

Scallywag Rag

Bridgewater Day Care Centre - May 2026

Dates to Remember

May 5th - Parent Committee Meeting 6pm

May 18th - Victoria Day Holiday Centre

Closed

Parent Committee Meeting - Our May

Parent Committee meeting will take place on Tuesday May 5th at 6pm. All families are invited to attend. This meeting is a time to talk about what is happening within our Centre, and plan for future activities and events. The playground entrance door will be open for families to enter, we will meet in the Parlour (double sliding doors off the gym).

Pyramid Model - Direct Teaching Peer mediated Social Skills - This is the final essential skill for preventing behaviours. Children which have strong social skills succeed in school. As adults we have the ability to support children with social delays by creating opportunities for social play with peers. Helping with language, with turn taking and patience when play does not go the desired way. One skill our staff are teaching the children is when wanting to get a peer's attention to call out their name and tap them on their shoulder. Another skill is Suri Spider as they teach how to solve problems in a positive way.



Congratulations - we are happy to announce the safe arrival of Latif Singh, son to Manjot.

Mission Barrels - Last year our Day Care families donated items towards filling barrels heading to Sousa in the Dominican Republic. New or gently used clothes (no winter gear)- toys, craft supplies, hygiene items, and this year the focus is on supplies for teenagers. You can check the sign on our bulletin board for specific items.

Change of Entry - Thank you for your accommodating the change in our entry. I have heard mixed reviews from adults and children, but everything does seem to be working. The biggest complaint is that the children do not have the door opener to open the door on their own. We are looking at installing the accessibility door opener for families so hopefully this will happen soon.

Billing - Invoices for daily child care fees have a new look. The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development have mandated that all families are to receive a monthly invoice, which has our regular daily fees, the provincial fee reduction, the provincial child care subsidy (if applicable) and if the provincial subsidy is greater than the amount owing on the monthly invoice a fourth line with provincial subsidy adjustment is added. The purpose of this change is to show families exactly how provincial grants are given to Nova Scotian families. If you have any questions regarding your invoice, please give the day care office a call.

We are Caring

We are Safe

We are Supportive