

# December Newsletter

## A Note from the Teachers

Hello Families!

Happy December!

November was full of glitter and learning as we started with our Under the Sea theme! This was a great time for the children to learn all about some of the very cute, and very cool sea creatures we knew just a little about! Thanks to some NatGeo kids shorts, we were able to see some glow in the dark jellyfish in action, learning about what they eat and how they swim! We of course used this theme to create some beautiful, sparkly, crafts as well, including a very clever octopus with all of it's suckers!

Healthy Me offered us the opportunity to use that same glitter for one of our favourite experiments to show the children how germs can transfer from our sneezes, to our hands, our toys, and our friends! We discussed the importance of handwashing, covering our coughs with our elbows, and keeping our teeth and bodies healthy with balanced food choices!

We also spent some time discussing our feelings and emotions, using colours to describe them, giving them faces and feelings, and talking about things that make us feel happy, sad, angry and silly!



Be sure to check out our  
**HOLIDAY MARKET on Dec 14**  
from 9:00 - 12:00!

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Please note our last day of classes before the break will be Friday December 20, and we will return on January 6th!

# This Month

This month will be all about the holidays, as we start on some very special surprises to take home! Please watch for more information / times for your child's holiday performance / party in the next few weeks!

**2am - December 19** - This will be a sing-along with the children and caregivers, with snacks and a special gift for parents!

**3am - December 18** - The children will have a short performance, followed by some special snacks and a gift for parents!

**JK/SK - December 19** - There will be a holiday performance, followed by treats and a gift for parents!

**Dec 18 - The JK / SK** class will be performing our Holiday Concert at DelManor

**Dec 20 - PJ AND MOVIE DAY** for the 3am and JK / SK class!

## Important Dates!

Dec 6 - Holiday Social

Dec 14- Holiday Market!

Dec 18 - 3am Holiday  
Concert

Dec 19 - 2am Holiday  
Concert

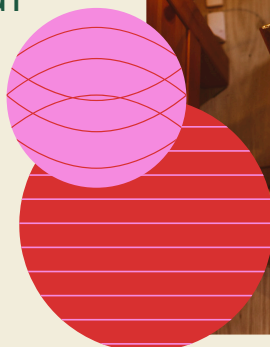
Dec 19 - JK / SK Holiday  
Concert

As we move into the colder (and colder) weather, we please ask that you make sure to send appropriate clothing each day for outdoor play, and have your child practice dressing / undressing themselves at home! Please also label everything, as new clothing can be hard for children to keep track of, and often looks the same as other classmates! Please note, our AM classes will not go out if the temperature is -10 with the windchill according to the Weather Network, but please always send your child prepared for outdoor play!

We appreciate everyone that has made note of our illness policy and the Halton Screening tool, and kept their children home when sick! This is a great help in keeping our school healthy and open!

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

- Your Nottinghill Teachers



# HOLIDAY MARKET

HOSTED BY  
NOTTINGHILL  
CO-OPERATIVE PRESCHOOL

NARTHEX, GLEN ABBEY UNITED  
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14TH  
9AM - 12PM

JOIN US

BAKED GOODS  
DECOR  
ART ACCESSORIES  
HANDMADE GIFTS  
FACE PAINTING  
HOLIDAY PICTURES

A BIG THANK YOU TO  
GLEN ABBEY UNITED FOR THE SPACE

