$3.00 per minute if that parent is late again within a 30-day period. Failure to pay late fees can result in withdrawal from the Centre.
- Please notify the Centre when your child will be late or absent.
- Please notify the staff/Centre when another person not on your emergency list will be picking up your child.
- Board meetings are held the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Upcoming meeting May 16, 2018 @ Childspace 2 from 6:30-8:30pm

Upcoming Events:

★ **Ms. Josephine Park from Toronto Fire Services will be visiting us on April 25 for "Learn not to burn presentation"**

★ **Mother's Day Breakfast (May 11, 2018) & Father's Day Breakfast (June 15, 2018) from 7:15-9:30am.**

★ **Annual Spring Fair June 01, 2018 at Childspace 1 50 Woodmount Ave (St. Brigid's Catholic School).**

★ **Childspace Annual General Meeting (AGM) June, 20th 2018**