

Kendallvue Family News



November 2018

Getting Ready For Winter

Winter Holidays Are Around The Corner

Well, November is finally here! The Holidays are soon approaching and bringing winter weather along. As we get closer to winter and all the festivities, we need to make sure our kiddos are prepared for the snow and extremely cold temperatures! They should be prepared for the cold with jackets, hats, gloves and of course boots after the snow falls. We will be taking children outside to play as long as they have the proper snow gear and the temperature doesn't fall below 20 degrees.

Along with winter, comes some of our favorite Holidays! Thanksgiving is up first! What are some things you are most thankful for? Family? Your home? Great friends? We all have so much to give thanks for. Let us remember those that may not be as fortunate as ourselves. We will be having a canned food and care package drive this month to help those in need. Our kiddos are so compassionate and have shown great interest and concern for other families that don't have a place to lay their heads at night, or food to feed their children. Throughout November we will collect canned food and toiletries to donate to **Colorado Coalition for the Homeless**. The children will put together the care packages and write a small note of encouragement to put inside. I'm so proud of their compassion and desire to help others!

Voting?

As a resource for families, we have placed the Jeffco ballot initiative book highlighting 5A, 5B & Amendment 73 at the Family Center.



Happy Thanksgiving!

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Hours of Operation

6:45 AM – 8:05 AM
2:55 PM- 6:0

Tuition

Tuition is due on the 1st of every month.
* You will see a **Professional Development Fee** on your statement this month

Next Full Day of Care

Friday November 2nd is the next full day of care as there will be no school. Care will be provided at **Kendallvue**, to those who are registered.

Thanksgiving Break

Thanksgiving Break full day care, will be Nov.19th-Nov.21st from 6:45am-6:00pm, here at Kendallvue. Registration is due by **Nov.5th**

Kid's Corner: Real Thoughts from Real Kids

I interviewed Isabel G. and Alana B. about what their thoughts were on doing the Food and Care Package Drive, as well as the growing homeless epidemic. Here is what they had to say:

Isabel G.

Question: Have you even participated in feeding the homeless?

Answer: *"Only in school."*

Question: Why do you think it's important to help those in need?

Answer: *"Because you're lucky to have a bed at night, but some people don't. I think it will make them feel better and it will make me feel better too."*

Question: What do you think we could do, as a community, to help bring an end to homelessness?

Answer: *"Build more centers where homeless people can stay until they get on their feet. Centers with beds and food and medical attention in case they need it."*



Alana B.

Question: How does it make you feel to know that there are people that don't have a home or food to eat?

Answer: *"I feel that they should have food to eat. But, I don't think we should give them money because they might go buy cigarettes."*

Question: So Alana, do you think it's acceptable to give them food and clothing?

Answer: *"Yes"*

Question: How does it make you feel to know that there are a lot of kids your age without a home or food to eat?

Answer: *"It makes me feel horrible. It's unacceptable. It makes me feel lucky for everything I have."*

Question: Are you excited about our food and care package drive? What do you think you'll want to say in your encouragement notes?

Answer: *"Yes I am! I don't know, I will just make it up as I go."*



NOVEMBER CURRICULUM: This month will be full of many fun experiments and crafts! We will be visiting the Colonial Era as well as "Time Travel" and preparing for Thanksgiving.