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## what's on in house

2016

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**Term 3:** Ends Friday 23rd September **Term 4:** 10th October - 9th December 2016

### *From Wild Winds to Wildflowers*

*We made it through winter and now it's bring on spring!*

We're all prepared for this time of growth over the next few months following our ADULT LEARNER'S WORKSHOPS held in the past couple of weeks.

We found out how long a ball of string is during the fabulous Kokedama workshop, and we're ready for celebrations after the Cake Decorating extravaganza.

And now its time to have your say and contribute your skills too by becoming part of the management team - our committee. Don't miss the AGM coming up next week.

Some of our playgroups have taken a battering over the winter months and we are seeking new members, particularly for our Chinese, Japanese and Italian language playgroups. If you know anyone who would be interested to join in, please contact us.

Spring into action, and see you soon

Jen and Fran

### *Committee News*

Join us at the AGM coming up **Wednesday 14th September 2016** and find out what really goes on behind the scenes!

The last 12 months have seen lots of jobs ticked off the list with upgrades and



**AGM**  
Annual General Meeting

improvements to the House by a small but "can do" committed team.

If you are enthusiastic, inspirational, possess any business skills, enjoy a laugh and would like to make a difference to your community then nominate yourself to join our terrific team. Maybe a glass of champagne, nibbles and chat may be more to your liking - this is also an opportunity to get acquainted!

We hope to see you from 7.15pm.

A big THANKYOU to the 2015/2016 Committee - from back, Naomi, Helen (Chairperson), Jasmin, Chenoa, Bronson, Rosalea and Jean. (Mari not in photo)



### *Workshops coming up for mums and bubs - Save the dates!*

**Introduction to Solids** - A talk by the Child Health Nurse for parents of babies 4 - 6 months old

**Monday 19th September 2016 1.30 - 3.00pm Free**

Enquiries and bookings phone 9345 7100



### **Mums and Bubs Essential Oils Workshop**

**September 19th 1.00 - 3.00pm \$20.00** (take home 3 products)

Make your own tox free baby products using therapeutic grade essential oils - baby wipes, nappy rash cream, talc free baby powder, gentle baby lotion and tips on Settling, Teething and Colic.

Contact Fiona for info & bookings: 0417 951 633 or [fiona.thorniley@gmail.com](mailto:fiona.thorniley@gmail.com)



### **Triple P - take the guesswork out of parenting!**

A series of five 2 hour sessions with crèche on 19/10, 26/10, 2/11, 9/11 & 7/12. Info. and bookings on 9400 9551



### **Circle of Security**

A series of workshops for parents to help enhance their child's ability to successfully manage emotions.

**Saturdays 5th - 26th November 1pm - 3.00pm. \$10.00**



### **Pre-literacy & Early literacy skills workshop**

*Postponed till* **Wednesday 16th November 7.30pm - 8.30pm \$10.00**

Bookings at the office or call 0447486 652 for more info.



## Community Events

### Free Parenting Workshops and Counselling

See the City of Stirling's latest [Newsletter](#)



## Fundraising Toy Catalogues - Place your orders now!

These Education Fundraising programs provide parents and children with high quality toys from leading brands and generate valuable funds for our House. The toys make great Christmas presents.



Please grab one while at the House. You can drop it in to the office and order from the House, or pay a little extra and have them delivered direct to your home. **House orders need to be in by Friday 23rd September.**



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