

# Olympic View Montessori Newsletter

## November 2007



### Future Events:

Friday, December 14th, field trip to the Olympic Ballet's Nutcracker

Friday, December 14th ...**Holiday Party 5:00-6:30pm Potluck**

December 19th-January 6, **No School ... Winter Break**

Wednesday, January 7th, **School Resumes**

*Reminder re-enrollment will be in January. Parent Conferences sign up sheet will be posted outside the classroom soon. Conferences are Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday, January 22nd-24th. There is no school these days.*



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A note from Ms. Kait and Ms. Tjelle:

Things we did this month included these and other things.

**Practical Life:** water transferring

**Sensorial:** Color wheel

**Math:** Short bead stair line and Teen bead line

**Language:** Sounds and Letters h, i, j & k .

**Geography:** North America Unit

**Science:** Native Americans

### Kid's Tidbits

**Joshua:** (To Gabriel on picture day)  
"Look Gabriel, we look just like our dads!"



Thank You Volunteers: Thank you to all of our volunteers for helping with the Art Projects and reading. We would love you to help out too. See the volunteer sign up calendars on bulletin board by cubbies. You can help with art, reading or just copying! Thanks!!

Returning in January: Do not be alarmed if after two weeks off from school, your children revert to their reactions the first weeks of school. It is always strange being away with mom and dad and then returning to school. To help this transition we suggest trying to keep your child on the same sleep schedule as during the school year and doing an activity during the day around the school schedule, even if it is just grocery shopping

### Re-enrollment & Conferences:

Re-enrollment questionnaire and forms for the 2008-2009 school year will be sent out when you return in January, they will not be due until Feb. 5th.

Parent Conferences will be Tues., Wed. & Thurs., Jan. 22nd-24th. There will be no school on these days. The sign up sheet will be posted outside the classroom soon.

Field Trips: What a fun field trip to the visit Hawkeye's Teepee. The children really had a great time learning about different types of native American customs and visiting The Day's garden and farm. . We are looking forward to our trip to the Nutcracker on Friday, Dec. 14th. Drop off for children for this field trip is 8:45am prompt. We will leave for the trip at 8:45am prompt, We will return at 11:00pm. Pick up is at 11:15pm-11:30pm. This is not a scheduled school day.

Holiday Customs and Party: If you celebrate Hanukkah, Las Posada, Kwanzaa or other holiday customs, we would love you to talk about them in class. Let us know. **Also, There will be a signup for the Holiday Potluck posted above the cubbies.**

This party is for all family members including grandparents. This year our party will be held at the

**Meadowdale Beach Clubhouse,  
6801 N. Meadowdale Rd.,**

**Edmonds, 98026 from 5:30pm-?**

Snow Days: In the event of snow, we will follow the Edmonds School District on these decisions. If there is a delay there will be no morning class, but there will be afternoon class. If they have no school, we will have no school. Please watch KOMO TV or log on to their website **www.komotv.com** under school closure information, for private schools look for Olympic View Montessori, for our closure information We will also update the phone message on mail box #3 with information.

Reminders: Please send in warm outdoor wear; coats, hats, mittens. We try to go outside daily.

### Tuition for January:

You can submit your tuition for January before Friday or mail the tuition payment to the school. I will not be depositing the checks until December 26th. **Remember tuition is due December 25th and will be late on January 5th. Thanks!**

### Parent Conferences:

Please note there is no school on Tuesday and Wednesday, January 16th and 17th, as we will be holding parent conferences those days. Sign up for your twenty minute slot will be above the cubbies. If you are not free on either of those days, you may sign up for a telephone conference. Call the school at 425.640.0746