



grenfell preschool & long day care centre



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newsletter

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We hope that all our mothers enjoyed their Mother's Day last Sunday. The ladies night out at Circling was very successful. The response was so positive that it will definitely be held again later on this year. Laraine, Tracey, and Sharon had a wonderful time caring for the children. They watched a movie, played games and enjoyed the game of UNO. No doubt the children were tired the next day after their late night but they were so good. Thank you for allowing us to care for them and a special thanks to the committee, especially Lorene for organising the evening.



VISIT FROM MPS RESIDENTS

The residents from the Multi Purpose Service were unable to attend last Friday, however we hope that they will be able to visit again soon.

Up and Coming Events

The Sydney Puppet Theatre



The Sydney Puppet Theatre are bringing a puppet show to the Grenfell Preschool and Long Day Care Centre. The show will be on Wednesday 23rd May 2017 at 10:00am. Cost is \$8:00 per child.

The Gigalees



The Gigalees are coming to the centre on Friday 26th May 2017 at 10am.

THE SHOW IS BEING SPONSERED BY ALICIA HENDY and will be free for the children.

If your child does not attend that day you are welcome to attend. Please phone 0263431743 or leave your name at the office so we know how many will be attending.

The Biggest Morning Tea

Australia's **Biggest Morning Tea**
Every cup counts in the fight against cancer

Grenfell Preschool and Long Day Care Centre
Invite you and your family to come along to our

Biggest Morning Tea

On Thursday 25th May 2017
At the Preschool from 10AM

'BRING a plate of your Favorite MORNING tea to SHARE and We Will Supply the Tea'

JUST A REMINDER WE ARE A NOT FOR PROFIT CENTRE
We would love to see contributions, Toys, Animals, PPE, Activities and lunches as well as marks and dolls.





Committee Corner

Thank you to all those who supported the street stall. We made over \$1300 for resources for the children.



Wyangala Waters Holiday and Recreation Park

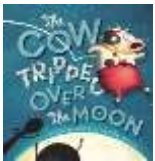
Don't forget to return your tickets for the Father Day Raffle. The 1st prize is accommodation at Wyangala Waters Holiday and Recreation Park for 2 nights' in a cottage to the value of \$322.00 and 2nd prize of a \$50 meat voucher at the Grenfell Meat Barn. The raffle will be drawn on the Long Weekend in June.



Footy for Fun

Last year the children in the Garden and Star Room's attended a footy for fun day at Lawson Park conducted by the Cowra Neighbourhood Centre. It was so much fun that they are coming again on Thursday June 1st at 11am to the centre to run a short fun footy session.

National Simultaneous Storytime



National Simultaneous Storytime is an annual campaign that aims to encourage more young Australians to read and enjoy books. Due to having so much on this week we will be

holding it on the Wednesday 7th June at 10:30. The Star Room children have been invited to join in with St Joseph's School where the book called *The Cow Tripped Over the Moon* will be read to the children.

Bikes at Preschool

Some of our older children have been bringing their bikes to preschool. It has been decided that our play area outside is too small to cater for extra bikes from home safely. Please continue to allow the children to ride their bikes to and from preschool. Bikes can be left here during the day but not used.



Henry Lawson Festival

The Henry Lawson Festival is an annual event held in Grenfell, on the June long weekend. Grenfell is the birthplace of Henry Lawson, one of Australia's best loved poets and writer of short stories. The Festival is one of the longest running arts events in NSW. The theme for the 2017 festival is Happy Birthday. The centre supports the festival by entering a float for the parade on Saturday 10th June. We hope as many families and children as possible can support the centre and participate.

Workplace Students

We have Jody Bryant from CSU doing work placement in the Star Room and Emma Crozier doing her Diploma in Children's Services with the birth to 3 year olds. Please introduced yourself to them if you haven't already.

Star Room

The children are off on an excursion on Thursday to the Star Diner. For the children that are going could you see that no hot food is sent as it cannot be heated for the planned picnic lunch at the old Railway Station?

Garden Room

The Garden Room are after tins, small and medium and large ones please.

Dates to Remember

Puppet Making for after school care children

Tuesday 23rd May 2017 3.30-5:30@ library

Sydney Puppet Theatre

24th May at 10:00am @centre

Biggest Morning Tea

Thursday 25th May 2017

Gigalees Show

Friday 26th May at 10:00 am @ centre

National Simultaneous Storytime Excursion

Wednesday 7th June 2017

The Henry Lawson Festival

10th June 2017

Steps eye screening

Tuesday 12th September

Young Eyes

Tuesday 17th October 2017

School Dental Clinic

Grenfell Community Health Service

For appointments please call 1300 55 26 26

The centre will close for 2017 on Friday 22nd December @6pm.



Weddin Mobile
Preschool
Service

Quandialla runs Mondays and Wednesdays,
Caragabal runs Tuesdays and Fridays.
Session times: 9:15 am- 3:15pm

Contact numbers: Mobile Service: **0488 045 584**
Grenfell Pre-School and LDC: **63431743.**

Quandialla Venue

Biggest Morning Tea Monday 22nd May at 11:30 am. Photo Day 24th May.

Caragabal Venue

Biggest Morning Tea Tuesday 23rd May.

Excursion to the Gigalees Friday 26th May.

Steps Eye Screening: Tuesday 12th September.

If you have any concerns, please contact the Director Sharon Grant at the Grenfell Preschool and Long Day Care Centre on 0263431743

Tracey and Kim are always there to help in any way they can.