

CENTENNIAL DAY **CARE** **NEWSLETTER**



JANUARY 2010

Welcome back! We hope everyone had a great holiday.

Welcome to New Staff

As most of you know, Sheila Catchpole has left us for a year while she's on maternity leave with her first child. Brianna Provan will be stepping into the Program Supervisor position downstairs and Shannon Vickers will be moving into a full time position with us.

Fundraising Efforts

Thank You to everyone for their outstanding support for our winter fundraising efforts. With your help we raised \$1300 to buy program supplies and support our music and sports programs!



Up-coming events will be our coffee sale in February and, back by popular demand, our valentine bake-sale (goodies provided by staff). In April we have our hanging-basket/flower sale (arriving in time for Mother's Day).

Dress for the Weather

Please ensure your child has a warm coat, splash pants, hat and gloves with them every day. We are playing outside for up to 2 hours each day. With our damp, windy weather children often get cold during this time of year if they don't have the appropriate outdoor clothes.

Community Sponsors

We want to thank the following businesses and individuals for their donations of prizes which made this year's raffle such a success.

- The staff and board of Centennial Day Care
- Victoria Car Wash
- Western Speedway
- The Vicker's family

And a special thank you to Francelli's Coffee House (on West Saanich) for donating the coffee.

Important Reminder

If you haven't returned your new registration form yet, please do so as soon as possible. This information is required by Childcare Licensing Regulations and is inspected by our licensing officer. It also helps our staff

respond quickly to any emergencies that may arise.

If you need another copy of the registration form talk to any of our staff.

Resources for Parents Online

<http://www.caringforkids.cps.ca/index.htm>

<http://www.kidsinvictoria.com/>

<http://www.vch.ca/sneezesdiseases/docs/SneezesDiseases.pdf>