

## Educational, Caring, Family Focused

### WE NEED YOUR HELP TO SUPPORT GARDEN AND MOWING ROSTER

*Thank you, to Heath and Marika Forsstrom, Cassandra and Peter Robinson, Socoya and Ian Bowley, and Melissa and Josh Shaw for caring for our preschool garden and chickens over the term break.*

*The garden is a vital part of our learning environment. The garden maintenance is an ongoing commitment to valuing the importance of young children learning, and education & care.*

### Thank you to our volunteers for the 2019 Mowing Roster.

#### Term 4 2019

- WK1: 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> October – Krystal and Lee Kelly
- WK2: 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> October – Krysia and Peter Roberts
- WK3: 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> November – Emma and Michael Lees
- WK4: 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> November – Kelly and Rod Grant
- WK5: 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> November – Emily and Jeremy Pengilly
- WK6: 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> November – Shannon Reid
- WK7: 30<sup>th</sup>/1<sup>st</sup> Nov/Dec – Min Hamilton
- WK8: 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> December – Dean and Kylie Slade
- WK9: 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> December – Heath and Marika Forsstrom



Thank you for being an active part of our preschool community. To all the families who have volunteered for our lawn mowing roster. Your time is honestly appreciated.

# Welcome back to an exciting and busy Term 4.

Children are welcome to dress up!

Grandparents Morning Tea  
Book Fair  
Devonshire Tea  
Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October.  
10am-12noon  
All welcome!





Thank you Eloura for an enjoyable visit to finish the last week of a fabulous term. Dear families your children were a delight welcoming our visitors and sharing partner drawing, playdough, blocks, fairies and sing-a-longs. Thank you to the Eloura staff, our educational team, your children and the CWA for making our visits so rewarding and beneficial for all involved.

Dear Families. It was with great pride and privilege that I was asked to co-present training with Dr Sue Elliott from the University of New England at the Australian Association for Environmental Education (AAEE) Conference in Sydney and share our preschool experiences, routines and curriculum.

Dr Sue Elliott is a Senior Lecturer and Course Co-Ordinator in Early Childhood at the University of New England.

Sue was invited to do a Keynote Presentation on Re-Thinking Bronfenbrenner's model of development: A revised theoretical Lens for promoting active citizenship in sustainability.

I was also asked to share our Nature Play practices on a Webinar Presentation with Be You – Beyond Blue.

Please take the time to share your gratitude to our educational team they do an amazing job and share so much respect to your children, to you and to our community. Thank you to all our families for the trust and support that you share with our preschool.

My sincerest appreciation

Alison

Reminder!

Quirindi Public School Kindergarten Orientation Morning  
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019 – 10am

Dear mums and dads your children would like to say a **HUGE THANK**

**YOU and appreciation** for reducing your soft plastics and wrapping in our lunchboxes. Thank you for replacing wrapping for our sandwiches and other snacks with reusable containers.

**We love you mum and dad...thank you for caring for us and our world.**

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