

2010 PROGRAMS

(Ages listed with group are the target age group only - all children aged 0-6 years are welcome with their parent/caregiver to any of our programs)

BABY TIME (0 – 1 year) Interactive play, information, and circle time that focuses on the development of infants and bonding with your baby.

TODDLER TIME (1 – 2 ½ years) Toys, crafts and circle time aimed at helping parents with the challenges of the toddler phase.

STORY FUN (2 – 6 years) Free play, circle and craft time that are based on new and traditional childhood stories.

ABC's & 1,2,3's (2½ - 6 years) Literacy and numeracy based circle and craft time, especially helpful for children preparing for or who are already in Kindergarten.

RHYME TIME (2 ½ - 6 years) Learn a new rhyme or refresh yourself on some of the traditional rhymes of childhood each week during circle and craft time.

MOVE & GROOVE (0 – 6 yrs) Free play time and craft followed by an action packed circle of dancing, shaking and moving.

PLAY & LEARN (0 – 6 yrs) Interactive activities, toys, games and circle time.

COOKING WITH CHILDREN (2 – 6 yrs) Interactive activities, toys, creating something in the kitchen to try or take home, and circle time!

DID YOU KNOW?

Huron Ontario Early Years offers Early Learning Programs in communities throughout Huron County 6 days per week. Programs are offered in Clinton, Auburn, Brussels, Crediton, Ethel, Exeter, Hensall, Kirkton, Londesborough, Seaforth, Vanastra, Goderich, Dungannon, Wingham, Belgrave, Bluevale, Blyth, Gorrie, Howick and Wroxeter.

Please see the Goderich, Wingham, and Community Early Learning Program Calendars for more information.



Clinton Main Centre

HURON COUNTY ONTARIO EARLY YEARS

Main Centre

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www.huroncounty.ca/childcare



"A Place for Parents/Caregivers and their children from birth to six years of age"

January 2010

****Attention Elementary School Teachers, Childcare Providers,
Sunday School Teachers, Early Childhood Educators and Scrapbookers****

Climb aboard the Die Press Express

Thursdays 1:30pm-7:30pm

Beginning Thursday, January 28th at the Main Centre

We have two die press machines and large selection of die cuts to choose from. You can create projects in sand paper, aluminum, felt, foam, fabric & paper. Please join us for a tutorial on using the machine, bring your own materials and make a special "project of the day" each evening.

The playrooms will be open for free play for children birth to six years.

If you have a request or an idea to add to our programming, we welcome your valuable input. Please fill out a suggestion sheet, post your ideas on our Facebook page "Huron Ontario Early Years Centre" or talk to your local Early Years program staff!

**** Learning Sign Language program starting on Monday mornings in February!****




**Celebrate Family Literacy Day with us on Saturday, January 30th
At the Suncoast Mall from 9:00am-12:00noon. More details inside.**

Please see our calendar on line at:www.huroncounty.ca/childcare

*Drop in to any location to play and learn! ALL PROGRAMS ARE FREE
For all other Community Early Learning Programs please see the Goderich, Wingham,
and our new Community Early Learning Calendars.*

JANUARY 2010 CLINTON MAIN CENTRE

Clinton Main Site is open for drop-in Monday to Friday 9am—12pm and 1pm—3:30pm

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>You are invited to become a fan of the new 'Huron Ontario Early Years' facebook page. Reminders about upcoming programs, share great ideas, and ask staff questions.</p> 		<p>We will now be offering Early Years programming on Wednesday morning at the Main Centre. Please join us for a Move & Groove program to help get you more active during the long winter months!.</p>	<p>DIE PRESS EXPRESS program on Thursdays starting January 28th!</p> 	<p>Closed</p> 
<p>4</p> <p>Cooking with Kids 10:00am-11:30am "Dandy Dirt Dessert"</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Move & Groove 10:00am-11:30am <i>Dance like a Snowflake</i></p>	<p>7</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Baby & Toddler Time 10:00am-11:30am Communicating with your child Speech/Language milestones, Infant Hearing Screen, age appropriate directions and messages for children</p>
<p>11</p> <p>Cooking with Kids 10:00am-11:30am "Oliver Octopus"</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Move & Groove 10:00am-11:30am <i>Let's build a snowman</i></p>	<p>14</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Baby & Toddler Time 10:00am-11:30am Good night, Sleep Tight We will talk about bedtime routines and read "Good Night Moon"</p>
<p>18</p> <p>Cooking with Kids 10:00am-11:30am "Granny's Granola Mix"</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Move & Groove 10:00am-11:30am <i>What time is it Mr. Wolf?</i></p>	<p>21</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Baby & Toddler Time 10:00am-11:30am Finding Balance Time management strategies & Self Care for Parents & A taste of Baby Sign Language</p>
<p>25</p> <p>Cooking with Kids 10:00am-11:30am "Zebra Pudding" **Starting in February, Learning Sign Language on Mondays**</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Drop in to Play & Learn or visit us at our Downtown Clinton site</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Move & Groove 10:00am-11:30am <i>Bring your own sleigh for some tobogganning fun!.</i></p>	<p>28</p> <p>Die Press Express STARTS TODAY! 1:30-7:30pm Home Child Care Provider Evening Workshop. Please call (519)482-8505 ext. 204 to register.</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Baby & Toddler Time 10:00am-11:30am Family Literacy Day Celebration! Children around the World</p>

Special Events and Notices

Die Press Express

Starting Thursday evenings on January 28th at the Main Centre, you can create projects with our die press machine in sand paper, aluminum, felt, foam, fabric & paper. Please join us for a tutorial on using the machine and some fun Holiday projects you can make. Great for child care providers and teachers, Sunday School teachers. Playrooms open for active play as well.

Please call 519-482-8505 for more information.

What is Family Literacy Day?

Literacy is more than books. There are several ways to keep your literacy skills sharp - all it takes is practicing for 15 minutes every day. Reading, writing, playing a game, following a recipe, or even singing a song all help prepare children for challenges ahead and sharpen skills for adults.

Check out the website at

http://www.abc-canada.org/en/family_literacy_day

To celebrate Family Literacy Day ...

We are holding a Multicultural Children's Event on Saturday, Jan. 30th. Please join us at the Suncoast Mall from 9:00am-12:00noon!

