



Briars Bulletin

Week 6, Term 3, 2014



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**IMPORTANT
NOTICE**

Car Park Safety

It is very important to remember to hold your child's hand when in the car park. We teach the children to wait at the door and hold an adults hand when entering the car park area and it would be beneficial to your child's learning and safety if all families could do the same.

Important Dates

Wednesday 3rd Sept
Governing Council 7pm

Friday 26th Sept
Last day of Term 3

Communication devices / tools

If your child uses any type of communication device, book, symbols etc please ensure these come to kindy too.

Reminder—Parent Opinion Survey

Thank you to those who have returned their survey already. We really appreciate you time to complete and return them.

If you have not yet returned yours, can you please do so by either completing the form that was sent home in week 4 or doing it online at

www.decdsurveys.sa.edu.au/online



Ministerial Advisory Committee: Students with Disabilities

On Thursday 11th September, a small group of members from the DECD Ministerial Advisory Committee: Students with Disabilities (MAC:SWD) will visit The Briars. Each year MAC:SWD undertakes research projects related to the education of children and students with disability in order to provide advice to the Minister for Education and Child Development.

The topic of discussion is "Documenting effective building practices for children and students with disability". By 'building practices' they are referring to the structural building and it's surrounding's. They will interview staff members and would like to also interview some families. If you are interested, and can be here on Thursday 11th September at 9.30am, please see Di or Tash. Once you have registered your interest with us there is a Consent Form to be signed and we can provide a list of the Interview Questions.

Reminder - "Drop off & Pick up" Policy

9.00—9.30am Parents / Carers can assist children into kindy

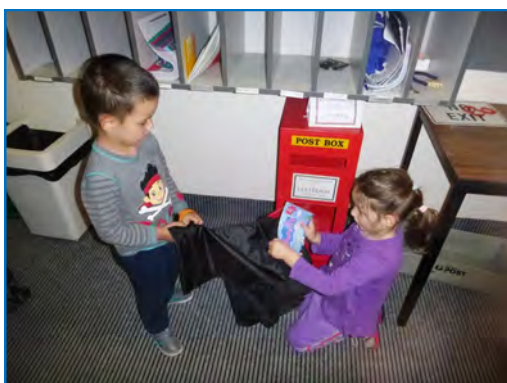
After 9.30am Parents / Carers are to kiss & drop at the front desk and a staff member will assist children into kindy

3.00pm Staff will assist children to pack up and greet Parents / Carers at the front desk

Please notify staff if you will be collecting your child / children before 3pm so we can have them ready and minimise interruption to the other children and the program

We believe that encouraging the children to carry their own back packs helps them with a sensory prompt and develops their independence.

All policies are available for you to view on request



Connor's reaction to "Under the Sea" is priceless !!



Laughter, friends, art, sand, music & play
Are all part of a Briar's kindy day



FUN TIMES ON THE LINK PROGRAM AT PARADISE KINDY

The next Bunnings BBQ is Sat 18th Oct.
If you would like to help,
please see a staff member or
call 8365 9808.

