



FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER 2017

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Thanks for all of you to provide changing clothes for the children!
- We kindly ask all the parents not to bring any small toy, sticker, sweets, coins to the kindergarten. Only one cuddly toy is welcome for the nap time.
- We ask the parents, please call our office until 8 a.m. in case of absence or if the child wouldn't come to Plum Pudding for few days. (061 9200 707, info@plumpudding.hu)
- We would like to remind you that at the afternoon pick up you child until 5 p.m.
- Please, write your child's name into her clothes, jackets.
- Please, do not let the children open the security gate and type in the gate code.
- Please, arrive to the Kindergarten until 9 a.m. We cannot provide breakfast for those children who has arrived after 9 a.m.

FONTOS INFORMÁCIÓK

- Köszönjük, hogy váltóruhát hoznak a gyerekeknek!
- Kérjük, hogy apró játékokat, matricákat, édességeket, pénzt ne hozzanak be a gyerekek az óvodába. Egy alvós plüssjáték természetesen továbbra is behozható.
- Kérjük, hogy gyermekük hiányzását legkésőbb aznap reggel 8-ig telefonon (061 9200 707) vagy e-mailben (info@plumpudding.hu) jelezzék.
- Kérjük, hogy gyermeküket, legkésőbb 17 óráig (zárási idő) szíveskedjenek elvinni.
- Kérjük, írják bele a gyermek nevét a ruhájukba és a cipőjükbe.
- Kérjük, ne hagyják gyermeküknek a biztonsági rácsot kinyitni és a kapukódot beütni.
- Kérjük reggel 9 óráig érjenek be, ellenkező esetben nem tudunk a gyermeknek reggelit biztosítani.

IMPORTANT DATES

- 5 May at 4 pm: Mother's Day Show
- 31 May at 4 pm: Father's Day Show
- 23 June at 4 pm: Farewell Party

FONTOS DÁTUMOK

- Május 5-én 4 órakor Anyák napi műsor
- Május 31-én 4 órától Apák napi műsor
- Június 23-án 4 órától Ballagás

Welcome to February!

If the bear sees his shadow on February 2nd, there will be 6 more weeks of winter... now we all know that 2nd of February was a cloudy, grey day and the bear could not see his own shadow. Lets hope that spring will come soon!



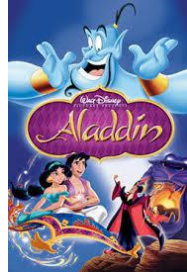
Dear Plum Pudding Parents,
another period of the year has passed and it is time to update you about what your children have been getting up to since we started the New Year. I'll give you a hint: It's quite a lot!

Despite the rather cold winter weather we took advantage of it as best as we could. Plum Pudding's playground has been filled with so much fun. The children could ride the sleigh almost every day. We can consider our sledge slope is one of the best in Budapest! Well, winter is fun when it is white and snowy.

During January the children participated in many winter themed activities. We built snowmen and sang about snowflakes. Snow and snowy landscapes were included in our Art projects. The children also practiced to use zips, snaps, and buttons on their clothes properly, as well as they hung their jackets on hangers after coming in from outside.

January has been a wonderful month of learning with our project based on stories. Stories help children with their confidence levels, coping with feelings and language and learning. Stories are a great way to introduce new words and ideas into a child's language – starting with picture books for the very young, working up to more complex novels for the preschoolers. Stories can help children learn about concepts such as shape, size, space and colour, up and down, inside and outside, numbers and the names of objects.

Stories help to develop a child's imagination by introducing new ideas into their world – ideas about fantastical worlds, other planets, different points in time and invented characters. It will encourage the children to realise that they can, and should, imagine anything they want.

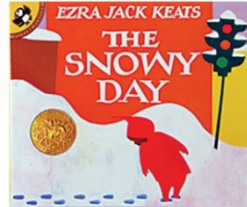


Aladdin



the Lion King

and *The*



snowy day by *Ezra Jack Keats*

were so much joy. You

can see all the hand made pictures about the stories on the walls and doors of the nursery.

At the end of the month all the groups had a field trip to Szechenyi hill. The sun shone brightly which made the winter day nice and cheerful. Once being up in the park we talked about the nature surrounding us in the winter. We think it is important to teach the children at this age about the seasons and what goes around them. We also discussed how to care of our enviroment and how to stick together during a field trip. The children enjoyed themselves on the playground and made snow angels. We had a very satisfying winter picnic with some hot tea! The trip was an event of itself. The children behaved themselves very well and made their teachers proud. It was a great adventure out in the snow!