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# Uxbridge Extended Day

A program of the Uxbridge Public Schools  
Kindergarten Kid's Club, Taft Kid's Club and Whitin EXTRA  
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## Monthly Report –March 2007

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### Enrollment

Taft Kid's Club: 109  
Kindergarten/Pre Program: 24  
Whitin EXTRA: 32

### Overview of Activities for March

- March 7<sup>th</sup> was a curriculum half-day-Child Care was open
- March 21<sup>st</sup>- Good Friday-School Closed, child care open till 4 PM.
- Kindergarten Childcare Registrations for 2008 are up to 14.

### Program Activities

- Taft Kid's Club continues their "Clubs" offerings. This month the clubs offered are:
  - ☐ Cooking/Baking Club on Tuesdays and Thursdays .
  - ☐ Walking club
  - ☐ Cheerleading Club
  - ☐ Sport of the Month—This month basketball
  - ☐ Sculpting Club- working with real clay, just a primer
  - ☐ Mrs. B.'s Chat room on Fridays (just roundtable discussions based on children's questions and interests)
  - ☐ Computer Club.
  - ☐ Garden Club—this month it includes only weeding raking and cleaning up the area in front of the Cafeteria windows
- At the Whitin EXTRA Program, the children discovered some old sewing machines that were being stored away and have put them to good use. Sewing lessons will begin soon, meanwhile the mechanics, and maintenance of the machines have kept them busy. This group put together an international foods day during the curriculum half-day. There were dishes from India, Ireland, England, Italy, Puerto Rico, Holland and much more. Homework is still the significant piece of the afterschool schedule. There is baking on a regular basis and socializing often happens around board games and computer activities.

- The Kindergarten children have been charting the weather and learning math by doing a lamb/lion chart. They are also discussing wind and they have constructed primitive windmills. As spring approaches, they have been discussing farming and gardening, and how seeds go about growing. They are going on a search for pussy willows on their regular walks. Next month they hope to delve into farming more extensively

**Professional Development: N/A**

**Upcoming Events:**

- Closed April 21<sup>st</sup> for Patriot's Day
- Open April 22<sup>nd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> for April Vacation
- Going to Paw Sox Game on April 24<sup>th</sup>.
- Summer Brochures will be out by Mid-April. (draft included in this report)
- 2007-2008 Brochures for grades 1-8 will be out by early May (should be a part of the next report)

attached: draft copy of SF 08 brochure