



Laverton Community Children's Centre
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Another week almost over, and it is exciting to see programs operating at their full capacity. We have many new children commence education and care this year and we are very proud of the team of educators who consistently have gone above and beyond to ease children into the setting. We rely on families, who are the experts on their child/ren to help with the transition. We have observed that it has been particularly difficult has been especially difficult after much isolation. Thank you, families. We know the transition can be a challenge. Families are always welcome to relax in the foyer. The t.v. has a slide show of what happened the day prior. There is coffee and tea available.

Staffing

Have you met Sukanya? Sukanya is a new educator in Room 3 with Eti and Jayshree.



Welcome aboard Sukanya.

Loose parts play day

Laverton Community Children's Centre were fortunate enough to successfully receive a small grant for a loose part play day. We plan to open the centre on a Saturday for children and their families to come along and play. However, the play will have no toys! We will be making requests for household objects over the next few weeks.

Any of the following items would be great for us:

- Cardboard cylinders (such as old wrapping paper)
- Sticky tape.
- Old utensils, pots and or pans (ones that are not too heavy).
- Glue sticks.
- Pool noodles.
- Paper to write/draw on the back of.
- Texta's, pencils, pens, and crayons.
- Clean old quilts, sheets, or rugs

Any donations can be left on or bedside marked table in the foyer.

Term 1 Reminder for kinder families

Next week is the last week of kinder. For those who are in sessional programs (Sid or Zenith's groups) and still require care please email adminlccc@lcis.org.au and we can arrange a booking. Integrated kinder will be available as usual, however some of our educators do not work in school holidays. We will have many of our familiar educators onboard.

End of term is April 8, until April 26 (April 25 is ANZAC day). The return date is a Tuesday.

The week that was.....



The proof: the box is always the most fun.



Developing numeracy concepts can look just like this.



Connection with the land and caring for the environment supports children's understanding they are part of a bigger

picture.



Puppets provide great opportunities to further language development.



Sawing without help is a great opportunity for children to build self-confidence.



Interpreting facial expressions and feelings is a learnt skill. These are just some of the activities we provide to support the learning.

