



Truscott Street OOSH and Vacation Care

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Term 3 Newsletter

OOSH would like to welcome everyone back to a new, exciting term at Truscott Street OOSH. We hope that everybody had a safe and relaxing holiday break; we definitely felt that the children at Vacation Care had a wonderful experience. It was fantastic seeing the children at Truscott Street making new friends with children from other schools at Vacation care.

The program involved a number of themed days including 'Cubbyhouse day,' 'Magical Day,' 'Medieval Day,' 'Onesie Day,' 'Reptile day' and 'Bakeoff Day.' In addition, the children enjoyed outings to the Powerhouse Museum, the ClimbFit centre and Top Ryde Cinemas for a viewing of Despicable Me 2. We look forward to running a similarly exciting program for the Vacation Care children in the next holiday break!



Staffing

Emma will be taking over the role as director. Emma has been at the centre for the past five years and is excited about working with families and the broader school community to continue to provide a high quality setting for all children who attend.

We welcome Jude and Beau as new staff members at our centre. Jude has spent the last four years in the Army but looks forward to a career involving children's education. Jude has begun his study in a Masters of Teaching at the Australian Catholic University. Beau, a local of the area, is currently in her second year of graphic design at Billy Blue College. Both Jude and Beau love working with children and are looking forward to meeting and building relationships within the OOSH community.

Ipod Usage at OOSH

A notice to all parents and children that the use of iPods, iPhones, iPads and any other electronic devices is no longer permitted at OOSH. We are bringing up this issue as it is important that children participate in our OOSH program. It is expected that children observe this rule at OOSH as it parallels the School's policy regarding the use of electronic devices within school hours. Children with additional needs will be exempt from this rule. Many thanks for your cooperation and understanding.

OOSH office

Please note that the OOSH office is for staff and parents only. It is particularly important that desk items and equipment are respected and not moved around. This issue has been raised as items from the desk have been removed and consequently, have been lost or broken.

Leaving OOSH permission notes

Should a child need to attend extra-curricular activities during OOSH hours, please notify Emma who will provide parents a form to sign. This form will allow children to attend their activity during OOSH hours. Please note that the permission notes can be found on our website if you would like to fill one out prior to dropping off your child.

We look forward to the coming school term at OOSH!

Kind regards, OOSH Team