

What's been happening...

Greetings from the OSH Club! 🌍

Fortnight recap:

The last two weeks have been a whirlwind of fun and learning through our delicious Flavour fest activities.

We began our week with yummy DIY fruit skewers that the children created themselves. We got messy in the kitchen making our own pasta dough from scratch, where students were able to take home their final product to enjoy with their families. On Friday, we enjoyed some delicious, fizzy "spiders" by using vanilla ice cream and lemonade. Within the last two weeks, the students have expressed their leadership qualities through new leadership roles within the OSHClub classroom and are excited for the student to excel in their new roles.

The students have engaged with many activities that have showcased learning outcomes 1-5. Some activities include pot plant painting, lantern designing, miniature DIY hockey field creating, painting, figure making, student-led group games and colouring in.

Last week was "best teacher day", so we hope teachers enjoyed the lovely cards drawn and designed by students at OSHClub!



REMINDERS:

Non-notified absences will incur a fee.
Children must have a hat to play outside!



Looking forward to:

Curriculum day

Monday 4th November will be a curriculum day for Melbourne Cup long weekend. OSHClub will not be running due to the lack of numbers. An alternative for parents is The Basin OSHClub, they are open from 7am-6pm. There will be no classes or OSHClub sessions running on Tuesday 5th November due to Melbourne Cup Day.

Prep come and try

If you are enrolling a new prep into Boronia Heights next year, come along on Friday the 8th of November for a trial at OSHClub from 3:45-4:45pm.

Policy

Medical conditions

Ensuring the health and safety of all children is a priority at our OSHClub, especially regarding medical conditions and needs. Parents now have the convenience of updating their child's enrolment record through Kidsoft's new feature. However, it is vital that any changes made are also communicated directly to the Service Leader for accurate documentation updates.

Medical documentation plays a crucial role in enabling us to cater effectively to children's health and additional needs during their time with us. It is mandatory that all medical documentation and medication information is current before children attend sessions. Failure to update these records may prevent a child from participating until updated documentation is provided.

To support families, services will provide adequate notice before the expiration of medical documentation or medication, allowing parents time to visit a GP or refill prescriptions before the next booking. Service Leaders conduct regular audits of medical records each term to ensure ongoing compliance and accuracy.

When administering medication, strict procedures are followed to ensure safety. Medications must match the documentation provided by a General Practitioner and require verification by two educators. Storage protocols are also rigorous to prevent cross-contamination and maintain efficacy. Any changes in medication dosage or medical management must be accompanied by updated documentation from a GP to prioritize the child's health needs.

By adhering to these policies and procedures, we ensure that our OSHClub maintains a safe and supportive environment where every child's health and wellbeing are diligently cared for.

If you have any further questions regarding this policy - please let us know!

Halloween!

Happy Halloween! This week at OSHClub students have been treated with lots of fun and spooky activities such as a spooktacular lolly hunt and a mummy wrap competition of who can wrap the most toilet paper around each other! We also held a floating ghost experiment involving balloons and miniature DIY ghosts made by the students themselves.

Market Night!

Market night was such a blast, it was great way to interact with students, families and communities around us. We had so much fun meeting new people and the activities were a hit. Some children were able to get a bullseye at the axe throwing. We had some beautiful dinosaur and princess paintings and heaps of lollies won with bean bag toss.

It was amazing to see all the other spectacular stalls which were inspiring to see all the community engagement as well as the art show which was absolutely jaw dropping. The student's art pieces were well created and presented.



Leadership Roles

This term we have continued with our leadership roles, we have changed up a few of them and giving opportunity to all the children. We want children to have a hands-on experience in leadership.

These roles include:

- Room leader
- Sports leader
- Lego Leader
- Bag Leader
- Garden Leader
- Science Leader
- Baking Leader
- Kitchen Leader

These roles are to empower and engage young children but to also provide a platform for them to actively contribute to our community.

It's a fantastic opportunity for kids to take charge, learn valuable skills, and make a difference.

We want to say a congratulations to the new leaders and are excited for the contribution they will bring to all different areas of the program.



OSH Club Team 🌐 Meet our staff

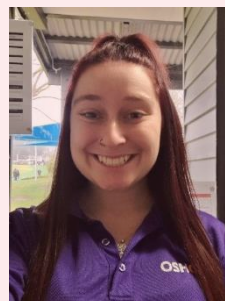


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