

Zion News

Week 2 Term 3

Welcome back to Term 3, I trust you are all ready and raring to go for a busy term. I am feeling relaxed after 10 days in Vietnam, tick of my bucket list. It has been great to hear all about the adventures that the children had in the holidays!

We have had a busy week 1 with Dancify with Issy, the children are learning some dance moves in a 40 minute session, this will continue for the next 4 weeks.

This week we have Kindy photo's on Tuesday and Wednesday, please fill out the order forms and return with payment on your child's day.

We welcome Jasmyn to the staff team, she will be here on Monday's and Wednesday's as Tania has left us to go and teach in China, please say hello and make her feel welcome.

During Christian studies this term, the children will be exploring the garden and appreciating nature. Jasmyn will be doing some planting with the children out in the raised garden bed's at the front of Kindy.

Pushing out the clouds

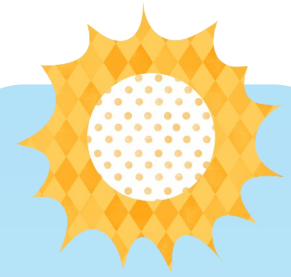
Do you ever feel overwhelmed from circumstances you can no longer handle? Are anxiety and despondency flooding over you to the point where you can't sleep and when you do sleep it comes at the wrong times? Perhaps terrible nightmares even bolt you out of bed. Do little things become huge? Are you fearful? Do you want to give up? At times this can be a simple case of the blues. The blues can grow darker, however and develop into depression.

We must remember how God is far greater than the most serious of our problems. He is the master healer of our bodies, emotions, and souls. God tells us to take our burdens to him. He helps make things easier and lightens our loads when we trust in Him. He helps make things easier and lightens our load when we trust in him. Moreover, he provides us with Christian pastors, counsellors, doctors, loved ones, and good friends. Don't be afraid to lean on Him and those who love you. You don't have to go through it all on your own.

God loves you. He cares, even when you are at your lowest ebb. He is your retreat, your security, and your strength. He is always present, in the good and bad. Through His power, God is calling you to push out the clouds and see clear blue skies and bright yellow sunrises. As we turn to Him, He guides us into joy and peace and hope for the future.

Blessings

Sam



Important Dates

Dancify

Group 1 Monday 22nd July
Wk. 1 –Wk. 5

Group 2 Thursday 25th July
Wk. 1 –Wk. 5

Kindy Photo's

Group 1 Wednesday 31st
July

Group 2 Tuesday 30th July

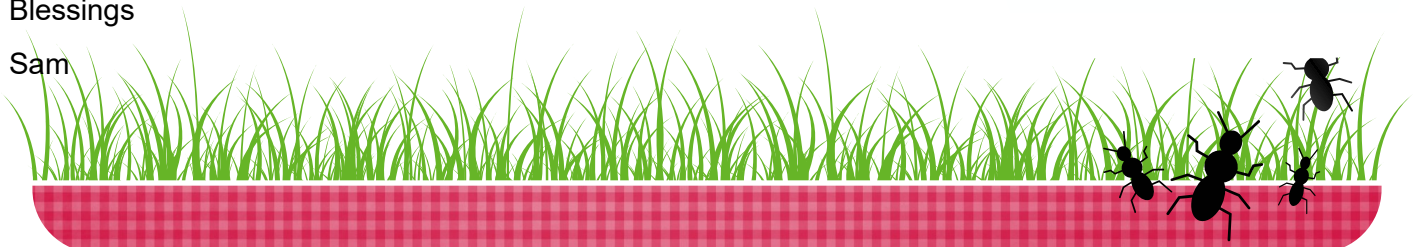
Friday Mornings

Playgroup 8.45-10.15

Kindy Church

Group 1 Monday 12th
August

Group 2 Tuesday 13th
August



Reminder Early/Late fee:

\$3.00/ early drop off or late pick up. This can be arranged with the Director or will be incurred if you are 10 minutes early or late with your child without contacting the centre staff.

Sleeping Children

If you have a young child sleeping in the car when you come to do Kindy pick up, please call the Kindy and we can bring your child out to the car, especially as we are going into winter.

Friday Kindy

The session starts at **10.30**, please arrive as close to this as you can. We have playgroup until **10.15** and families with young children will be leaving.

Fees

Just a reminder that Term 3 Fees are due

Bank Details

BSB 035 075
Account No. 296686
Account Name Zion Preschool

Please ensure you place your child's name in reference section.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS (WWCC) • From 1 July 2019 SA's new screening laws require anyone working or volunteering with children must have a valid child related check. • WWCC's will be free for those applying in a volunteer role. • If you have a current National Police Check that will be valid until 30/6/2020 only. If you have a current DCSI check that will be valid until its 3 year expiry. • We encourage our parent volunteers to check the type and date of their current check, and apply for the WWCC as from 1 July. • More information on how to apply will be available from 1 July or go to www.screening.sa.gov.au or click here for the information kit.

Valuing Safe Communities Training • The VSC training goes hand in hand with the WWCC, and is a must if you want to attend an excursion, camp or help out in small group activities. • VSC is offered every term and takes about 40 minutes. • Term 3 session will be Wednesday 14 August at 2.30pm or 6.30pm.

Persona Dolls

Please find attached to the newsletter a note about the persona dolls that will be coming home.

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