*Endless Opportunities for Every Child*

# Playtime at Wauchope September Newsletter

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## Ready, Set, Climb!




Today, the children enjoyed exploring our outdoor soft play obstacle course. They climbed, crawled, balanced, jumped and moved their bodies in different ways while having lots of fun. The experience encouraged children to build their gross motor skills, coordination, balance and confidence as they challenged themselves and supported one another. It was wonderful to see the children using their imagination, trying new movements and enjoying active play together.



## Water Wonderland

OUR PRESCHOOL CHILDREN HAVE BEEN ENJOYING SOME REFRESHING WATER PLAY! THEY HAD LOTS OF FUN POURING, SCOOPING, SPLASHING AND EXPERIMENTING WITH DIFFERENT CONTAINERS. WATER PLAY ENCOURAGED THE CHILDREN TO EXPLORE CONCEPTS SUCH AS FULL AND EMPTY, FLOATING AND SINKING, WHILE DEVELOPING THEIR COORDINATION, COMMUNICATION AND SOCIAL SKILLS. IT WAS WONDERFUL TO SEE THEIR CURIOSITY, CREATIVITY AND EXCITEMENT AS THEY LEARNT THROUGH PLAY! ☀️💦

## Little Tradies

OUR CHILDREN HAVE BEEN BUSY EXPLORING AND CREATING WITH A VARIETY OF BUILDING MATERIALS! THEY ENJOYED STACKING, CONNECTING, BALANCING AND DESIGNING THEIR OWN CREATIONS WHILE USING THEIR IMAGINATION AND PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS. IT WAS WONDERFUL TO SEE THE CHILDREN WORKING TOGETHER, SHARING IDEAS AND PROUDLY SHOWING OFF THEIR AMAZING CONSTRUCTIONS! 🏗️✨



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# Upcoming Events & Programs Calendar

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| **OCT** | October is also the month of mental Health |
| **22ND OCT** | Grandparents day |
| **31ST OCT** | Halloween |
| **5TH OCT** | Kings Birthday (Centre Closed) |
| **12-18 OCT** | National nutrition week |
| **15** | HANDWASHING DAY |
| **19-25 OCT** | Aussie Backyard Bird Count |
| **29 OCT** | National Bandanna Day |



## Happy Little Sliders

Our little adventurers have been having lots of fun enjoying the slide! The children have been climbing, sliding and practising taking turns with their friends. This simple outdoor experience encourages confidence, balance, coordination and independence, all while enjoying plenty of smiles and laughter! 😊🛝

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# 🌿 Muddy Creations

Our children have been getting messy and creative with mud play! They enjoyed adding different natural materials such as leaves, sticks, flowers and stones to their mud creations. This hands-on experience encouraged imagination, sensory exploration and plenty of fun as the children mixed, squished and experimented with their muddy masterpieces! 🪵🌸🤎





# Have you met Lily

WE ARE SO EXCITED TO WELCOME LILY TO OUR TEAM! LILY HAS BEEN WORKING IN EARLY CHILDHOOD SINCE 2018 AND HAS COMPLETED HER DIPLOMA, BRINGING LOTS OF KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE AND A PASSION FOR SUPPORTING CHILDREN'S LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT. OUTSIDE OF WORK, LILY ENJOYS PLAYING OZTAG, GOING FOR RELAXING WALKS ALONG THE BREAKWALL, AND SPENDING TIME WITH HER MUCH-LOVED DOG, BAILEY. SHE IS ALSO A BIG COFFEE LOVER, SO YOU'LL OFTEN FIND HER ENJOYING A GOOD CUP OF COFFEE!

WE ARE THRILLED TO HAVE LILY JOIN OUR TEAM AND CAN'T WAIT FOR OUR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES TO GET TO KNOW HER!







**WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IN OUR UPCOMINING NEWSLETTERS?**

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