



Dates to remember ~

\* **Governing Council Meetings will be Weeks 2 & 7 of each Term.**

**Term 2 - Week 7, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.**

**IMPORTANT \*\*URGENT!!!**

Please help us by ensuring your **FEEs** are paid.

**Term 2**

\* **Queens Birthday ~ Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>**

**KINDY CLOSURE**

Week 9, **Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup>** for staff training with Portfolio Preschools.

**Can you help us?**

We are so **GRATEFUL TO OUR MANY ~ VOLUNTEERS!**

\*Parent ~ Teacher Interviews

A schedule will be available for parents to select when they will meet with their child's teacher to share ideas, learning progress and expectations.

**Boots**

We ask that all children bring in a pair of **NAMED BOOTS** which remain at the Kindy on the back shelf for using in the digging patch **by Term 2.**



# NEWSLETTER #7

## Term 2, 2017

The weather has finally changed so we hope you have sent in some **BOOTS** for your child to wear as we still access the outside learning area. Please make sure they have warm clothes and a change of clothes in case they get wet!

TERM 2 PROGRAM ~ Contribute to

### **FAMILY & CULTURE**

Please participate in our **LEARNING PROGRAM** by ~

- **Bringing in a Family Photograph** ~ To support the children as they develop a sense of **IDENTITY** and **BELONGING** to groups and communities.
- **Where are you from?** We have put up a map of the world and encourage families to share their heritage by adding a line of wool. Display on board by the children's information pockets.
- **Children's Community Garden** ~ We will be trying to get the path done this term and always welcome help with maintenance like weeding!

### **FUNDRAISING ~ TERM 2**

**Movie Night on Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please pay the \$5.00 BY Thursday to help us cater for the night!** Would love more volunteers on the night see roster by sign in sheets. Donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you to Leroy's family for tomato sauce!

The Movie Night is for our Kindergarten children.

**Siblings up to 6 yrs old may attend.**

The movie and the Kindergarten venue ~ especially our toilets are not designed for older children.

## TERM 2 ~ May 1<sup>st</sup> -→ July 7th



- We will be continuing our work with the Occupational Therapist supporting our children with their fine motor, gross motor control, coordination, balance, core strength, self-regulation and sensory processing. The OT will come in and observe the children and recommend strategies and experiences to support them to develop their skills.

Remember to send healthy food for your child to eat at fruit time and lunch.



### **EMERGENCY INVACUATION/EVACUATION**

We are required to carry out practices of emergency procedures with the children each term. As part of their learning program we have been discussing different types of emergencies and what they need to do at Kindy. Please do not be alarmed if they come home with stories about emergencies. We use a whistle as our warning signal and therefore do not use Whistles for any other reasons at the centre. It is good to discuss what children can do at home to keep safe.



### **ANGASTON KINDERGARTEN PLAYGROUP**

Tell your friends~ Angaston Kindy is thrilled to be able to provide Playgroup for the community. It runs on Friday mornings from 9am to 10.30am. Our new Playgroup leader ~ Alina Gransbury sets up a range of activities appropriate for children from 0 - 4 years. We welcome new families to come enjoy the company of other adults while the children play in a safe environment.

**It was wonderful to see more families join in the Playgroup on Friday.**

**Beautiful facility and grounds providing a safe environment with age appropriate equipment and experiences!**

**It is a great opportunity for children who will be coming to Kindy next year to become familiar with the centre!**

# ENROL NOW IN PRESCHOOL



Going to preschool helps your child to learn new things, make friends and develop confidence.

Children who turn 4 before 1 May can start preschool at the beginning of the year before they start school.

**Families are encouraged to enrol now for 2018.**

For more information  
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