





Newsletter

21st March 2019

Dates to Remember March

20th & 21st Harmony Day Picnic

26th 4yr old CAFHs Screenings start– this will continue each term until everyone is seen.
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Our local Tupperware lady

Jenny Tiller will be here:

2:30pm to 3:30pm

For our Tupperware Fundraisersee over for details.

April

3rd External Observers here to conduct observations as part of our continuous improvement journey

9th & 10th End of Term afternoon tea for Preschool children and their families

12th Preschool End Term 1

15th Vacation Care starts

19th & 22nd Easter—Centre closed

25th Anzac Day—Centre closed

29th Governing Council meeting 4pm





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Dear families,

Thanks to those who attended or tendered apologies for last Monday nights Annual General Meeting. We set up on the lawn outside and enjoyed the beautiful weather. When Emily Wandel shared her Governing Council Chairperson's report we were reminded of some significant milestones met in 2018, particularly to celebrate our wonderful newly developed Centre and the ongoing partnerships with families, and community which helped us realise this 12 year old vision. We feel very proud and a huge sense of achievement in this accomplishment.

We thanked our outgoing Governing Council; Nikki Greenshields, Kate Reinke, Bonnie Nicholls, Megan Pengilly and Liz Cook for all their work and support and extra efforts during the Redevelopment year:

I would also like to extend a special welcome to the incoming Governing Council for 2019: continuing members- Emily Wandel (Chair) Andrew Jettner, Ali Tiller, Lee-anne McCracken and the newly elected- Bec Boumis (Treasurer), Abbi Higgs, Julie Brooks and Nick May. Staff will elect the Staff rep at the next staff meeting.

If you would like to join this group of parents to complete the 2019 Governing Council (as **we still need of an extra GC Member**) we would love to hear from you! You may be interested to know that we are trialling daytime meetings throughout this year and there will be 10 meetings to attend spread out across the next 12 months. These meetings will generally run for around 1.5-2 hours. Please let Dale or Cara know if you can assist us.

Throughout the meeting the highlights from the Annual Report were shared and these included:

- QA1 & 5: Educational Program and Practice & Relationships with children- educator work in Senses, Sensory Processing, Literacy and numeracy and the progress recorded against the dispositions of Curiosity, Resourcefulness and Persistence and the strengthening of programming through an emergent curriculum process
- QA 2, 3, 6: & 7 Children's Health & Safety; Physical Environment; Collaborative Partnerships & Governance & Leadership-Redevelopment and Extension
- QA 4: Staffing Arrangements Primary Caregiving Group Reflections and Performance Development including Growth Coaching

Families were invited to review our work in the National Quality Standards with 2 to 9 parents identifying strengths across all 7 Areas and 1 parent identifying supervision as an area for improvement.

Learning Together Everyday, Dale & Cara.

You may here your children singing songs that we learn together at here at BCCC.

As part of our Acknowledgement to the Kaurna people - The Traditional custodians of our land we sing the Ninna Marni welcome song in the morning.

Ninna marni welcome Welcome, welcome Ninna marni welcome Here today

We are on Kaurna Land Kaurna Land, Kaurna Land We are on Kaurna Land Here today



TUESDAY

MONDAY





4 March - 31 March 2019

If you're a kinder, playgroup or primary school, March is a great time to fundrialse with Tupperware. With a head of extra benefits on offer, it's win-win for your c supporters—and we make it easy!



Tupperware

Tupperware BCCC Fundraising Opportunity

You would have received your Tupperware brochures through your Family Pockets last week. Questions? Our local Tupperware lady:

Jenny Tiller

will be at BCCC 2:30pm to 3:30pm
Tues 26th March.

You can place your orders before that date or give them to Jenny on the day.

By purchasing Tupperware you will support BCCC in receiving products for

FRIDAY

THURSDAY

Vacation Care for children 6 weeks—12 years contact BCCC to make a booking!

WEDNESDAY

15 th April 2019	16th April 2019	17th April 2019	18 th April 2019	19th April 2019
WHEEL'S DAY Bring along your wheels to BCCC for the day. Make sure you have your helmet for when you are riding your bike or scooter around our track. Outcome:3. 4.1	MASTERCHEF and banana muffins (No packed lunch required) Cost: \$2 Outcome: 2, 4	EASTER CRAFT AND GAMES Join in today with some fun games and get crafty with some Easter decorations: Outcome: 2,5	Decorate yourself a Easter basket and join in the Egg hunt at BCCC. Outcome: 2	SORRY, WE'RE CLOSED
MONDAY 22 nd April 2019	TUESDAY 23rd April 2019	WEDNESDAY 24th April 2019	THURSDAY 25th April 2019	FRIDAY 26th April 2019
EASTER MONDAY Public Holiday SORRY, WE'RE CLOSED	Relax today as we watch some movies. Bring along your pillow or cushion to keep you comfy. G and PG movies only (please let educators know if you do not consent to your child viewing PG movies) Outcome:3.1	Come along and design, make and fly your very own kite. If you have one at home bring it along. Outcome: 4	ANZAC DAY Public Holiday SORRY, WE'RE CLOSED	The holidays have come to an end, so come along and join in for some party games and food to celebrate. Outcome: 1