

Jacaranda Early Learning Centre
2-12 Springvale Circuit Underwood, 4119

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June 2009

Vacancies

If you are after any extra days please see the table below and come and see me to take advantage of the vacancies. We are fast filling with not many days left to fill. If you have any friends requiring care, please refer them to us and you could receive up to \$100 bonus.

Freddo Fundraiser

We have still got many outstanding boxes of chocolate. If you have got one please return the money ASAP. We are still waiting on these to finalise how well the fundraiser went.

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Centre Availability

We have days available in most of the rooms throughout the centre. If you would like to pick up an extra permanent day these days will be available as of the 1st June 2009.

| Room/ Days | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri |
|---------------------|-----|------|-----|-------|-----|
| Babies | | | | | |
| Toddler | | | | | |
| Junior Kindy | * | * | | | |
| Senior Kindy | * | * | * | * | * |
| Preschool | | | | | * |

* Indicates availability on that day

Please Note: These vacancies may change daily.

Staff Profile

Name: Miss Tammie

Room: Preschool

Position: Assistant

Qualifications:
Studying Cert 3

Philosophy, Broad Goals and Policy

Reviews

- ◆ Custody policy
- ◆ Uncollected children Policy
- ◆ Immunisation Policy
- ◆ Confidentiality Policy



REMINDERS TO PARENTS

HATS

The weather is still quite hot outside and we ask that you ensure that there is a hat in your child's bag every day they come to Jacaranda. At the centre we have a policy of '**NO HAT NO PLAY**'; this means that if your child doesn't have a hat then they will not be able to participate in outdoor activities.



DRINK BOTTLES

We ask that all parents bring in a drink bottle labelled with your child's name. These bottles are kept in your child's room on the self help table so that your child can have a drink throughout the day. The Toddler room brings their drink bottles outside of an afternoon as most of them are unable to reach the bubblers. At the end of your child's week please take these drink bottles home for washing.



SUITABLE CLOTHING

Please ensure that you child is wearing suitable clothing for childcare. Old clothes are better suited in case paints and messy activities get all over the clothing. Sometimes this spoils good clothes as it does not always come out in the wash.



Important events coming up:

June 2009

Thurs 4th – Barnyard Babies \$6.50 per child



Mon 8th – Queens B'day Public Holiday



Babies' Room News

Hello again from the Nursery,

Well hasn't the year flown by. We have had some new friends join us last month. A big welcome to Shanae and Caitlyn. We have also had to say bye to Rhianna who is moving up to the Toddlers room. She will do very well.

We would like to wish a big happy birthday to Paige. We hope you had a wonderful day. Haven't we been very busy this month we have been doing lots of paintings to make the room more colourful and vibrant, we have turned the bath room into the sea and the kitchen decorated with the alphabet. If you have any ideas on the room please make sure you let either Miss Missy or Miss Anita know.

We would love to congratulate Summer, Andrew and Mitchell.

Until next month
Keep smiling
Miss Missy and Miss Anita

Toddler Room News

Hello and welcome to our new friends,
What a fantastic month we had in May. The toddlers enjoyed working on their mothers day presents and we hope that you all had a lovely day. We also enjoyed interacting with all of friends with sharing our toys and helping them when they need it.

This month we will be working on the winter theme. We will be doing some interesting winter activity ideas with ice, learning the colour white and blue. We will also be extending our language skills with learning about what clothes we wear in winter, like jumpers, long pants, scarf and boots.

We celebrate birthdays this month:
Nicholas 21st, Beau 24th, Malek 28th. We wish them all a happy birthday.

A friendly reminder that the weather is getting cooler now, so can we ask that parents please provide warm clothing to put on the children when they are here late in the afternoons. Thanks.

See you all soon
Miss Julie and Miss Katie



Junior Kindy Room

Hello from Junior Kindy,
The children have been busy creating lots of interesting art pieces this month. We are also very interested in trains and cars at the moment and love making tracks and learning about transport. Over the next few weeks we will be learning room routines and focusing on using our words to communicate with our friends.

Toilet training is also a big focus as we learn self toileting and safe handwashing skills. If any parents have any tips or pointers please feel free to discuss them with Miss Rebekah or Miss Raelene.

Also if any parents have any interesting resources we can use in our art. Please don't hesitate to get rid of your junk as we will make it into something special.

As the weather cools please remember to pack warm clothes, socks and shoes as it is coming into cold and flu season.

Till next month

Miss Rebekah, Miss Anita and Miss Raelene

Senior Kindy Room

Hello everyone!

Firstly we apologise for the month of May and wish Kohen a very Happy 3rd Birthday. We know you enjoyed your party.

Welcome to our new friends in Snr Kindy Cailin, Peri, Mackenzie, Xavier and Rami. We hope you and your families enjoy being part of Snr Kindy.

Happy Birthday to our friends celebrating their birthday this month, Caleb, Annabelle, Mikayla and Hayley. We all hope you enjoy your special day.

We hope you all have enjoyed our Garden Theme Wall. The children and staff really had a heap of fun learning about the garden and all the things we can find.

For the month of June we are going to work on the Theme of Transport, so be on the look out for our Transport Display. This month we will also be spending time discussing our manners of please and thank you and looking at what we do when we go to the bathroom (flushing the toilet and washing hands), as well as the Room Rules with what can happen if we do the wrong thing. These discussions will happen on a daily basis.

We are also looking at the different Cultures in our Room and will incorporate "Hello" or "Good Morning" in other languages during Roll Marking in the morning, please feel free to come and see the staff and assist us with your Cultures greeting.

A reminder of things to pack for Kindy, a drink bottle, hat, sheets and changes of clothes. As it is getting cooler, please ensure that your child has warmer clothing plus socks and shoes to keep their little feet warm.

Take Care

Miss Tracy, Miss Alana, and Miss Tanya

Preschool

A big hello to everyone,

WOW can you believe it the year is passing by so quickly June is almost here. It will be Christmas before we know it. Firstly a big happy Bay to Anand and Holly who will both turn 4 is month. We hope you have a fantastic birthday. We would also like to welcome Alexis from SNR Kindy she will be joining us on Fridays.

We have a lot of exciting events happening this month, Barnyard babies will be visiting us on Thursday the 4th June, so don't forget to bring \$ 6.50 for you admission. The children will get to see a variety of animals for them to feed and cuddle, it should be lots of fun so please feel free to come along and join in...Please don't forget that Monday the 8th June is the Queens Birthday in which the centre will be closed.

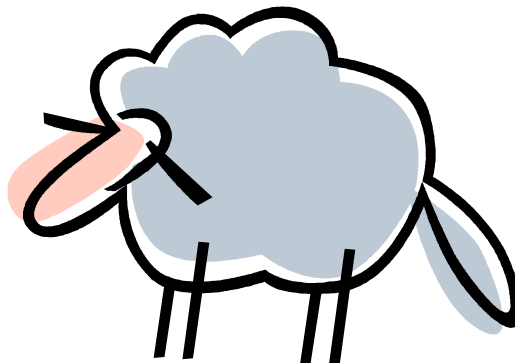
We have been very busy this month working on learning the days of the week and the months of the year and the seasons in our morning discussions, Please continue this at home by asking your child question.eg "what day is it today" what day was it yesterday" "what is the weather like outside today"

This month we will be discussing all the different transport that you can use to travel, we will also be speaking about mixing colours and doing a lot of art and craft using colours.....starting on Tuesday the 9th June we will have a work book on the table for the children to sign into in the morning it will have their name in it and they will need to right there name next to the name that is printed, please assist your child in writing there name..

As the cold wether has arrived please ensure that you are packing a jumper with your child's name on it.

Take care

Tammie and Becka



From Mandy's Kitchen:

Vegetable Platter

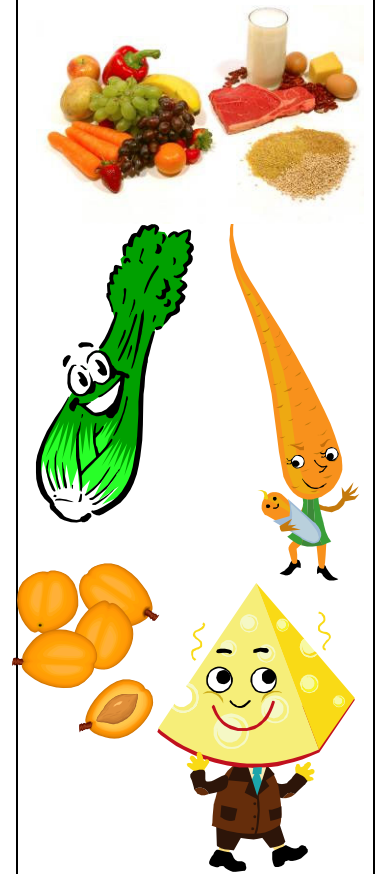
Ingredients:

- Grapes
- Shaved Ham
- Crackers
- Dried Apricots
- Dried Apples
- Celery
- Carrot
- Cubed cheese



Method:

1. Cut all vegetables
2. Arrange nicely on platter
3. If desired add dip
4. Serve and enjoy ☺



RESOURCES

Please take time to look around the Centre foyer as we have a large range of resources available for you to look at.



- Direct Debit forms
- Calendar of events
- Centre Policies
- Extra Curricular Activities
- Fact sheets
- Brochures
- Copies of the current newsletter
- Parent Handbooks
- Recipes
- Centre Menu
- Staffing Information
- Centre Information

