



# Central Shoalhaven Mobile Preschool

FEBRUARY 2018



NEWSLETTER

## WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to all our CSMP families and all the new faces. We hope you had a great Christmas and a fantastic break. All the children have settled into what is looking like an exciting year at preschool.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



**Wednesday 21 March @ 6.00pm Quinns Lane, South Nowra**

All positions will be up for nominations: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Fundraisers and Delegates. If you would like further information on a position please contact Cathie or ask one of our staff. Notes will be sent home next week.

## CSMP IS A SUNSMART PRESCHOOL

Please remember to send a hat to Preschool with your child. It is very important to protect our children from the Sun. The best way to do that is make sure you apply sunscreen to your child **before arriving** at Preschool and ensuring they have a hat. We will reapply sunscreen during the day if required.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

We still have vacancies available, please see staff or contact Cathie. Please tell your friends, family & neighbours about our service as word of mouth is the best publicity.

When arriving at our venue please be aware that preschool start at 9.00am any time prior to this will be classed as "before care" and you will be charged accordingly. Teaching staff have many duties to attend to prior to preschool commences such as setting up, planning, and many administrative tasks to attend to at the beginning and end of each day, so please be aware of the times.

**DONATIONS** of insect repellent would be greatly appreciated; we tend to use more of this due to the sandflies and mozzies this time of year at our Huskisson venue.

A big THANK YOU to Ian from **Blackwood Kitchens and Joinery** for our new soap and hand towel boards, Susan & Linda.

## PARENTS PLEASE NOTE

All children's belongings, bag, hat, clothing, water bottle & lunch box **must** be clearly marked with your child's name please. It is very important as this aids in helping your child identify his or hers own belongings, not to mention also assisting staff at meal times when they are extremely busy. Please remember to send a change of clothes for your child to preschool.

## **FUNDRAISING INFORMATION**

We have been lucky enough to secure a date for our first Bunnings BBQ of the year. Set aside Saturday 3 March to either volunteer on the day or bring the family in for a sausage sizzle. Notes will be sent home asking for your assistance.



## **SCHOLASTIC**

Every term Preschool displays an array of book catalogues from Scholastic Australia. These will be displayed at intervals throughout the year. Please help yourself to these brochures, take home and have a look through, Scholastic has some fabulous bargains on offer throughout the year. Please ensure you return your completed order by the date displayed. Most parents now use the LOOP system to order however you can still fill in the paper copy. From every purchase you make we are able to buy new books for your children.

**STUCK ON YOU** labels are ready for you to order online, just go to [www.stuckonyou.com.au](http://www.stuckonyou.com.au) create your customer account (it's easy) and place your order. They have a variety of labels and items for you to purchase, and they make great gifts. Once you place your order remember to put our name into the fundraising code so preschool can earn reward points from your purchase. Please type in **CENTRAL SHOALHAVEN MOBILE PRESCHOOL**. You can place your orders anytime; there are no time restrictions for placing orders.

## **WHATS HAPPENING THIS TERM**

**Bunnings BBQ** – Saturday 3 March – information to be distributed soon.

**AGM** – Wednesday 21 March @ 6pm South Nowra. All welcome.

**Happy Harold** (Life Education) will be visiting our Callala Beach and Huskisson venue on Wednesday 28 March. All children will be given a note closer to the date. Cambewarra and Falls Creek children will have their turn in Term 2 as we couldn't secure dates for all venues at the same time.

## **NUTRITION**

At preschool we promote healthy eating, please do not send lollies such as rollups, chips, chocolates, sweet biscuits etc in your child's lunch box. We prefer these foods were kept for home time treats and not preschool. Thank you for your cooperation.

## **NUT FREE POLICY**

Please do not send PEANUT BUTTER, NUT PRODUCTS or NUTS to preschool. We have some children attending that are allergic to peanut products and they may have an anaphylactic reaction if they come into contact with these products. Please be vigilant of what food you are sending to preschool. Your co-operation with this is of the utmost importance.



## **IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS TO KEEP**

Preschool Office Cathie # 44230571 Unit 1 Stacey, Toni, & Nicole # 0412928095  
Unit 2 Susan & Linda # 0432274244 EMAIL # [cs.mobilepreschool@bigpond.com](mailto:cs.mobilepreschool@bigpond.com)  
CSMP Carer Reference Number # 407 977 916J  
WEBPAGE # [www.shoalhavenmobilepreschool.com.au](http://www.shoalhavenmobilepreschool.com.au)  
Please collect a business card located on sign in/out table.

## **BANKING DETAILS**

COMMONWEALTH BANK

BSB - 062585

Account Number – 00911748

\*Please note this account is only to be used to deposit fees, holding fee, and extended hours\* All fundraising monies such as raffles, scholastic, Pictureplates etc are to be paid either by cash or cheque. Thank you.



## **NEXT MEETING (Committee Members Only)**

**Wednesday 21 February 2018 @ 4.30pm**

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# Honey muesli balls

## **INGREDIENTS**

2 1/2 cups nut-free toasted muesli

1 cup pitted prunes

1/4 cup honey

1/4 teaspoon mixed spice

50g butter, melted, cooled



## **METHOD**

**Step 1** Process 2 cups muesli, prunes, honey, mixed spice and butter in a food processor until well combined.

**Step 2** Place remaining muesli on a plate. Using 1 level tablespoon of prune mixture at a time, roll into a ball, and then roll in remaining muesli to coat. Place on a baking tray lined with baking paper.

Refrigerate for 30 minutes or until firm.

**Step 3** Store muesli balls in an airtight container in the fridge.

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