



grenfell preschool & long day care centre

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Community Health Centre News

Hello, my name is Anna Dyer and I have recently started working as the Child and Family Health Nurse at Grenfell Community Health Centre. I will be working two days a week. At this stage I am working on Wednesdays and Fridays. Immunisation Clinic will now be on the second Wednesday each month between 1pm & 4pm with two nurse immunisers.

Phone Grenfell Community Health Centre on 63491777 for appointments

Rainbow Room

Kim and Nicole have noticed that at times there isn't enough food in the children's lunch boxes to last them through the day. It is better to have too much packed than not enough.

Parent Interviews

Staff will be available to discuss your child's progress from Monday 24th June to Friday 28th. If you would like to have an interview please place your name on the list that is in the sign in/out books for each room. **I urge all families to take advantage of this opportunity to speak to the people who care for your child while at the centre.**

If you can't make it this week and you would like to meet with your child's educator please see the staff and they will arrange a meeting at a time that suits

Head Lice

Head lice are about so please check your children's hair. Even if you shampoo your child's hair with a head lice shampoo you will still need to check the hair for eggs and comb the hair with a fine tooth comb to ensure that none remain. Check hair regularly and repeat treatment if necessary.

Raising Children Network

The complete Australian resource for parenting newborns to teens
raisingchildren.net.au



Committee Corner

Outdoor Play equipment

The outdoor play equipment has been painted over the weekend making it look like new once again.

The Grenfell CWA Evening Branch

INVITES YOU

To an Evening of Moroccan food, fun and fellowship at
Fettlers' Restaurant – Railway Hotel

Thursday June 27 at 6.30pm

Enjoy dishes from Morocco prepared by Carol Logan

Guest speaker Margaret Roper

COST \$25 pp.

RSVP June 24

Deidre Carroll 63431574



Thank you to all the families that attended and supported not only the centre but the Henry Lawson Festival. It was a lovely day and the children were wonderful to walk such a long way.





The Woolworths Earn & Learn Points promotion finished on the 9th June 2013. Thank you for all for the Earn and Learn stickers brought in to the centre. There was \$37,200 worth of points collected which entitles us to receive free resources later in the year.



Bus Zone

I remind all parents not to park in the bus zone at the front of the centre during the restricted hours or to leave children in the car while dropping off or picking up.

Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a project for Samaritan's purse which is a non-profit Christian organisation providing emergency relief and development assistance to suffering people around the world. Samaritan's Purse is meeting the physical needs of victims of war, famine, natural disaster, poverty and disease

Through the power of a small simple gift, you open a whole new life for children caught in the midst of war, famine, natural disaster and extreme poverty. What you do is

- Find a shoe box cover it with colourful paper
- Determine if the gift is for a boy or a girl.
- Fill it with simple gifts

You could leave a donation for the postage of the box. They say each box is \$9 to post.

You might even prefer to add something to the boxes at the centre.

Boxes are due back in October.

School Information Evening

Thank you to the Star Room families and staff from both Grenfell primary schools that attended the School Information Evening on Monday night. The event was well attended and provided families with a great opportunity to meet with teachers from the schools.

Pictureproducts Fundraising Project

Turn your child's treasured memories into durable, high-quality melamine products that will last a lifetime!

This week flyers and order forms for Pictureproducts will be going out to all families. Please have completed order forms returned to the centre by the 26th of July.



Welcome to everyone attending our mobile service.

Photos for the Quandialla venue will be on Monday 22nd July by Cliff Dykes School Photography.



The climbing frames were a great investment for the mobile preschool service. Oscar says that they are good practice for a ninja, which he enjoys pretending to be.

Contact numbers

Mobile Service: **0488 045 584**

Grenfell Pre School and Long Day Care Centre:

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Dress Rehearsal

Mr McMahon from the Grenfell Primary School brought his class for a visit to rehearse their play for the Henry Lawson Festival Play Day. They did a wonderful job singing, dancing and acting out the Japanese mythical story. "A Piece of Straw".



Star Room

Laraine and Kylie have asked that that you send a library bag or pillow slip in with your children so they can borrow books from the centres collection.

Hats

It is very important that sun safe hats be worn all year. Please ensure a hat is packed for your child every day.