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Safety is always our top priority.

I wanted to touch on the issue that has unfortunately arisen with Childcare settings about Safety and, more importantly the safety and wellbeing of the children in our care. The news that broke out about the horrific incidents that occurred in centre's in Victoria has definitely affected us all. From all the Educators perspectives we were all in shock that something like that could even occur in a childcare setting, we were deeply disturbed. After chatting with many of our families, I have been deeply moved by the support, positive feedback and encouragement we have received during this time. We all love coming to work because we love what we do, when these sorts of things come out it really does rattle us all. But know that we have the support of our families, it truly means the world to us. I would like to take this opportunity for your ongoing trust and support.

In line with new information and even new regulations coming in to effect, we have been revising our centre policies - plus creating new ones. I have also been watching many webinars on the topic to better equip and support our children, families and educators in moving forward. These sort of incidents do allow us an opportunity to talk to our children about consent and body boundaries, so we have been focusing on that and will continue to do so.

Upcoming Events

Friday 1st August -
Jeans for Genes Day

Monday 4th August
- National Aboriginal
and Torres Strait
Islander Children's
Day

Friday 8th August -
Red Nose Day

11th - 15th August-
Science Week

18th - 22nd August -
Science Week

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Here's what has happened in the last month and what's to come!

Our first Family Social Night

We are so excited to announce that we will be hosting our first (hopefully to be annual) Family Social Night. It will be held on Friday 12th September from 6pm-7:30pm. We invite all parents to attend this event, but do ask that you keep your children at home as it is a night just for the adults. There will be a small talk with a special guest speaker, raffle with amazing prizes, yummy nibbles and some wine/beer/soft drink. We hope you can make it. Feel free to bring along a friend who may be interested in joining the centre. **RSVP IS A MUST TO THIS EVENT!**

Reminders

As we are now in the new financial year, please ensure all your details are up-to-date with Centrelink. We have already had a few families temporarily lose their CCS due to missed tax lodgments and not updating their details.

The new Financial Year also means that your "Holiday half rate" fees have rolled into the new year. So your two week's has now renewed. Please don't forget we need two week's written notice for Holiday Rates to apply.

Yours in Education and Care,

Melissa Davie

Upcoming Events

Friday 22nd August-
Daffodil Day

Wednesday 3rd September - Early
Childhood
Educators Day

Friday 5th September -
Father's Day
Afternoon Tea (2pm
- 4pm)

8th - 19th September
- Chicken Hatching

Friday 12th September - Family
Social Evening