

May Updates

R&S Out of School Care Inc.

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Dear Parents,

April Showers, bring May Flowers! Hopefully that saying stays true and we are putting snow behind us! A beautiful month awaits us and we cannot wait for warmer weather so we can enjoy the sun with all the kids!

General News

Spring Weather

As the weather outside will be starting to change, please ensure your child comes prepared with appropriate Spring Wear (jacket, rain boots, umbrella, etc).

R&S 25th Anniversary Party!

To celebrate our 25th year of running, R&S will be having an Anniversary Party **on Friday, August 25**. More details will be released closer to the date, but mark the date in your calendar and if you can attend, **please RSVP by June 9th**.

One of our brilliant R&S kids suggested we set a theme for the party: Red & White to celebrate Canada's 150th! We are on board with the idea, and would like to ask you, the families, what your opinion is on coming dressed in red & white attire. Please email/text/call us or speak with one of our lovely staff upon pick up/drop off on what you think about this idea!

Soup/Tuna Cans for a Craft

We are planning an awesome craft for May but we need your help! The kids require a soup or tuna can for the craft so we kindly request that you wash and send any cans you may have so that we have enough for all the children to participate in the activity. If you do not have more than one can, that's okay! Please send the one can you have for your own child's craft.

Months at a Glance

May

Some dates to remember during the month of May:

May 22- Victoria Day: R&S will be **closed** (correction from last newsletter, also noted in Parent Handbook)

Public School PD Days: May 23, 24*

Catholic School PD Days: May 19*

*A Will You Require Care Sheet will be posted closer to the dates

June

Some dates to remember during the month of June:

June 29- Last Day of School!

Summer 2017

Summer Childcare

Please note that **R&S is closed for the month of July**. Our last day of care for the 2016/2017 school year will be June 29th. R&S will **reopen on July 31** to provide care for the entire month of August.

R&S will be closed on August 7 due to holiday as stated in the Parent Handbook.

Summer Fees

Fees in the summer will be as follows:

\$700	5 weeks (entire month of August)
\$500	2 weeks in August
\$300	1 week in August

Please leave your post-dated cheque for August by **April 28th**.

Refundable Fall Holding Fee

There will be a **refundable fall holding fee of \$300** for those who will not require care for the summer but would like to reserve a childcare position in the fall. This fee may also be used to acquire 1 week of care in August. This fee will **be due by the April 28, 2017**.

2017/2018 School Year Fees

The first day of the 2017/2018 school year is Tuesday, September 5, 2017. **Fees starting in September will be \$480/month, due on the first day of each month**. R&S will be **closed** on the Labor Day Monday on September 4, but ready for school on September 5!

NOTE: We are now accepting e-transfer! Please contact Roxanne for more information if you would like to pay for your child's fees via e-transfer.

Special Celebrations

Birthdays between April and June

Cassie C.- May 7

Logan Z.- May 31

Jack S.- June 2

Liam A.- June 4

Cultural Celebrations

Mother's Day

Victoria Day

Father's Day

Aboriginal Day

Would you like to suggest an activity for R&S for the following month?

At R&S, parental involvement in our program is of utmost priority. This is an area in which you and your children can suggest any activities, games, crafts, celebrations, or snacks for R&S! You may also express any questions or concerns. Using this detachable area of our monthly newsletter is completely voluntary. We value all feedback and suggestions we receive. Thank you!
