



# Hunter Mobile Preschool

August 2017  
**Newsletter**



## Woolworths Earn & Learn

Don't forget we are currently collecting earn and learn stickers. There is a box at each venue for families to put stickers into.

Please let family and friends know, because each sticker gives our service a point, and these points can be used to purchase equipment for your children's use at preschool. We thank you for your support.

## Expansion of Our Service

Our service is going through more change.

We have been granted money to purchase a third van, which will allow us to offer a second day at Vacy, and start a new preschool service at East Cessnock, which will run from a building within the school.

We have also received a service approval to operate an OSHC (Outside School Hours Care) service at Gresford School. We are hoping this will be in operation from the beginning of fourth term. If you know of anyone who would be interested in applying for the job share position for OSHC, this link will access the advertisement on [SEEK](#)

## Next Committee Meeting

The next Management Committee Meeting will be held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 10am at our base, 3/5 Anlaby Street Maitland.

Children are welcome and morning tea is supplied. If you are coming to the meeting, we will have the garage door to our building open, to offer some parking in the van bay.



## Congratulations

One of our staff members, Alex and her husband, Mitchell are expecting their first baby at the beginning of next year. We wish them luck for the journey ahead.

## Vision Screening

Sheila from STEPS Vision Screening is visiting some of the venues this month to complete the simple vision tests on children 4 years old and above.

## 2018 Enrolments

We will be starting to organise next year's enrolments shortly.

A form will be placed at the sign area for every family to let us know their intentions for 2017. This needs to be filled out whether you intend for your child to return to preschool or if they are starting school.

If you have eligible children, or know of anyone else who may be interested in enrolling their child, please access a pre-enrolment form our website, complete it, and return it, so they can be placed on the waiting list for when positions are offered.



## Congewai Harvest Festival

We will be holding a stall at the upcoming Congewai Harvest Festival on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September.

We will be handing out HMP balloons, bags of playdough, and information about our service, to try and gather enrolments for our venues around that area. Our stall will also have a couple of activities for the children to demonstrate some of the things they will experience at preschool.

## Toy catalogues

Catalogues will be coming out to preschool soon. Have a look through, and see if anything grabs your attention. Orders can be placed both online using the websites listed in the book, or by using the order forms in the books. Preschool receives 20% of all catalogue sales to be used to purchase resources for the service. Further information will follow, regarding due date for orders.

## Hunter Mobile Preschool Staff

Sarah, Leanne, Jacquie, Paula, Alex, Jennifer & Liz

