



J.S.C News

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Meagan's Memos

Newsletter for June 2020

Corona Virus

We have made it through another month. God is good to us. The unknown is hard, and I appreciate everyone doing the right thing. Please continue to keep our centre safe. It is good to see nearly everyone back again. We missed the children (as it was so quiet without them)!

Please wash hands on arrival with soap and water or sanitiser that is placed in the foyer.

Fees

The free fee is stopping at the end of June which means you will be charged fees again. To make it easier to start paying again please make regular even if smaller, so when it all goes back to normal in less than 4 weeks you will be ahead in your fees.

Photos

Buggalugs are taking our photos again this year. Please bring your child dressed in the clothes you want them to be photographed in. Check email for more details.

Educators

We are sad to say that Emily is leaving us. Emily will finish on Thursday 4th June. Emily was part time and will be moving to Narrabri to be with her boyfriend. We wish Emily all the best in her new adventures.

Many Educators who had to drop days due to the free fee scheme will soon be able to pick up their days again.

Thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. Very much appreciated.

Happy Reading 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 the use of flash cards, reading corner and bible stories-'Noah's Ark'. When outside children have practised sliding, climbing, and investigating while playing.

Every child has been exploring their creative flair through making 'Noah's Ark'. The children have been busy making hand prints for 'Reconciliation Week'. 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

As the children use the puzzles they develop their problem solving skills as well their hand eye coordination.

The children have been exploring the books and are beginning to label the pictures within the books. This helps them to increase their verbal language.

During our outdoor time we have been working on our gross motor skills including balancing and spatial awareness using the balance beams and A frames.

We have been participating in pencil drawing which furthers our fine motor development.

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 we have been focusing on pencil grip and hand control. We have been using the whiteboards with the markers and also tracing around our names, shapes and also numbers.

Aren't we clever!

Hopping, skipping, jumping and galloping have been a lot of fun to learn and perfect this month. Were using a lot of energy to learn these skills.

For our Preschool program we have been working on colours, numbers, shapes and the alphabet. We have done this one on one with the children, in small groups and as a large group at group time.

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

The animals and the volcano have been a lot of fun over the last few weeks. We've tried placing the animals that live in the water in the pond and the land animals on the land.

Construction has been very big in the room this month. LEGO, magnetic blocks and the train set have been very popular.

Miss Chloe, Miss Alison, Miss Charmaine

SCHOOL READINESS ROOM

Miss Emma and Miss Kiara

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

Rainy days are enjoyed by the children doing chalk drawing outside on the verandah, look at all our beautiful creations.

The children also were very interested in looking at the rainbows after all the beautiful rain.



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.



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.



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

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



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

Very much appreciated!

Lyndal



To everyone who has a
birthday in June

Bible Verse of the Month



Educational Leader

This month I have been researching for our programs and observations as to assist our Educators in developing their knowledge and skills in providing their program to our families.

We are continuing to look at our policies that are reviewed on a monthly basis. This assists our Educators in developing their practices further as to provide the best care for your child.

If you would like to offer any suggestions in regards to our policies and practices please feel free to fill out our suggestion forms and place them in the box at our front foyer or email the Centre at admin@janellestreetcentre.com.au

Miss Katey - Educational Leader

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UPCOMING EVENTS

May 2020

Friday 8th – Mother's Day Morning Tea - CANCELLED

Monday 18th – Crazy Sock Day

Wednesday 27th – National Simultaneous Storytime

Fees

Fees are currently free, 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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