December 1, 2025

Dear Parents and families,

It is so nice to see the holiday season through the eyes of a child. It really can be the most wonderful time of the year! The month of December will be all things Nutcracker, with our colour of the month being White. We only have 3 weeks left until our Holiday break. Our last day of school will be **Thursday**, **December 18th** and we will be back on **Monday**, **January 5<sup>th</sup>**.

We are looking forward to the children performing for you at our Holiday Celebrations! The children have been hard at work and are so thrilled to perform for their families. Each child will be able to bring 4 adults to the special day. Please arrive at your regular class time, in the Preschool classroom. Adults will be asked to and find a spot in the classroom for the short performance. When the performance is finished, the Teachers ask that parents stay and enjoy the festivities (puzzles, games, art, etc.) of the classroom.

As some folks in our communities are not so fortunate this chilly time of year. Laura and I would like to ask for donations of socks, mitts, scarves, and/or toques. We will have a Christmas tree displayed in our classroom that will serve as our Tree of Giving. We hope to decorate the tree with all of your donations. Our goal is to surpass last year's total of over 200 pairs of socks, toques, mitts and scarves. And Mozart would like to ask for some donations to his furry friends at the Regina Humane Society. This could be pet food, toys, or treats.

Upcoming dates to remember:

**December 4 & 5** – White days (wear white)

**December 11 & 12-** Cozy Days (wear pj's or something cozy)

**December 17 & 18**- Holiday Celebrations (during your regular class time)

**January 5** – Preschool Resumes and Beginning of 2026-27 Registration

Thank you so very much for your support in all that we do at the Preschool! We wish you and your family a Happy Holidays!

Laura and Jodi