



## J.S.C News

December 2019

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### Meagan's Memos

#### Closing Down / First day

We will be closing on Friday 20th December at 6.00pm, and re open on Tuesday 7th January 2020 at 7.00am. Fees are NOT charged for the 2-week period we are closed. Monday 6th January is a pupil free day where the Educators are coming in and having a preparation day.

Please do not bring your child on this day.

#### Sickness

We still have some sicknesses in the centre. Please keep your child at home if they are unwell. Please ring the centre to let us know they are unwell and not coming. This helps us plan staffing for the day and cut down costs for you.

#### Fees

All Ezidebit and Centrepay payments will continue over Christmas. If you make a direct debit during the year, please keep this going too as it will help you catch up on payments and get ahead. Our goal for next year is to get all families 1 week in advance with their fees as they have signed for in your child's enrolment form. Thank you to the families that are already doing this.

#### Policies

Please read the policies on our website each month at [www.janellestreetcentre.com.au](http://www.janellestreetcentre.com.au) We will be putting up the new illness one shortly which includes changes about temperatures. If you are unsure about something, please ask me or an Educator.

#### Educator's News

We have 2 new positions available for next year which is really exciting. We will let you know who they are later this year or early next year. We are currently advertising the jobs on Facebook and seek.com.au. If you know anyone who is interested let them know and encourage them to apply.

#### Christmas Time

Christmas is almost upon us and this becomes a busy time for families. I just ask you take a minute to think about the true meaning of Christmas. Jesus was born so that we can be saved.

In the Bible Matthew Chapter 1 verses 18 – 25. Have a read and if you have any questions please come and see me.

Happy Reading Meagan

## December Newsletter

Its stating to look like Christmas , we have started our Christmas craft this week. Foil painting with red, green and of course glitter .

We encourage Roll play activities in nursery because it's an important part of a child's development. From making noises as they play with cars to pretending to talk to our mums on the phone. Both of these develop independence and assists the children's imagination.

Musical instruments are for all ages of development in the nursery and a great opportunity to explore sound.

Literacy time is great developing our reading skills and speech.

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## Toddler Room News

The toddlers have been busy making Christmas gifts for their special person.

The children have been practicing their climbing, jumping and balancing skills on the obstacle course. They have loved kicking and throwing balls as they build upon their hand eye and foot coordination skills.

The children have been exploring the shape sorters during indoor play. The shape sorters assist the children in recognising and matching shapes, as well as building upon their problem solving skills.

The children have been exploring the modelling clay to further develop their fine motor skills by rolling, squeezing and pinching the modelling clay.

The children have strengthened their fine motor skills through drawing on butcher's paper with pencils and crayons, developing their pencil grips.

Please remember hats, and spare clothes as the weather is warmer.

In group time we have focused on shapes and animals using flash cards.

The children are extending their language skills as they make song requests at group time, such as "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star", "Rainbow song", "Sleeping Bunnies", "Miss Polly had a dolly", "Dingle Dangle Scarecrow" and "Baby Shark".

For God so Loved the world, that he gave his one and only son, that whoever believes in him will not perish but have eternal Life.  
John3:16

From the Toddler Room Educators  
Miss Katey, Miss Tracey &  
Miss Cassee

If you have any questions please feel free to chat to a Toddler Educator

# Preschool Newsletter

For our cooking this month we made fairy bread. The children loved this experience.



The children enjoyed doing sensory play this month by playing with shaving foam, diggers and trucks in coloured rice, shredded paper and moulding foam.



Please remember to pack spare clothes- including undies and socks.

The children have started learning to write their own names as some already know how too.



Group time activities are always fun We love working as a team in the preschool room helping each other.



We are playing outside more , please remember to put your child in a T-shirt or Dress with sleeves.



Learning opposites and numbers the children enjoy learning new things.

Hope everyone has a safe and have Christmas. From the Preschool room.

Miss Chloe, Miss Donna

## School Readiness News

God is love  
1 John  
4:8



Big school is not far away so we have really been focusing on our school readiness activities including, name and letter recognition, fine motor skills and group activities.

The School Readiness Educators  
Miss Emma, Miss Lyndal and Miss Ashleigh

Christmas decorations have begun! Children are excitedly making Christmas presents and decorations to take home.



## National Recycling Week

The children brought in lots of recycling for us to use. We each had a turn at creating something new out of the recycled material we had collected. We are also building a robot out of recycled materials to keep in the classroom. Thank you to everyone who donated.





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

Very much appreciated!

Lyndal



To everyone who has a birthday in December

### Educational Leader

If you would like to review our policies please head to our website

[www.janellestreetcentre.com.au](http://www.janellestreetcentre.com.au)

If you have a suggestion place your suggestions in our suggestion box in the front foyer.

Thanks,  
Katey.

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### Bible Verse of the Month

FOR Unto You  
is BORN this day,  
in the city of David  
a SAVIOR  
which is  
CHRIST the LORD  
LUKE 2:11

**Tamworth Baptist Church  
Christmas Celebration**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
7:30pm**

**FUN FOOD ITEMS  
and  
FELLOWSHIP**

### Room Email Addresses

Nursery: [nursery@janellestreetcentre.com.au](mailto:nursery@janellestreetcentre.com.au)

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# Notice Board



## December 2019

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> – School Readiness Graduation

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> – LAST DAY for 2019

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2020 – First Day  
back for 2020.

## End of Year

We will be closing on Friday 20th  
December 2019 at 6.00pm for 2  
weeks. We reopen on Tuesday 7th  
January 2020 at 7.00am

## Fees

Please be aware if you use Ezidebit or  
Centrepay, payments will continue to be taken  
over our 2 week break unless you notify us.

Any questions please see Meagan or Kath.



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