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NEWSLETTER

Dear Families

Thank you to everyone - educators, families and children who have ensured that we have had a wonderful first term. We look forward to lots more adventures and discoveries together.

Next term we are delighted that Donna Buckley will join us as ECW. Donna has a Diploma in Child-Care and extensive experience in program planning in a range of services. She will be a great asset for our service.

We hope that you have a wonderful Easter and holiday break and look forward to working together next term.

Regards
Cathy



Governing Council

Our next meeting is on Wednesday 15th May 6.30 pm at the Kindergarten. Please join us to make decisions about what resources we purchase for the children this year. We have a great supper and lots of laughs plus important decision making. At our last meeting the Governing Council decided that we will open a Facebook Page to assist with the promotion of the service. There will be a closed group for families and an open group for promotion purposes. Permission slips for children's photos being published on the FB pages will be sent out next term.

Playgroup

Playgroup will start on Wednesday May 8th, the second week of term. This service will run in conjunction with kindergarten. It will give our caring children the opportunity to be leaders in the play environment. Please consider coming along if you have younger children. The cost is \$40 to join the Playgroup Association (can be paid termly) and a gold coin donation to kindergarten each visit to cover costs. Please let other families in the community know about the service.

Donations for old books and resources

We are cleaning out old toy library resources which we do not require and they will be under the verendah to take for a gold coin donation which will go towards new resources.

Diary Dates

Excursion to Gorge Wildlife Park



Don't forget to pack a hat, lunchbox as per what you would pack for a normal kindergarten day, spare set of clothes and a full drink bottle. Please join us if you would like a great day out.

Professional Photos



Tuesday July 11th and Thursday July 13th. The cost of the package is \$35.

Foodies Day Out

We are planning a trip to Olive Grove Café for a cooking class, play at the Balhannah Playground and lunch at The Balhannah Hotel. This is a follow up to the children's interest in planning recipes in the mud kitchen.

Bunning Sausage Sizzle Thank Yous



We were very privileged to have 'Grandparent Power' for this event and despite very blustery conditions were able to collect \$581. With minimal expenditure because of community donations we made a profit of \$559 and have purchased a much needed new ipad.

A huge thank you to those who helped on the day:

Holly George:	Joels mum
Judy & Graham	
Goodes:	Joels grandparents
Bob Voumard:	Henry and Lily's grandpa
Catherine Martin	Staff
Kristy Jacobs:	University student

Thank you also to families who donated soft drinks:

Albrecht :	Gus
Senyk:	Emily
McBeath:	Lily and Henry
Mead:	Pippa

Working Bee Thankyous

The kindergarten had a makeover on Saturday and thank you to the families and children that came and helped.

The potato vine at the back of the garden has been removed. We discovered this was toxic and the density did not allow for our vegetables to grow.

All of our display boards have been recovered with new hessian and lots of odd jobs were completed.

Thanks to the following families that attended and worked tirelessly for a great result:

Shaun, Ruby, Henry and Lily
Kelli-Ann, Kylie, Lucas, Saphyar and Kaetian
John and Brodie
Luke and Joel



Enjoy the little things,
for one day you may look back
and realize they were the
BIG things.
- Robert Brault

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