Diary Dates.
16th Feb – Jane at Leaders day Adelaide
20th Feb- Playgroup begins 9:30
23rd Feb – Audit Criminal checks
24th Feb- Caphs Visit
25th Feb – Audit Financial
11th March- Governing Council Meeting
Chaya Higgins Speech 1st visit
20th March – Southern Yorke partnerships Jane
24th March- Chaya Higgins 2nd Visit
2nd -6th April - Easter
9th April end of term Early Finish 1:45pm

What a lovely start to the year. All the children seem happy and are finding many activities to do with so much learning going on too. The AGM was a successful night with the presentation of the Annual Report [which everyone is welcome to read], goodbyes to the 2014 committee and welcome to the new committee. Thankyou so much to all who attended

Congrats to the following Governing Council 2015
Chairperson   Naomi Simmons
Secretary Amanda Yarrow
Treasurer Michelle Wheare
Committee members Lauren Carty and Tracey Day
Others Jane, Kali and Kristin.

The start of another exciting year.

Fees
Fees have been set at the AGM and are $70 a term or $280 for the year.
Invoices will be issued soon so please check pockets.

What Have we been doing?
We have been
• Practicing evacuation and lockdown
• Going to the Library
• Playing with balls and other equipment on the oval and visiting the playground
• Playing with coloured water and ice
• Reading lots of books
• Looking at colours
• Practicing our names, colouring, cutting and pasting
• Painting and printing
- Having lots of fun
- Making musical instruments and playing music
- Singing songs.

CAPHS
Janine the CAPHS nurse will be here on 24th Feb to do the free 4 year old checks. All forms have been placed in pockets and you need to sign and bring with you on the day or return to us ready for the day. If you are unable to make the time please let us know and we will try to juggle times. If you are unable to make it please return signed forms giving permission for the tests and Janine will contact you with results. An alternative appointment can be made but you will need to attend at Maitland.

Thankyou to
- Kristin for putting our new scooters together and fixing lots of things at the kindy-a very skilled person, Belinda for all the extra cleaning and yard jobs and Kali for helping me with extra admin jobs
- The outgoing committee for all their efforts over the year[s]
- To all who have cleaned or washed so far this term
- Kelly Hicks for clothes donation

Fire Warden Training
Jane attended training on Tues the 10th. Thanks to Kim Black for the great day at the Kindy.

Leader Day
Jane attended Leaders Day in Adelaide on the 16th Feb which involved all leaders from the state.

Clean Up Australia Day
On Thursday the 26th Feb [Weather permitting] we will be picking up rubbish around the block. Gloves and bags will be supplied. You are welcome to join us leaving about 9:30.

Playgroup
Playgroup has a new co-ordinator - Sasha Pedler. We thank her for renewing the interest and hope to gather support. The sessions will be on a Friday from 9:30 – 11:30 and the first session will be on Friday 20th Feb. All you need to do is come along and have fun playing with your child or chat to other mums. The fee is $2 a week after registration with Playgroup which is about $40 a year.
For more information contact Sasha on 0429846041 or email at ardrossanplaygroup@yahoo.com.au

Regards,
Jane, Kali, Kristin and Belinda.