



HALLETT COVE PRESCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Monday 1st May Week 1 Term 2, 2017

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Hello Everyone and welcome to Term 2. We hope you have had a nice break from Kindy routine and the children are refreshed and ready for another term of learning together. This term our focus will strongly be on Numeracy worked through our Sustainability Learning. We will focus on developing children's processes for learning numeracy, including quantifying and using data. We will also work with the children developing their Literacy skills in ways appropriate to the development of 4 year olds; we will play games that develop phonological awareness; hearing sounds in words, clapping syllables and listening to and using rhyme. We will provide an environment rich in letters, words and stories.

The Highlight for the beginning of the Term is our **Kindy Community Night on Wednesday 17th 6-7:30pm**. Both groups welcome on the same night. Come along with your family for night time Kindy. More details soon.

TERM 2 DIARY DATES

- Week 1: 1-5th May
Mon-Fri Helen away, welcome Relief Teacher Selena Webster
Fri 5th Kindy Group 1
- Week 2 8th-12th May
Mon 8th & Thursday 11th **Kindy Photo Days** . Be at kindy by 9:15 please
Fri 12th Kindy Group2
- Week 3 15-19th May
Tues 16th CAYH 4 yr old health check
Wed 17th **Kindy Community Night 6-7:30pm**
Friday 19th Kindy Group 1
- Week 4- 22-26th May
Tuesday 23rd **Governing Council Meeting 7pm**
Friday Kindy Group 2
- Week 5 29May-2nd June **Friday Kindy Group 1**
- Week 6 5th -9th June **Friday Kindy Group2**
- Week 7 12th-16th June
Monday 12th Public Holiday BUNNINGS COMMUNITY BBQ Volunteers Needed
Friday Kindy Group 1
- WEEK 8 19th-23rd June **Friday Kindy Group 2**
- WEEK 9 26th-30th June
Tuesday 27th and Thursday 29th **Jack and Molly Entertainers**
Friday Kindy Group 1
- WEEK 10 3-7th July **Friday Kindy Group 2** Morning Session 9-12noon Walk and Picnic

Thank you to everyone who completed our Term 1 Parent survey, if you have not yet returned your survey its not to late we will publish the results in the next newsletter.

KINDY PHOTO DAY: Next Monday 8th May and Thursday 11th May in the morning

Our Kindy children will be photographed by professional photographer Simon Fleming. The children will be photographed as a group about 9:30 and then individually. Please ensure your child is at kindy 9:15 to help us get the children organized. The 3 individual photos and the group photo presented in a small album will be \$45. Photos are also available to be purchased individually at a single price without the album. Please let us know if you have any questions. Albums will be available after a couple of weeks.

KINDY FUNDRAISING

BUNNINGS MARION

Community Sausage Sizzle BBQ

On the Monday of the Queen's Birthday Long Weekend, **Mon 12th June** our kindy has been given an opportunity to raise funds by cooking the Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings Marion. We are asking if there might be some parents available to volunteer their time for an hour or two to cook and serve sausages between 9-4pm. We will also need some helpers to set up and clean up outside of these times as well as prepare onions .

A roster will soon be placed on the Photo board near the other kindy rosters if you would like to add your name

Please Remember, EGG ALLERGY ALERT: We now have a child with a severe allergy to eggs at our Preschool. We would like to request that boiled eggs and egg sandwiches are not sent to kindy in lunch boxes as traces of the crumbly yolk may be left on surfaces and not be seen. (Eggs in baked goods do not pose such a problem)

Thanks for your help with this ☺



Entertainment Book

The 2017-18 Entertainment book is now available for purchase at kindy for \$70. The Entertainment book is available in traditional hard copy and also Online ; which-ever suits you better and is full of vouchers and special offers at restaurants, cafes, family fun and businesses. You will quickly recoup your outlay in the first few vouchers. See Helen if you would like to purchase one

4 Year Old CAYH Health Checks at Kindy

We are pleased to be able to offer Child and Youth Health Checks at Kindy again early in the term, Tuesday the 16th. See Helen or Alison to book in

FAMILY PAGES:

WE would love to see some new family pages hanging in the Kindy. Remember there is no real expectation except a little about what your child likes and a little about your family. It is not important to include photos, your child might draw pictures or older siblings might help. If you have lost your child's page see a staff member to get a new one

Don't forget to add your name to the Parent Help Rosters if you would like to help with Cooking with the children, Looking after the chooks on the weekend or doing the Kindy Laundry