



November Newsletter

Important dates to remember

November 8: Inservice

November 11: Closed (Remembrance Day)

December 20: Last day of classes

December 25- January 1: Closed for Christmas break

Bills:

Payment is due November 25, 2024

Send e-transfer to:

woodlandschildcarepayments@gmail.com

Fundraising:

We have just wrapped up our Spent Bros pizza fundraiser. Thank you to everyone who ordered pizzas! Stay tuned for our next fundraiser.





Woodlands CHILDCARE INC.

FAMILY CHRISTMAS PJ PARTY



Gifts - Pizza - Activities
Special Guest: Santa!

Friday, December 13
5 - 7 pm
Woodlands Community Hall



Please RSVP by December 2 with
the number of guests, including
children to
woodlandschildcare@gmail.com

PRESCHOOL

What our classroom looks like:

October has been a month filled with child led activities, we are getting to know each child's personalities as they grow and develop and their interests change. This helps us as teachers to orchestrate planned activities and be creative with our spontaneous activities throughout the day. Everyday these unique and imaginative children teach us how to play and what it feels like to be children again.



Upcoming Activities

- Trucks and mud bogging
- Making our own slime kits
- Outdoor painting

The preschools interests:

- Gluing everything
- outdoors
- Painting
- Play dough
- Race cars and tracks

Infant

We are learning:

The infants had a jammed packed October, with lots of candy and even more learning. We explored lots of different ways to paint this past month. We used cotton pads and hammers instead of paint brushes and pumpkins and leaves instead of paper. The infants loved exploring all the different ways they could paint!

We celebrated Halloween by going down to the school parade which was a fun way to show off their costumes. We came back and did an oat eyeball sensory play which turned into a huge fun mess. Sensory play is one of our favourites, in and outside.

Things we are learning next:

- Risky play (lots of climbing and hopefully ice walking)
- Poppy painting (Nov 12th)
- Fizzy ice experiment



Milestones:

This coming month we are saying goodbye to one of our infants who will be moving up to preschool and welcoming a new infant into our program.

Woodlands School-age

What are we Learning?:

The Woodlands School agers have had another successful and fun-filled month. They can be found playing with the doll house and creating with the ironing beads. Poke balls are a popular project of choice. We had fantastic fall weather so when we were able to get outside, some of the school agers have been digging in the sandboxes, playing basketball or football and using the play structure. During our inservice, we chose to celebrate Halloween early and wear our costumes. We designed and carved pumpkins, played "What's in the Box" (Halloween edition), held a jack-o-lantern colouring contest and made worms in dirt for snack. We look forward to November and everything it has to offer.



Reminders to parents:

Please make contact with the staff during pick up and drop off. Please call or text when your child will not be in attendance of the program.



"sometimes we get too busy planning for the future to realize we are living out our dreams"

Important dates/Activities:

- Inservice Nov. 8
- Remembrance Day Nov. 11
- Pokemon
- Dance party
- Candy scavenger hunt
- Video game day

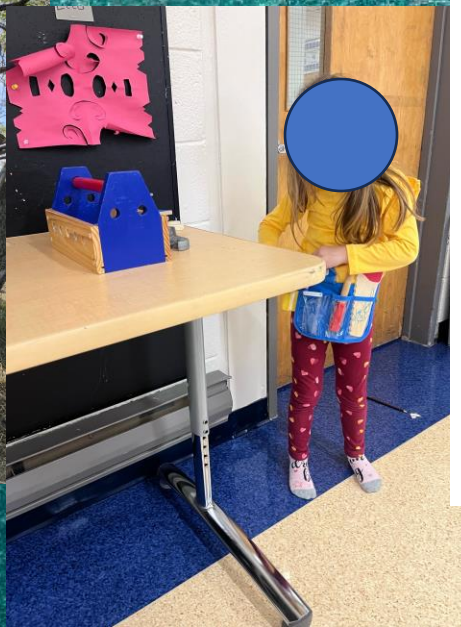


Warren School-age

What's been happening in our classroom:

This month, we have been enjoying the beautiful fall weather by spending as much time outside as possible before the cold sets in. The kids interests continue to revolve around building and Pokémon

On October 25, we had our Halloween party, and the children arrived in their costumes ready for fun. We carved pumpkins, which was fantastic activity that allowed everyone to express their creativity, we watched a movie and made delicious "dirt worm" cups.



Reminders

Text or phone, if
your child isn't
coming after school

November 8
inservice

Upcoming activities

Jeopardy

Slime

One minute challenges



Woodlands Kinder-program

What's happening in the classroom

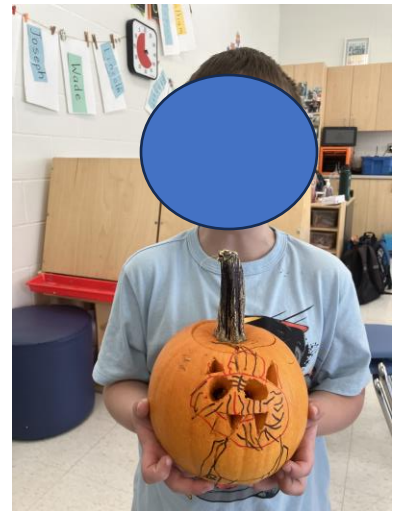
The Woodlands Kinders have settled into a comfortable routine and have found many successful moments. Some of the activities we've completed this past month are painting fall trees, doing an outdoor scavenger hunt and experimenting with corn starch and water. We had lots of fun exploring sensory, the outdoors and showing our creative side with a paint brush. When the children are given free choice, they can be seen pretending in the kitchen area, making little booklets and playing games such as hide and go seek or memory with the cards. During recess, this group utilizes the play structure and swings often. Others times they are exploring the outdoor classroom and newly built sharing circle. We can't wait to continue our Kinder journey next month.

I made my teacher laugh when I said.....

**“It's ok to work
on yourself”**

Reminders:

- Provide your child with extra weather appropriate clothing.
- Woodlands Childcare Fastoche phone number is: (204) 690-0772



Upcoming Activities:

- Symmetry drawing
- Coffee filter water drops
- Making poppies
- Paper air planes



Warren Kinder-program

What's happening in
the classroom:

The Scoop

The Warren Kinders are well into the school year and have not failed to impress. A few of the activities that we've done are, shading leaves, putting together name puzzles and painting pumpkin pictures. During free time, this group can be found crafting and colouring, doing lots of rough and tumble play and cooking in the play kitchen. With the warm fall weather we've been fortunate to have our kids have been going on walks through the trees and spending time in what they call "The Eagles Nest". The play structure, swings and zip line are popular choices as well. These Kinders have shown great growth in following routine and being creative. We will continue this good work next month.

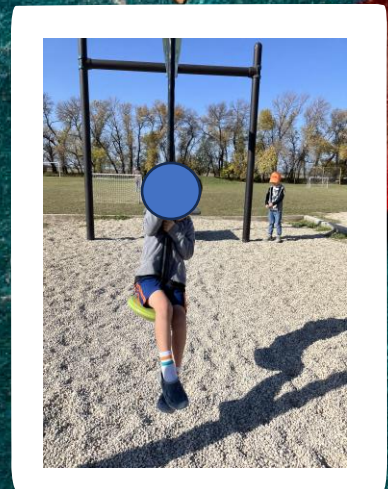
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Upcoming Activities:

- Vinegar experiment
- Making poppies
- Name painting
- Dinos in ice
- Centres



I made my teacher laugh when I said.....

"We live in a boring white house"