



**NEWSLETTER No. 4**

**4<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

**End of Term 2!**

I can not believe how fast the last 6 months have gone and already we are half way through the year!! Today we farewell Alec Larking and Baxter Burns and their families. The boys are starting school at Saint David's Parish School in Semester 2. We wish them all the best and hope they can return to say hello at the Disco in Week 1, Term 4. The children will all bring their profile folders home today for the holidays, in their library bags if they have them (some are still at home I think). Please take care with them, keep them safe and return them to kindergarten next term so we can add to them. If you would like to add photos or comments to the folders we would welcome your input. The children love to share holiday memories with the staff and their friends and photographs help to prompt conversation.

**The Kindy garden**

Thanks to Bunnings and Yates, our Garden is growing beautifully and we are starting to use the produce in our cooking sessions with Laura. Last week the children picked lettuce and spinach for the cold rolls. If you would like to pick some spinach or lettuce to take home to use in your cooking, please feel free to take some. If you do go to Bunnings in the holidays, please tell the staff how fabulous Bunnings donations were!



We are registered with People's Choice Lottery and are selling tickets at kindergarten. The kindergarten receives all the proceeds from the sale of these tickets so please buy as many as you can. A big thank you to all the families who have already sold books. We still have some books left if you would like to take a book.

**Brooke is back**

Brooke Williams is returning from Maternity Leave next term. Brooke is the permanent teacher at Kathleen Mellor and has been away for 12 months. We welcome her back!

**Goodbye Holly**

Whilst we are saying hello to Brooke, we are saying Goodbye to Holly. Holly has been a wonderful asset to our staff team and will be returning to backfill Brooke for 3 weeks Brooke is taking the Director's role, whilst I am on Long Service Leave next term.

**Diary Dates**

Term 3 and 4 we move to 3 days per week. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. If you are not going to be accessing all 3 days, please speak to a staff member to let us know. Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July: The 'Bee-Man' is coming to speak to the children about bees and honey Thursday August 1<sup>st</sup>: Bush Kindy with Shanelle Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August: Zoom- A Patch Theatre performance at the Space Theatre- more details next term. Weeks 4 -7 Holly Back- Anne Long Service Leave Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September: Dancify with Issy- more details later. Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September: Bush Kindy with Shanelle Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September: Pupil Free Day! Staff Training