

## Year End Celebration (Kindergrad)

This will be an evening to celebrate our children! Please bring only your immediate family (parents, siblings, and grandparents if you wish) to our school on June 14th. Bring students to our classroom at 6:15 (so we can get on our cap and gowns) and then proceed to the gym to find a seat.



The evening will be fairly low-key. We will sing a couple of songs, present the kindergrads, then go outside to play on the playground together if there is time. The evening will wrap up by 7:30. Return your RSVP by June 9th so we know how much food to prepare.

## Splash Park Days

We will be visiting the local splash park on June 20th to celebrate the first day of summer and June 24th to celebrate the last day of school (weather permitting). We will walk there from the school at 9:00 (AM)/12:45(PM) and return at the end of your child's regular day for busing.

Send your child to school with a towel, hat, snack, and their bathing suit under their clothes. Please know that we are not allowed to help children apply any lotions or sprays without a medical consent form completed, so put on sunscreen and bug spray at home before coming to school.

This day is open for families to join us. If you plan to come, you can simply meet us there with your child.

## Last Day of School

Wow! Can you believe the last day of school is just around the corner?! Our last day of kindergarten is on Friday, June 24th. This is different from the grade school students who have school until Tuesday, June 28th. I am astonished at how quickly the year has gone by (which is the sign of a good year! I have loved spending my days with this group of kiddos! As most of you know already, I will not be here next year as we are expecting a baby at the end of August. I have promised the kids I will come visit them with the baby when they are in grade one.

Some children begin to have anxiety about moving on to grade one as our time together comes to a close. Please talk to your child about starting grade one and that it's okay to worry about a new experience, but assure them they will do great next year! Please let me know if your child has expressed worry so that we can also talk about it at school.

To ensure your child has a successful grade one year continue to read together over the summer, memorize sight words, and practice the letter names and sounds if your child does not know them all already. The math curriculum in grade one is significantly harder than kindergarten. Make sure your child knows the numbers zero to ten before starting grade one. If your child already knows their numbers introduce the numbers eleven to twenty as well. I have introduced addition to five, so you can continue to work on this as well.

# June 2016

| Sunday   | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday |
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| Show and Share:<br>Bring a toy or game your family likes to play together. |   |   | 1<br><br>Mason  | 2<br><br>Yellow Day<br><br>Micah                       | 3<br><br>Happy Birthday to Kaden<br><br>Last Book Orders Due             | 4        |
| 5  | 6<br><br>Luka   | 7<br><br>Paige  | 8<br><br>Field Trip:<br>Singing @<br>the Cultural<br>Centre for<br>seniors<br><br>Shyla | 9<br><br>Sydney  | 10<br><br>No School:<br>District PD<br>Day                               | 11       |
| 12   | 13<br><br>No School:<br>Morning<br>Class trip to<br>the JJNC        | 14<br><br>Year End<br>Celebration<br>6:30-7:30<br>School Gym<br><br>Tristan | 15  | 16<br><br>Happy<br>Birthday to<br>Micah<br>(July 16th) | 17   | 18       |
| 19<br><br>Happy<br>Father's Day<br><br>Happy<br>Birthday to<br>Austin      | 20<br><br>Field Visit:<br>Splash Park<br><br>First day of<br>summer | 21  | 22<br><br>Splatter<br>Paint Day   | 23<br><br>Play Day<br>(fun field day)                  | 24<br><br>Field Visit:<br>Splash Park<br><br>Last day of<br>kindergarten | 25       |