BEPS OSHC WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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SUN SMART Terms 1 & 4

OSHC must where a hat at all times when outside

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BEPS OSHC would like to Acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the Land on which we are on, the Wurunndjeri People and pay Our respects to the Elders Past, Present and Emerging

What's been happening this week at OSHC..

Hi OSHC FAMILIES,

WE HOPE YOU ALL A VERY SAFE AND HAPPY BREAK & LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU ALL IN 2022—WISHING YOU ALL A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

OSHC TEAM

IMPORTANT OSHC ADMIN THIS WEEK

⇒ **All accounts need to be paid in full by the end of term 4, 2021. Accounts should be in credit by $100 for the start of term 1, 2022.**

⇒ **OSHC will not respond to emails from 20/12/21—23/01/22**

⇒ **OSHC STARTS Term 1, 2022; 31 January 2022 >**

⇒ **2022 OSHC Enrolments for families are all complete** - All OSHC Enrolments should now be final and in place for 2022. If you need to make changes to bookings please send me an email in the week prior to school starting.

⇒ **OSHC COVID UPDATE for Term 1, 2022; TBC**

⇒ **OSHC Policy Review:** We will be updating our OSHC Policies and would welcome any feedback from families. Please contact me if you are interested in looking at some of our polices—we know many of you have a lot of expertise in specific areas.

Farewell Jake

Jake Rowley will be leaving us to take a job as a primary teacher!!!
We wish him all the best!!
We will miss him!!!

All the Best Phyllis

Phyllis will be taking personal leave for term 1, we wish her all the very best!!

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OSHC ABSENCES

- **Absences**: Contact the OSHC Service if your child will be absent from OSHC; message/text, email
- Children are to be picked up by authorized contacts only.
- **Before care**: If you wish to have an emergency spot, please ring the direct OSHC number ; 93872631 or Phyllis mob; 0422209671

OSHC Sub-Committee of Management

Next meeting: 2022 TBC 6.00pm
OSHC ROOM
ALL WELCOME

Medical Documentation

Have you updated medical details including allergies, food intolerances & medical conditions in your My Family Lounge account, and provided OSHC with updated correct documentation; medical plans, risk minimization and medicine?

Family Feedback

We welcome your feedback .
Your ideas, thoughts and suggestions are important to us and help us to create a quality service for you and your children.
Please let us know. Email, phone, chat..
We also are always on the look out for re-cycled materials and ideas for cooking, activities & experiences.

The Child Care Subsidy System (CCS) & Government Compliance

Have you confirmed your booking pattern in your MyGov account?

- **You must do this every time you make any changes to your circumstances or booking patterns. CCS will automatically 'cease' if you have not use the program for 14 weeks**
- Check your subsidy regularly to make sure you are receiving the correct subsidy and hours you are entitled too.

My Family Lounge

- **Web;** Use the online My Family Lounge web application to enrol, re-enrol, or request changes to your permanent days. http://beps.vic.edu.au/oshc
- **App**: Download the My Family Lounge App on your mobile phone to check for casual vacancies, make casual bookings and cancellations; www.myfamilylounge.com.au

OSHC Invoices

All OSHC payments are made via the Qkr! Mastercard App downloaded from Google play/App store.

OSHC Invoices are sent out fortnightly and are expected to be paid on a regular fortnightly basis.

Signing your child in and out of OSHC

We use a digital sign in system; *Qikkids Kiosk*, you will need to enter you mobile phone number and then set-up a 4 digit PIN number which you will use for all your OSHC signing in and out. Your Authorised contacts also use this system —they can set-up their own PIN but need to be authorised by you on your MyFamily lounge account.

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Weekly Aftercare & Beforecare Program Plan: Term 1, Week:1

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'

Mon 31st January

ASC
Cricket, Colourfuls, painting, Handball,

BSC

Children's Choice of activities

Tuesday 1st February

ASC
Cricket, Handball Colourfuls, Lego and construction, Papercraft, BUSH OSHC

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Children's Choice of activities

Wed 2nd February

ASC
Puppets, Colourfuls, cricket, handball, chalk drawing, skipping

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Children's Choice of activities

Thurs 3rd Februay

ASC
Cricket, Colourfuls, Tennis, Dress-ups & Fashion parade,

BSC

Children's Choice of activities

Fri 4th February

ASC

Cooking, Colourfuls, handball, watercolour painting

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Children's Choice of activities

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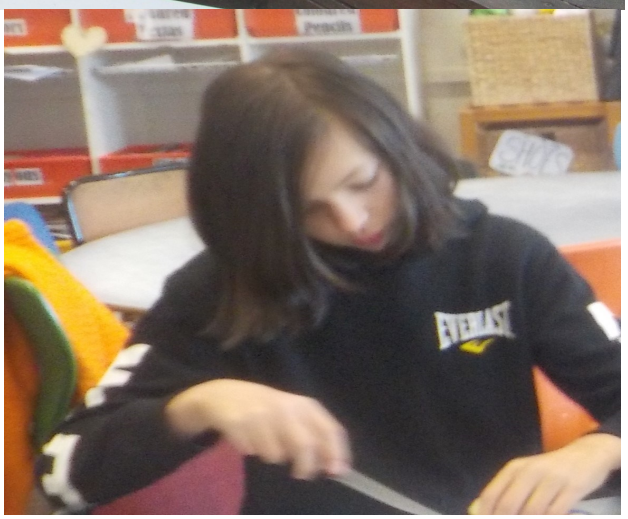
What Have the Children Been doing at OSHC this Week:

Farewell Grade 6's We wish you all the best for your journey ahead!!



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Question for Parents and Carers

Did you know that there is a suggestion box in the sign out area that you can put your feedback in. We would really like to know what you think about OSHC—positive and negative feedback appreciated.

WHAT DO YOU THINK? PLEASE LET US KNOW YOUR FEEDBACK & THOUGHTS……

We are also looking for parent/carer volunteers to spend a little time at OSHC;

Do you like to sew?
Cook?
Build?
Design?

Have a special skill/activity that you could share with the OSHC Educators and children?

Please come and chat with us

We are also looking for donations of;

Wool
Paper
Re-cycling boxes
Cloth Material
Small wood offcuts
Old lego, bionicles, toys, games, etc
Ice cream containers
Magazines/newspapers

Anything that we can make things out of and re-cycle..

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