



## **J.S.C News**

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### **Meagan's Memos**

#### ***Newsletter for July 2020***

##### **New Financial Year**

Can you believe it! Our fees will NOT be increasing in July due to the Government giving us a Transitional payment to get us going again. As a condition of receiving this money all eligible childcare centres are not allowed to increase fees until September. A great win for families.

As it is a new financial year all absences have been reduced to 41. This means you can only have 41 days absences without a reason, and this includes Public Holidays. If you go to a Doctor please get a certificate as we can use that once your child has used up their days and this doesn't count towards absences.

##### **Fees**

The free fees are stopping on 12th July. Normal fees will be charged from Monday 13th July. Please check your statement carefully to make sure it is correct.

##### **Educators**

Miss Charmaine is almost due to have her second baby. Charmaine will take Maternity Leave for approximately 6 weeks then return to the Pre School room. We wish Charmaine and Roy all the best and can't wait for cuddles. We are still looking at a replacement for Charmaine whilst she is on leave.

God Bless Meagan

# Nursery News

Group times are loved by our older children as their concentration and listening skills are growing stronger. Their vocabulary is increasing and their language is becoming clearer through story time with 'God made me' and 'Spot goes to school', reading corner and talking to the children through our routines and painting activities we do. When outside children have practised sliding, climbing, and investigating while playing.

Every child has been exploring their creative flair through making 'Moses parting the Red Sea', butterfly prints and paintbrush painting. We continue to learn our lunch time prayer 'Thank you God for our food, Amen.'

We are learning to be kind to one another, wash our hands with soap and water and throughout the year we continue to learn sign language to help our babies communicate with us.

If you have any  
questions or concerns  
please speak to Steph or  
Tracey

## Toddler Room Buzz

This month we have explored our sense of touch. We used our feet to explore shaving cream outside.

We have been using different mediums to paint with. Check out our nature paintings displayed in our room.

We used our gross motor and cognitive skills to build with the wooden blocks.

Please remember your child needs a healthy lunch box, spare clothes and water bottle each day they attend. If your child is unwell during this time please do not bring them to the Centre.





# Preschool News

This month our focus has still been on pencil grip, hand control and name, shape and number recognition. We have been using the whiteboards with the markers and also tracing around our names, shapes and numbers.

Aren't we clever!

We have the coloured counters out this month with the tweezers. This is to help with colour recognition, colour matching and to help with our pincer grip.



We continue to work on our Preschool program. We have been working on colours, numbers, shapes, the alphabet and recognising our names.



We are learning more about sharing and cooperating while we play in the doll house and we also get to role play with the different people and the jobs we think they do.



If your child has borrowed spare clothes don't forget to return them.

Magnetic blocks continue to be one of our favourites in the room. We make lots of different things including houses, towers, cars, animals and we have used them to measure how tall we are when we stack them on top of each other.



Construction toys are still very popular this month with children choosing poly m blocks, stretchy connectors and the construction vehicles.



Miss Chloe, Miss Alison, Miss Charmaine

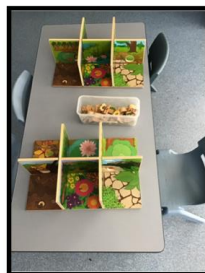
## SCHOOL READINESS ROOM

Miss Emma and Miss Kiara

This month we have been practising a range of skills in preparation for Kindergarten next year. These skills include cutting, counting, shape and colour recognition, name writing and recognition.



The children have enjoyed playing outside with a range of different activities such as, the obstacle courses, the tyres, hula-hoops and so much more to help with physical activity, balancing, and gross motor skills.



The children have been continuing to develop their fine motor skills over the last few weeks and making such beautiful creations with the activity's that have been provided.



In the school Readiness room we have been exploring a range of different crafts, helping the children with colour recognition and fine motor skills.

Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.  
Proverbs 22:6



Reminded if you would like your child in the newsletter to return your note or ask your child's educator for a new one to fill out.  
Thank you.





Thank you to all families who have purchased books this year.

Very much appreciated!

Lyndal



To everyone who has a  
birthday in July

### Bible Verse of the Month



### Educational Leader

This Month I have been working alongside Educators on resourcing information to improve our Programming within each room. This includes improving our documentation and how we document. This will be ongoing process throughout the rest of the year.

If you have any suggestions please do not hesitate to talk to the Educators in your Child's room or place a suggestion in our suggestion box in the front foyer.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

July 2020

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> – Teddy Bears Picnic

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> – Pyjama Day

### Fees

Fees are currently free until 13<sup>th</sup> July, if you use Ezidebit or Centrepay, and are ahead in fees, please contact us if you would like to suspend payments. If you are behind in fees, please continue to make payments and use this time to catch up.

Any questions please see Meagan or Lyndal.



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