



NEWSLETTER No. 3

14th March 2017

Sports Day

Last day of term 1- Thursday the 13th of April.

The kindergarten combines with Tea Tree Gully Primary School for their Sports Day each year. We don't do all the activities that the school children do as it is too much for the kindergarten children to do a full day. We participate in the age races/sprints, then watch the older children do their age races and then go back to kindy for snack. After snack we have tabloid events which are basically fun events that the children participate in alongside the school children. I have organized for 'Little Athletics' to come and set up some activities for us on the day.

A program for the day and map of the oval/events will be sent home soon.

The kindy day will finish after lunch at 1.00pm. There will be an opportunity for parents to purchase a sausage sizzle lunch for the children at kindy which the school is organizing.

We have offered to do a trading table at kindy as a small fundraiser and are asking parents to donate items on the day for the trading table. Small cakes, muffins etc. would be a good option as children may want to have something special as a treat after lunch.

A separate note asking for orders for lunch and for volunteers to help on the trading table or Barbecue will be sent home soon.

Sandshoes

Please send your child in suitable shoes to practice running every day from now on as we will be doing practice on the oval in preparation for Sports Day.

Bugs and Slugs

Please see information on the back of this newsletter about this incursion.

Fundraising

Please support the kindergarten fundraising efforts. All funds raised will go towards improving our nature play area.

The People's Choice Lottery tickets are available online for early bird orders:

www.peopleschoicecu.com.au/kathleen-mellor-kindergarten

The Entertainment books and App. are also available online for early bird orders:

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/160h318>

Volunteering at kindergarten

If you would like to help out at kindergarten we would love to see you!

Just remember to sign in the visitor's book when you arrive and sign out when you leave.

Governing Council Meeting

Our first General meeting for Governing Council is on next Tuesday the 21st of March at 7.00pm at kindergarten.

Please write your intention to attend on the sheet next to the sign in sign out sheet.

The agenda is on the table also and if you have anything you wish to put on the agenda please write it on there. We will be doing some goal setting for the year so in preparation for the meeting please have a think about the goals you would like to see us have this year.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 21st March:
Governing Council Meeting

Tuesday 28th March:
'Bugs and slugs' incursion

Thursday 13th April:
Sports Day- Early Dismissal@1.00pm

School Term Dates 2017
Term 1: 30th Jan -13th April
Term 2: 1st May -7th July
Term 3: 24th July -29th Sept.
Term 4: 16th Oct -15th Dec.