

NOTTINGHILL NEWS



Message from the Teachers

Hello Families!

Spring has officially sprung, hopefully! With the spring weather comes lots of mud and unpredictable weather. We ask that you please send your child with boots and splash pants for outdoor play, so they are able to get into all of the areas they love the most! A light hat and mittens are also recommended as it can be quite cool when they're in the shade.

Our March was a busy one, learning about Community Helpers and having some very special guests join the classes to help us learn about their jobs!

We welcomed Miss Vaiva, a nurse, to teach the 3am classes all about the amazing things Nurses do to keep us healthy and help us when we are hurt. She even listened for friends' breakfasts in their bellies, and demonstrated some dressings on a few little arms and legs!

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| April 1st | • Easter Monday (No Class) |
| April 3rd | • Board Meeting |

The JK / SK class welcomed Miss Patricia in to talk about microbiology, where they learned all about how blood cells work (with some very cute puppets!), and got a chance to look at some very familiar items under a microscope!

Thank you, Miss Vaiva and Miss Patricia for your time and knowledge!

We finished off our month with lots of adorable Easter crafts, and our Easter Parties! As always, we were thrilled to receive a surprise visit from the Easter Bunny! The children were on the lookout for him, but he managed to get away before we could see him, leaving behind a trail of footprints, and some surprises in our cubbies!

This month we will be learning about all different types of transportation, hopefully with a few special visits for each class! We will be discussing all the different ways vehicles can move, where can we go, and who drives them? And of course, what sounds they make!

There will be lots to learn about Spring, and hopefully some signs of Spring to explore outdoors and add to our science table! We will also be celebrating Earth Day on April 22nd. This

is a fun way to discuss the things we already do to help our Earth, and maybe some new ways to keep our parks clean to play in!

Important dates!

Please note we are closed April 1st for Easter Monday!

Make a note, Moms & Grandmas! We will be organizing our Mother's Day celebrations for May 9th (2am) and 10th (3am & JK / SK). Details to follow!

As always, if you have any questions please feel free to reach out to your child's teacher!

Your Nottingham Teachers



Mabel's Labels

Our Mabel's Labels fundraiser is a great way to help our school earn money and make sure your child's belongings come back home! Having items clearly labeled will help us avoid mix-ups! Visit the following website and search Nottingham Co-op Preschool (Oakville) to purchase labels:

http://mabelslabels.ca/en_CA/fundraising/support/

Nottingham Silent Auction

A huge thank you to everyone that participated in our online auction this year, including both our donators and those who placed bids!

It was a huge success, raising a total of \$3590! These funds go towards buying fresh new supplies for the school and children, and extracurricular activities!

A special thank you to Dierdre and the Fundraising committee for all of their hard work putting the auction together!

Any remaining items that didn't get bids will be posted in the next week or 2 for a Rapid sale on the Facebook page. Details to follow!

Presidents Message



Hello Nottingham Families!

Nottingham's annual online auction was a big hit! A huge thank you to our Fundraising committee for collecting donations and running a successful auction. To all the families who bid on our items, your contributions go directly to the school and allow us to fund extra activities throughout the year and we thank you for your support.

As previously mentioned, we are still looking

to fill some roles for the 2024/2025 Board of Directors. The board of directors keeps Nottingham running and as a not-for-profit cooperative preschool it is CRUCIAL that our families HELP to fill these very important roles.

If you are interested and have questions about the positions, please reach out to me at: nottinghampresident@gmail.com, or Miss Jessica.

Thank,

Adriana



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