

## February News

# Mrs. Rutkowski & Ms. Janine Pre- K

January came and left in what seems like a flash. We talked about polar animals, hibernation, migration and all things Winter. Can you believe the school year is more than half over!

February will be busy with the Groundhog's Day, Dental health Valentine's Day, and winding up and President's day. We will incorporate the letters and numbers with all these themes, including simple money facts. During the week of 2/8 we will learn where we live (our addresses). See slip below to return to us.

**We would like the children to send a "Love Letter" via old school mail. Please send in a readdressed envelope and stamp to whoever they would like (ie, a grandparent or cousin or distant friend) only one please. We will do this February 5-15. So please return as promptly as possible**

\*\*\*\*\*The Valentine's celebration will be during class time on Wednesday, Feb 14... We ask **that you let your child sign his or her name on cards (20) and not to put names on the envelopes;** it will help us with distributing them.

You might want to start soon and let your child do a few each evening, if they want to... For our celebration we will have an ice cream sundae party with all the fixings, there is a sign up for ice cream sundae ingredients and party necessities. Any child that does not usually attend on Wednesday is welcome 9:30 to 11:15.

Please sign up to send in party donations and please note due by dates.\*\*\*\*\*

The school community at Beechwood has been experiencing a good deal of illnesses... please be aware that keeping your child home with fevers or other unwanted symptoms is courteous to students and staff. We really appreciate it.

**Please continue to dress children warmly as we will go out as often as we can, Extreme weather or poor playground conditions are the only exclusions.**

There will be a school wide Book fair in February so no book orders this month.

Beechwood is closed Monday, February 19.

Our second conference will be March ...date TBA: a sign up will be up 2 weeks prior). If you have questions before March please contact me.

To be sure we have it right we will be talking about addresses and phone numbers (one that child could start to learn) toward end of month fill out the slip on bottom of slip and return.

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Child name \_\_\_\_\_ our address is \_\_\_\_\_,

This is the correct phone number to learn \_\_\_\_\_