



NEWSLETTER

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What's Happening at Sheridan Meadows!!

Hello Everyone another month down and so much happening at our Centre!

- Family Fun Day Saturday 2nd of April 1—4pm—Bring your family and friends for a Free sausage sizzle and Activities for the children. If you are interested in having a stall or putting advertising for your business, please see Vicki. Your support of our Centre Events is GREATLY APPRECIATED!
 - Morning Teas are now provided with fresh fruit being cut up each morning.
 - Nappies for children in all rooms is supplied by Sheridan Meadows.
- Swimming Lessons are being offered with Vicki taking children to Southside Aquatics on Mondays and Thursdays. See Vicki or Elyse for details and bookings.
- Puppet Learn and Play—All Kindy and Preschool children will be involved once a month—covered by Sheridan Meadows. This months Theme is “Stay Safe”.
 - Kindergarten Program—we are currently in the process of organising a QUALIFIED KINDERGARTEN TEACHER for our Preschool Room, to run a KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM. A parent night will be held with the Kindergarten Teacher in April.
- Promoting your child's centre—we would like to ask for your support in Promoting Sheridan Meadows. We have some large Sheridan Meadows stickers at the front desk if you would like to put one on your car, even if only for a short time, we would really appreciate this! We also have some Flyers and Business cards if you would like to take some of these into your work place or if you have family or friends, who may be interested in enrolling their children?
- We would also like to thank our parents for your help. For the month of April we would like to reward families with a Spotter's Fee. If you have a friend or family member enrol at Sheridan Meadows, you will be rewarded with a voucher, after the child's second week of attendance.

Nursery News

Hi a very busy room with children moving into the Toddler room and new children starting. We welcome Bella and River into our family. Could we please have some family photos to put on our family tree, as with children moving up, it is looking a little bare.

The rain has been constant, so we have been doing a lot of creative activities inside.

Our room is looking great.

A reminder to clearly label all belongings.

We have had a few children celebrating their first birthday in March and April.

They are starting to develop gross motor and starting to walk.

A reminder our sausage sizzle on Saturday. We will have activities in the nursery room.

Please bring your family and friends for our Family Fun Day.

Bec has been away and we all wish her a speedy recovery.

See you on Saturday 1 to 4pm.

Cheers Shelly, Carolyn and Nell

Toddler Tid Bits...

April already and Easter is upon us. Easter is a time that is so enjoyable to the children. Lots of art all month making pressies for our families and the great old chocolate Easter egg hunt!! Yum! This will be occurring on the 21st of April.

On the 4th of April we have an international book day where we encourage parents to bring in a special

book and we'll get the kids to create their own books.

On the 11th of April is national sibling day . So bring along your sis or bro to meet our friends or you can bring a photo.

We are concentrating on our colours and we have noticed the kids beginning to get it right. As well as counting, we are counting everything and the kids are beginning to start counting to 3
Great job toddlers.

Love Rachael & Adele

Kindy Comments...

April already?! We are going to be starting our Easter Craft soon, ready for the Easter Bunny.

Over the last month the kindy children have been learning a lot of new songs.

You may have heard them singing "Where is Thumpkin?", "Little Peter Rabbit" and "Bee Bee Bumble Bee". They are doing really well and are very interested.

This month we have been doing a lot about animals and dinosaurs, you will be able to see a lot of art around the room that reflects on this.

Please remember your family input is always appreciated.

We will keep furthering our animal exploration, so watch as our room evolves.

Thanks Rachel, Debbie and Megan

Preschool Reporting In...

This April Preschool plans to focus on the children's hygiene including washing our hands after the toilet and before we eat.

This month we will be having more child interactive days like dressing up as your favourite hero.

Just a reminder to parents to fill in any input forms for us and to always check your child's pockets for any information.
Until next month.

Miss Elyse and Miss Alana

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