



# Flagstaff Oval Kindergarten Update

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Issue 1 Term 3.

## ISSUES OR CONCERNS.

Please make sure that if you have any concerns or issues arise that you make a time to chat with myself or a member of staff. We are here to help your child to be the best they can be and to do that we need to work together.

Welcome back to term 3. We trust you had time for some rest and relaxation.

This term our book based focus is on 'Cranky Bear' by Nick Bland. This is also the title of the Patch Theatre production this term that children will be attending. Our focus with the child protection curriculum is Recognising and Reporting Abuse. This looks at privacy and body parts, safe touching, recognising abuse (which at this age is more about accidental and deliberate injury), and secrets. A note will be going home next week with more information and you are welcome to come and have a chat with Meegan if you have any concerns. We will continue with our oral language and mathematical language focus and look forward to a busy term as children develop interests, share ideas and become powerful learners.

We have our student from Flinders University for six weeks called Kim. Most of the children have already met Kim from last term on her lead in days.

**Toilet paper and tissues.** Every few terms we ask families for donations of packs of toilet paper and tissues so that we do not have to spend money otherwise used on children's education. Next time you are at the shop please think of us.

**Obstacle-a-thon.** The Obstacle-a-thon was a huge success thanks to our families who came along and supported us on the day. It was evident that the children thoroughly enjoyed the day and were proud of their own individual achievements. A big thank you again to our wonderful Governing Council who worked to organise the sausage sizzle and cake stall, and to those families who donated cakes and helped out on the day. A reminder to get those sponsorship forms and money back in please.

**Summative reports.** We are still waiting on some families to return their child's summative reports. Please do so ASAP.

**Term 3 Fees.** Term 3 fees are now due and need to be paid by Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> of August unless you are on a payment plan.

Please help this term if you can by:

1. Donating toilet paper and tissues for use at kindy.
2. Placing any used bottles and cans in the bin provided. All money goes to Minton wildlife rescue.
3. Placing items for Share the Dignity in the donation box located on the lockers for homeless women.



## Diary Dates:

Patch Theatre production: Tue 21<sup>st</sup>/Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug

Mathematics evening: Tue 28<sup>th</sup> /Wed 29<sup>th</sup> Aug 6-7pm

Next Closure day is the 17<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Last day term 3: Friday 28<sup>th</sup> Sept

Warmest regards: Meegan, Sue, Ruth, Kerryn, Rosalie, Jo, Krysten, Monica, Sue and Nikki.