

# MISSOULA VALLEY MONTESSORI

2018-2019



## Important Dates

**Monday, February 1st**

Staff Meeting

NO AFTERCARE

**Thursday, February 14th 2:15**

Valentine's Day Celebration

**Monday, February 17th**

Presidents' Day

NO SCHOOL

## A Special Thank You

We would like to take a moment to thank Michael Sankovic, grandfather to Maven. A few weeks before the winter break Michael began spending his Mondays volunteering at MVM. He has been incredibly helpful in so many ways and he is game for anything. No matter what we ask he jumps right on it and comes back for more. He has been cutting, laminating, building shelves, recycling, shoveling and salting the parking lot, helping during lunch and recess and more. We can't really begin to say how grateful we are for his time and assistance. Thank you Michael!

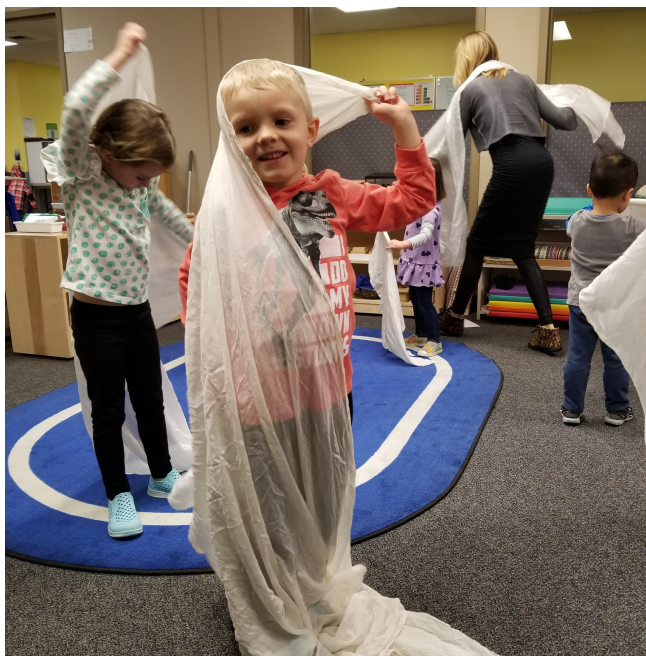






## Dance Class

We are excited to share that we are offering creative movement classes for our winter extracurricular activity this year. Lulu, our fabulous movement instructor, joins us once a week to share group dance and movement activities with the children. She meets with each class for 40 minutes. During this time Lulu leads the children in various movement games, songs, dances, and rhythm activities.



The children truly enjoy the time Lulu spends at our school and they love the many special activities she shares with them. Some recent favorites include freeze dancing, a silly song called Rooty- Ta, creative movement with scarves, and a movement game called magic rock.

Lulu will be joining us three more times this winter. We can't wait to see what she will share with us next!





## We Love Our Healthy Bodies:

### A Valentine's Day Celebration

On February 14th at 2:15 the primary classes at MVM will be hosting a Valentine's Day celebration. During this time we will emphasize the importance of taking care of our bodies, serve healthy snacks, and the children will open Valentine's cards from their classmates.

In preparation for our celebration, we ask that you help your child prepare Valentine's cards for their classmates. To make distributing the cards more manageable for your child, we ask that you only help your child fill out the "from" portion of the card and leave the "to" section blank. Each class has the following number of children:

Blue Room: 26

Green Room: 16

Taupe Room: 17

Keep an eye out for our Valentine's Day snack sign-up sheets. If you sign up to bring a snack, we ask that you follow our healthy theme and avoid bringing candy or other sweet treats.

## Photos from the Taupe Room





# Photos from the Blue Room





# Photos from the Green Room





# Photos from the Early Learner Room

