



Southeast OSCAR Newsletter

February 2010

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Important Dates

Tuesday, Feb. 2- OSCAR Early Dismissal @ 1 PM; Activity: Heart People
Tuesday, Feb. 9- Friendship Bracelets
Friday, Feb. 12- Valentine's Day Party
Monday, Feb. 15- OSCAR Full Day @ South Prairie - Presidents Day
Tuesday, Feb. 16- Friendships and Working as a Team: Team Games and Personal Picture Frames
Tuesday, Feb. 23- Friend Tracing: How to be a Good Friend
Thursday, Feb. 25- OSCAR Family Night @ Sycamore HS, 6:30-8:00 PM
Monday, Mar. 1- OSCAR Full Day @ South Prairie - Pulaski Day

A Note from the Office

For the entire month of February, the OSCAR office (245 W. Exchange) will have different hours. The office will be open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8:30am - 3:00pm. The office will be closed on Tuesdays. If you need to get a message about schedule changes to the OSCAR site, please call the site directly. Payments may be made online, by mail, or in person. Regular hours will resume March 2nd, 2010. Thank you for your understanding and continued support!

YMCA Involvement

Until February 12th, the YMCA will continue with the basketball rotation for Sports Day and arts and crafts for Variety Day. On the week of February 13th, the YMCA will be presenting football on Mondays and fitness on Thursdays. This rotation will continue until Spring Break, the week of March 22nd.

February Theme: Friendship

A Note from the Site Director

After an exciting month of health and fitness, our February at OSCAR will focus on another value that we feel to be very important - friendship. The power to build strong relationships with other people and learn how to work with one another comes from developing friendships with those around us. We will be doing several activities and crafts that support this value, having children learn to work with each other. Also over the course of this month, we will be preparing for a short presentation with all children that are available for OSCAR Family Night on Thursday, February 25 at 6:30 PM at the high school. Every school will have a chance to have a short presentation. If you are available, this night will be a great opportunity to learn more about all of the great things that go on at OSCAR before and after school, the awesome staff that works very hard to make a rewarding experience for your children, and some of the other outstanding children that make up the program. We look forward to your attendance.

Sincerely, Garth Anderson (OSCAR Site Director)

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