

## February News 2022

We had a lot of fun in January but not a lot of snow (NOT YET- Let's see what happens this weekend☺).

In January we...

- Learned about Arctic animals and what animals do in winter (hibernate, migrate, and adapt).
- Learned about Martin Luther King.
- Shared black and white items
- We practice our fine motor skills – cut an oval for penguins, painted snowman with cotton balls, and made bears by painting with plastic forks.
- For Math, we worked on several foundational skills such as number identification, 1:1 correspondence (bears in caves) and patterns (mitten math).
- Gross motor fun we practiced jumping on ice bergs and playing snowman bowling.

Today we made a class book ...check it out here.

<https://rochesterprojectgrow.weebly.com/snowy-day.html>



In February we will...

- Learn about Groundhog Day, Valentine's Day, President's Day, friendships, community helpers and 5 senses. Dental health and Black History awareness are also discussed in the month February.
- We will learn about rhyming
- Dramatic play will become a Post Office
- Celebrate Valentine's Day
- Open Gear table
- Color of month - Pink

### *Important Dates*

Wed. 2/9 -

$\frac{1}{2}$  day 11:30 dismissal (no lunch is needed for school - only snack and drink)

Thursday 2/10

Valentine's Day celebration - **Pink/Red day**

Monday 2/14-

Valentine's Day celebration - **Pink/red day**

Mon. 2/21-Fri. 2/25-

No school February Vacation

On our Valentine's Day Celebration we will celebrate our friends by making Friendship pancakes and enjoying them for snack. If they would like to, children may bring in cards for their classmates. Both the 2-day and 3-day class have 13 children.



**Happy Birthday**  
**James C is turning 5 on February 27<sup>th</sup>**

### ***Poems for February***

#### **I Love You**

I love you, You love me.  
We're a happy family.  
With a great big hug and a kiss from  
me to you.  
Won't you say.  
You love me too.

#### **The Snowmen Poem**

I'm a little snowman short and fat  
Here is my broom and here is my hat.  
When the sun comes out,  
I go down, down, down  
Then it's time to say  
I'll be back another day.

Always remember to pack a hat  
and mittens 😊 We go outside  
daily. Make sure your child is  
prepared.

