



# Nottingham News



Hello Families  
and  
Happy New Year!



We hope everyone had a wonderful break, with lots of time for family fun, some rest, and lots of treats!

December was a wonderfully busy month, filled with lots of music, special crafts and activities, and our Holiday Concerts! Thank you to everyone that attended to watch, and support the children! They were so excited to have their families into the classroom to party with us!

A special thank you to our In Class Party Chair / committee for all of their hard work in organizing the special treats and decorations for the parties!





Our AGM will take place on January 15, 2025. This is the first chance for current families to register for the 2025-56 school year, so if you have any questions regarding classes, please don't hesitate to reach out to your child's teacher! The following week registration will open to our past families, and to the public the first week of Feb. If you have any family or friends that may be interested feel free to let them know!

We appreciate everyone who has been working hard to adhere to our illness policy to help keep the children, and teachers, healthy, and the school open! As we head back from the holidays, we ask that you please keep an eye on your child for any signs of illness.

In accordance with a new Attendance policy put out by the Ministry of Education, we ask that you please email your child's teacher (e - mail addresses can be found on our FB page) to let them know of any absence by 9:30 am so that we can make a note of it in our daily logs. Reason only needs to be provided if your child has an illness.

## January Class Themes

To start the new year, we will be learning about everyone's favourite, Dinosaurs! This is always a popular subject for all of the classes, and even the teachers learn something new each year! We will cover the most popular dinosaurs, as well as learning some new facts, fun crafts, and of course some dinosaur dancing!

We will then move to snow and winter, so our fingers are crossed for a bit of the white stuff outside for our science experiments and crafts!

Coach Dana is back with Fit for Fun! This is a fun addition to our outdoor play (weather permitting), that gives the children an opportunity to try different sports and get some energy out when the weather is cold! This will take part on Tues (JK / SK), Thurs ( 2am ) and Fri ( 3am ). We ask that you please send your children in appropriate clothing and footwear (no dress shoes or Crocs) on those days so that they are able to safely participate!

DINOS!



SNOW & WINTER



FIT FOR FUN





## Cold Weather

With the now consistent cold weather, please send your child in weather appropriate clothing as we will try and get outside whenever possible! This means up to -10 with the windchill for 2am and 3am, and -12 with the windchill for JK / SK (according to the Weather Network App).

Snow pants, boots, hats and mitts are great for our outdoor play! The temperature can change mid - morning, so please always send them prepared for outdoor play!

And please label whenever possible to avoid clothing mix - ups and missing items!

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

- Your Nottinghill Teachers

### President's Message

Hello Nottinghill Families,

Happy New Year! We hope you all had a wonderful holiday season. As we welcome 2025, we wish everyone the best for the year ahead.

It's hard to believe, but the start of the new year means our registration process for the 2025/26 school year is just around the corner. Our Annual General Meeting will be held on the evening of January 15, 2025, and registration for returning families will open immediately afterward. We'll also be offering a discount to families who register at the AGM, so don't miss out on this opportunity to secure your spot for next year!

Additionally, Nottinghill is seeking nominations for next year's Board of Directors. Several positions are open, and with several current Board members transitioning out, we need your help to fill these roles. For more information about the Board positions and the time commitment involved, please reach out to any current Board member or contact us at [nottinghillpresident@gmail.com](mailto:nottinghillpresident@gmail.com).

Best wishes for the New Year!

-Sofia

