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Tewantin SS OSHC Newsletter

## August

What an incredibly exciting month at Tewantin OSHC! The arrival of Henny Penny has captivated the hearts and interest of all the children, who have absolutely LOVED watching the chickens hatch, evolve and grow. By Next week these little feathered friends will be ready to go to their forever homes.

The children also enjoyed getting their hands dirty and exploring new ways of immersing themselves in the natural environment around them. As part of an ongoing Sustainability Project, children are invited to develop their skills and interest in sustainable ways of living - through Gardening, Building and Crafting with organic material.

We did a Nature Scavenger Hunt and transformed our treasures into a Nature Mandala. The children enjoyed exploring the garden for unique pieces of nature that stood out to them, they brought these treasures together to build creative and beautiful Mandalas. While creating the mandalas, the children enjoyed expressing their individuality and discussing why each treasure was uniquely special to them!

The children are very eager to get their veggie garden up and running again! We've been planting seeds, building green houses, and clearing the weeds in preparation for Spring!



We cater to a high-quality programmed activity that we pride ourselves on, with different activities for the children to challenge and engage within a safe and nurtured environment with trusted educators.

Keep an eye out on more fun filled activities or if you notice at home your children engaging in an interest we can extend on or continue here at OSHC we are more than happy for your input and thrive on your parental feedback. Do not hesitate to approach a friendly educator to share your thoughts or add it into our parent input box located next to the sign in Ipad.

### Vacation Care

20<sup>th</sup> September - 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021

Booking forms are out now! Please return by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September, by 6pm. First received will be prioritized.

Please note that bookings CANNOT be guaranteed after this time!

For all incursions please be at the service no later than 8.15am!

General reminder to please send your children in SunSmart clothing (sleeved shirts, knee length pants) closed in shoes, broad brimmed hats and please make sure they are arriving with sunscreen applied.





# Friendly Reminders

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Please remember to contact the school office on 5335 8888 and get them to let your child know if they need to attend Afterschool care if you need a casual booking.

Also, please contact us if you collect your child early or they are absent and won't be attending their booked session.

The school does not contact us. You can call, text or email to inform us.

Failure to do so will result in a Non-Cancellation Call Fee of \$20.

#### Please Note:

We are unable to take phone calls during pick up times (2:45 -3:05). If it is not an urgent matter, we ask that you contact us either before or after these times or send us a text or email.

#### Late Collection

Late collection of child/ren will result in a late fee of \$40 per family per 15 minutes or part thereof. This is additional to your normal attendance fees.

Change of regular booking.

If you require a change to a regular booking you are required to give 24 hours' notice to avoid still being charged.

During Vacation Care we require 5 working day notice to avoid being charged.

<u>Hats</u>

Children are required to bring their hats to every session they attend.

If your child is missing their hat it may also be in our lost property, we do encourage children to check this regularly.

## Staff News

Unfortunately, we had to say farewell to Miss Lorraine.

We would like to thank Lorraine for all her hard work, dedication, and passion towards the children and OSHC. She is a valued team member and will be greatly missed by all. We wish you all the very best on your new adventure ?

New Coordinator: Nicola Brown.

If you haven't seen, we would like to congratulate Nicola on officially stepping up and taking on the role of Coordinator.

## Staff in the Spotlight

Karen Berger – Educator

Qualifications: Cert 3 in Early Childhood Education and Care, First Aid and CPR, Emergency Anaphylaxis and Asthma.

Holds a Positive Blue Card

Favourite Food: Thai

Favourite Place: Noosa

Favourite Animal: Dolphin.

Interests/Hobbies: Swimming



Natasha Birch-Johnson - Casual Educator

Qualifications: Certificate 4 in Education Support, First Aid including CPR, Emergency Management in Anaphylaxis and Asthma

Holds a positive blue card

Favourite Food: Fruit Salad

- Favourite Place: My Nana's house
- Favourite Animal: Polar bear and frog

Interests /Hobbies: Netball, Reading



# August Birthdays

Happy Birthday to you:

August

- Edward R
- Henri A
- Katara I
- Naivya B
- Brodie A
- Avalon B
- Kane M
- Luca T
- Indy M
- Esta V
- Bobby W
- Leonard J
- Cassius M
- Henry K
- Ellie J
- Theadora S
- Sam F
- Indi-Summer D
- Angus S
- Zane H
- Dyanjot K
- James L
- Stassi I
- Ollie C

# September Birthdays

Happy Birthday to you:

September

- Merata W
- Ivy M
- Finn T
- Charli G
- Archie R
- Isla G
- Sophie C
- Jacob B
- Zai A
- Daniel G

- Summer B
- Wynter L
- Elsie Fay E
- Ivy C
- Harry S
- Jack D
- Leni M
- Angee NAnnabelle G
- Milly B
- Mia B
- Astrid H

# Contact Us

#### Company Name

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Tewantin State School P&C OSHC

### Operating Hours:

During School Term

Monday – Friday

6:30am – 8:50am

2:45pm - 6:00pm

During Vacation Care

Monday – Friday

Excluding public holidays

6:30am – 6:00pm

Please Note: Please make sure your children have their hats and remind them to use the sunscreen we have provided as we have now implemented the \$3 laundry fee for spare hats. A reminder to make sure you check our LOST PROPERTY box located next to the front door.