



Central Shoalhaven Mobile Preschool

NEWSLETTER TERM 4, 2021

Term 1 Commences Monday 31 January 2022

Cambewarra

Monday
Thursday

Huskisson

Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday

Manyana

Tuesday
Wednesday

NEW SESSION TIMES

8.00am – 3.30pm

CSMP CONTACT NUMBERS

Cambewarra

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Huskisson

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Manyana

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Office

4423 0571

or

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FAREWELL 2021

What a year! I would like to extend a massive thank you to all our families for all your support through 2021. Thank you for trusting us with the education and care of your children during a challenging year.

Personally, I would like to acknowledge all the hard work that the venue staff have put in this year. They go above and beyond every day and carry with them an unending supply of passion for quality early childhood education and genuine care and affection for every child in their care. Thank you Nicole, Jodie, Liz, Toni, Kate, Deb, Alyce and Natasha.

Peppa Pride
Outgoing Director

STAFFING

CSMP would like to give a very warm welcome to our new Preschool Director, **Emma Francis** and our Administration Officer, **Sue Rankin**.

Sue will be in the office Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and can be contacted on 02 4423 0571 or via email:

admin@shoalhavenmobilepreschool.com.au

Sue will be managing student enrolments & attendance and will be available for general enquiries.

Emma has been visiting our various preschool venues over the past week, getting to know the children and our unique Shoalhaven communities. In 2022 Emma will be available Monday to Friday, and you will find her either in the Nowra office, or out at one of our preschool venues.

NEW SESSION TIMES: In response to family feedback, CSMP will be adjusting our start and finish times in 2022. Preschool sessions will start at 8.00am and all children must be collected before 3.30pm.

Hello everyone,

My name is Emma and I will be your Director in 2022. I have been in the industry for almost 10 years, working in centre-based services for all of that time. I have been in management roles for the last 5 years and have worked at all levels, getting my first qualification through a traineeship and working my way up from there.

My teaching philosophy is Emilia based, which well aligned with the goals and mission of CSMP. I believe families are the experts when it comes to the needs and goals for our children, and that children learn best with a stimulating, engaging child-led program which fosters the values of the home and community within our practice.

My big passions in early childhood are responsive relationships with children and promoting social equity within our programs to give children the best start to becoming a connected, empathetic individual.

I am a new coastal resident having moved from Camden in Western Sydney at the end of 2020 to Shellharbour and I have been the Director of a 122 place service in Wollongong up until now.

In my personal time I like to spend time with my partner Jack, and our two cats, Hank and Frank, and be involved with music in any way possible. A fun fact about me is that I can play 3 instruments: guitar, ukulele and piano!

I look forward to getting to know each of you and your children in the new year!

Emma



2022 START STRONG FREE PRESCHOOL

With continued funding from the State Government, free preschool will continue in 2022, there are no fees requested other than those on enrolment (as outlined in the CSMP Parent Handbook).

The intent behind the State Government's 2022 Start Strong Free Preschool Funding is to provide NSW preschoolers with access to 15 hours a week of free early childhood education (resulting in them achieving 600 hours of early childhood education over the year). For this reason, CSMP has two days available for each child on enrolment. CSMP strongly encourages families to enrol their child for two days. As the focus of the funding is providing two days for as many children as possible, CSMP is not able to offer a third day at this stage.

If you have any questions, please get in touch and either email admin@shoalhavenmobilepreschool.com.au or call the office on 4423 0571.



STORYPARK

Data Management System – Parent Portal

In early 2022, CSMP will be launching Storypark Early Childhood Education and Care Management System. Storypark will simplify our management processes and provide more opportunities for communication with families.



New and returning families will be hearing more about Storypark as we head into the new year and commence our 2022 enrolment data entry. Parents/guardians will receive an email with details on how the new system will run, together with how to access the new app on your mobile device and create your login details.

If you would like to learn more about what Storypark offers for families, please have a look at [Families – Storypark](#)

MERRY CHRISTMAS

All staff of CSMP wish our families a very happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

We wish all our children who have graduated a wonderful time at Kindergarten next year – you'll be fantastic!

We look forward to seeing all our new and existing Preschoolers in 2022.



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Holiday Activities in the Shoalhaven

Free family outdoor cinema

[Free Family Fun - Open Air Cinema Roadshow - Shoalhaven City Council \(nsw.gov.au\)](#)

Christmas Storytime at Nowra library

[Christmas Storytime - Nowra Library Tickets, Mon 20/12/2021 at 11:00 am | Eventbrite](#)

Christmas Storytime at Ulladulla library

[Christmas Storytime - Ulladulla Library Tickets, Tue 21/12/2021 at 11:00 am | Eventbrite](#)

