

Qualicum Beach Newsletter - March 2023

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Spring... or what is supposed to be spring.

March

We are hopeful that march will bring the spring weather and we will be able to enjoy some more outside time. Unfortunately, this may not be the case, so please dress your child accordingly for the ever changing weather.

Bright Star follows the SD69 snow closures and if they school District decides to close, we will follow. Please check the SD69 website and we will update our Facebook page as soon as possible.

In March we will begin our group lessons on the continent of Europe. These lessons will involve identifying animals native to this continent and painting flags from multiple European countries.

If your child wishes to bring an item in relation to Europe, they are more then welcome. (Please keep all toys at home)

February

In February we continued our letter works for the letters J, K and L.

As a group we learnt about the continent Antarctica. We borrowed books from the library full of interesting facts. We learned about the different types of penguins and played with melting ice.

We also celebrated 2 special holidays in February, Valentine's Day and Pink shirt day. We had a small Valentine's Day celebration where we all shared what we can do to show kindness and what love looks like. Thank you again to all the families who participated in our Valentine's Day potluck.

Things from home

Thank you to everyone who has been mindful of keeping toys at home. We are very grateful and can already see the positive effects in our classroom.

Important dates

March 6th – 9th Parent Observations

March 10th – Parent Teacher Interviews (SCHOOL CLOSED)

March 17th – St. Patrick's Day

March 31st – Deadline for Fall registration (Existing children & New)

Sickness policy

Currently we have a zero-tolerance sickness policy in place. This is to ensure our classroom is as healthy as possible. If any symptoms or fever that arises while a child is in care will see a call to parents for immediate pick up. All children must be 100% symptom free to return to school. We ask parents to use their best judgment and make the decision at home instead of bringing their child and having to be turned away at the door which can be very hard on everyone.

Parents corner

Please feel free to familiarize yourself with our parent's corner located on our website.

Username: brightstar

Password: 3503

Thank you,

Miss Holly

Miss Sierra

Miss Lindsay

Mumma Linda