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WOODBINE CELEBRATES WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD

Woodbine—Mayor William Pikolycky is pleased to announce that Woodbine will be celebrating the Week of the Young Child from April 10 through April 16, 2011, with a theme of "Early Years are Learning Years".

Woodbine Elementary School District has planned a week full of activities to celebrate this very special event:

Monday, April 11: Art Show

Tuesday, April 12: Parent Play Day

Wednesday, April 13: Literacy Night (4 p.m.)

Thursday, April 14: Atlantic City Aquarium Touch Tank

Thursday April 14: hop-a-thon for preschool students (in afternoon)

Friday, April 15: Open House

"Our young children here in Woodbine, NJ, deserve the best that we can give them and the Week of the Young Child is a time to recognize the needs of young children and thank the adults involved in their education and care. Parents, teachers, caregivers and other adults play important roles in the lives of young children, and the Week of the Young Child celebrates their efforts," noted Mayor Pikolycky. "We can show our support for early learning in our community by promoting early literacy programs, thanking teachers who care for our children, and working to ensure that our public policies support early learning for all children. The Week of the Young Child is a time to focus our attention on bringing Woodbine together for children. Besides the classes for three- and four-year olds at our community school, the Atlantic Human Resources Head Start program located at our Social Services Center has 14 children enrolled in that program, with an additional 16 in its Early Head Start program."

(Proclamation from Mayor attached)