



grenfell preschool & long day care centre



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Annual General Meeting

If you are interested in being part of our Committee, please come along to the AGM Monday 18th September 2017 at 7:00pm. Everyone is welcome! Nominations and elections take place at the AGM. **Written nominations will be accepted prior to the AGM.**

We invite all parents to come along to the AGM and to become more involved in the running of the centre.

Fancy Dress Disco



We will be having a disco the night of the AGM starting at 7pm and entry will be \$5 per family. The children will be given an ice cream and drink. As it is a fancy dress Disco the children will love to dress up and have fun so come along to the AGM and let the children enjoy the Disco while you attend the meeting.

The Chefs Tool Box Fundraiser

Thankyou Melissa Martens for doing a fundraiser for the centre. At present, we will receive around \$700 worth of prizes that we can raffle and also money toward resources

The raffle that Melissa has donated for the Macey Yerbury fundraiser will be drawn at the AGM on the 18th September 2017. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. In the meantime, if you can help please do so by donating to the Macey Yerbury Fundraising account.

Account Name: Macey Yerbury Fundraising
Account BSB: 802-367 A/c No: 100005693

Sick children and the centre

Sometimes, children and adults need to be away from the centre for the safety of others. This is called exclusion. Excluding sick children is one way of minimising the spread of infection at the centre. If a child has commenced a course of 'antibiotics' they must be kept at home for at least 24 hours to allow the medication time to take effect.

If a child is sent home from the centre unwell, they must not return until fully recovered or are no longer infectious to other children and staff.

Parent's responsibility if their child is sick:

Parents are to notify staff, as soon as possible, of any infectious diseases contracted by their child. If you suspect your child of having an infectious condition or has the early symptoms of an infectious condition, your child should be kept at home until the symptoms have cleared or been checked by your GP. This will provide protection for your child, and protect other children and staff at the centre from unnecessary exposure to a contagious condition.

A Medical Certificate may be necessary for re-admission to the centre, in certain circumstances. Fees are required to be paid when your child is absent due to illness

Staff news



Congratulation to Nicole Reid who had a baby girl named Cali Joy .



And

Congratulations to Rachel Smith who had a baby boy named Jay
They are all doing well and we are looking forward to meeting them

Lisa Jones is on leave and Lorraine Harveryson will be taking her place until her return. If you have any concerns please see Sharon and she will only be too pleased to help you.

Macey's
Spring Ball

"Fashions on the Field" on the night

Saturday, 23rd September 2017

Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall
Second Street, Quandialla

Entertainment by: Nuthin' 2 Serious
Doors open: 8.30 pm / Dress Code: Semi-Formal

Tickets:
\$5000: for a table
\$5000: at the door on the night
\$2000: 12 years and under

BYO - Drinks & Nibbles

Tickets available at:
The Tin Cupboard

Auctions & Raffles on the night

Fashions on the Field prices

Sponsored by the Quandialla Progress Association & The Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall.
(This is a fundraising initiative for "Young Tradies")

For further information on "Macey's Ball" please contact: Ruth Pridell - 089888980

THERE IS ALSO A RAFFLE AND THEY HAVE LOTS OF PRIZES TO BE WON. Tickets are \$2 each and can be brought at the Grenfell Preschool and Long Day Care Centre

Drawn: Saturday, 23rd September 2017 at the Macey Spring Ball

Quandialla Soldiers Memorial Hall Second Street, Quandialla

The Prize Pool to date

- 500 Harvey Norman Gift Card
- \$340 Swag
- \$200 Bunnings Gift Card
- Smart TV
- \$100 Target Gift Card
- Framed Photography Print
- \$50 Gift Card Donges IGA
- Philips Iron
- Delonghi Nespresso Maker
- Photography Canvas
- Perfume Pack
- Quandialla Candle Co Pack
- Nutrimetics Pack
- Poppa's Fudge Pack
- Evie Doll Pack
- Homelite Blower Vac
- Outdoor Camping Chair**
- \$50 The Tin Cupboard Voucher
- Active Farmers pack
- \$50 Bland Hotel Voucher

Star Room News

The children in the Star Room on Thursday 14th September have been invited to the Australian Story time hour at the Library We have notes to sign if you would like your child to attend.

Steps Eye screening will also be at the centre on Tuesday 12th September. If your child was not done when they were last here please ask for a permission note at the office.

THEY WILL DO THE 4-5-YEAR-OLD CHILDREN

Picture Products

Picture product order forms will be going home this week We will need to get these completed and sent away for processing by the **20th September** to guarantee pre-Christmas delivery. Look out for the order form in your pocket if you are interested.

Christmas Toy Orders

The Christmas toy catalogues have arrived and we have placed them in your family pockets All orders from the Christmas toy catalogues are due by the **27th of October** please, so that we can ensure arrival in plenty of time for Christmas. This is a very generous fundraiser for us with 20% on all sales going towards rewards from Modern Teaching Aids and Educational Experience



Dates to Remember

Steps eye screening

Tuesday 12th September

Young Eyes

Tuesday 17th October 2017

Picture plates

20th September 2017

SCHOOL PHOTOS

14TH November 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.



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

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.

Quandialla runs Mondays and Wednesdays, Caragabal runs Tuesdays and Fridays.

Session times: 9:15 am- 3:15pm