

OSHC Weekly Newsletter

Term 1: 23rd February 2017: Number 5

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES	
<p style="text-align: center;">OSHC Service: 93872631/0409380202; swamy.ranita.r@edumail.vic.gov.au</p>	
OSHC Email	All OSHC email communication must be addressed to: swamy.ranita.r@edumail.vic.gov.au
New Staff For OSHC	We welcome Paul Eves who has come to work with us; he has lots of experience working in OSHC, his arts practice with Youth and hails from sunny QLD.
Increased numbers and space	We have successfully increased our numbers from 94 to 106 children maximum per day. We have also added to our spaces the use of the Terra Verde Library (Portable downstairs).
Letting OSHC know your child will not be attending for the day	If your child will not be attending the OSHC service for the day – for whatever reason; you are picking them up early, have an appointment, sickness, holidays, they are attending a class event (expo/ 3-way conference/camp) etc. You must inform the OSHC directly via phone or email prior to the absence occurring – if you leave a message with the school you must let them know to contact OSHC. If a child does not show up to the program and we have not been informed and cannot contact the family – we will then have a 'missing child' and will follow our missing children policy – which will involve calling the police to report a missing child.
Places in OSHC for Term 1	<p>The following programs have a couple of Permanent places available; Aftercare: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday Beforecare: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday</p> <p>Casual places come up each week. Let us know if you need a casual spot or if you wish to cancel; email; text; write in booking diary.</p> <p>Beforecare: Ring Phyllis/OSHC phone in the morning from 7.30am to see if there is any availability. Please let us know in advance if you wish to book your children into beforecare casually, so we can staff accordingly.</p>
ChildCare Benefit & Child Care Rebate	Please check the last page of the invoice, as there are a number of families who have given me incorrect or incomplete CCB details. Therefore, you may not be receiving your correct entitlement. Please check your details and see Rena if you have any queries, or ring DHS: 136150
OSHC Committee Meeting	Next OSHC Committee meeting in the OSHC room: Thursday 2 nd March 2017, 6.00pm. Parent Representative for OSHC; Jo Prior; Contact by e-mail; jomatt38@gmail.com
Contact Details for OSHC	OSHC/Coordinator email; swamy.ranita.r@edumail.vic.gov.au Ph; 0409380202 Ph; 03 93872631 (OSHC room & office) Beforecare bookings; 0422209671 (Phyllis mobile) Rena will respond to all OSHC Communication between 10.30am-6.00pm Mon-Fri during school Terms only. Emergency Beforecare requests will be taken by Phyllis from 7.30-9.00am Mon-Fri, school terms only.

Weekly Aftercare & Beforecare Program Plan

Framework for School Age Care: Focus Outcomes;

1. 'Children have a strong sense of identity'
2. 'Children are connected with and contribute to their world'
3. 'Children have a Strong Sense of Wellbeing'
4. 'Children are confident and involved learners'
5. 'Children are effective communicators'

AFTERCARE

Day	Date	Activity
Mon	27 th February	Glenda: Skipping/Adventure Playground/Master Chef Rusty: Tennis Indiana: Table Tennis Hayfa: Origami Shopping Bags Paul: Outdoor Art Activity Olivia: Foam Ball People Harri: Drawing with Pitt pencils on Black Paper
Tues	28 th February	Harri: Weaving Circles Rusty: handball Phyllis: Science Club; Fizzy Dinosaur Eggs Paul: Art in the Art room Olivia: Peacocks and their Nests
Wed	1 st March	Glenda: Adventure playground/Master Chef Rusty: Ball Tiggly Harri: Painting Pet Rocks Justine: Cloud Mobiles Paul: Soccer Olivia: Quiet Activities in the Library Rowena: Outside Games
Thurs	2 nd March	Harri: Modelling Foam Figures Hayfa: Outside Games; Master Chef & Skipping Glenda: Cooking Club: Rice Bubble Squares Meg: Gymnastic Performances Rusty: Lacrosse Justine: Dress-up & Performance Rowena: Bush Kinder Sessions
Fri	3 rd March	Glenda: Adventure/Masterchef/Outside Games Rusty: Handball Phyllis: Wheels (Protective Gear must be worn) Paul: Uncle Sam

BEFORECARE

Day	Date	Activity
Mon	27 th February	Phyllis: Construction Rus: Hall Games Indi: Board Games
Tues	28 th February	Phyllis: Parachute Games Olivia: Bendominoes Indi/Rus: Hall Games
Wed	1 st March	Phyllis: Parachute Games Olivia: origami
Thurs	2 nd March	Phyllis: Lego/Bionicles Olivia: Drawing Comp
Fri	3 rd March	Phyllis: Car Tracks/jigsaw puzzles Paul: Games/Craft/Hall Games