

Brighton Recreational Centre

September 2009 SHP Newsletter

A Message from G

To all the families and children who attended the last School Holiday Program for the first time, I welcome you and hope you had a great time! We do our very best to bring the children a fun and exciting program every single day!

The December/January program will be available on our website on Wednesday, 18 November 2009 and the Enrolment Form will be available on Sunday, 22 November 2009 from 5.00pm.

Important Information

Parents wanting to claim Childcare Benefit (CCB) in the form of reduced fees or lump sum claim, should contact Centrelink at least 3 weeks prior to enrolling.

Due to the high demand of the program, bookings cannot be guaranteed. Parents are advised not to consider their booking finalised just by returning their forms. Confirmations will be sent to confirm all bookings.

Clothing and Accessories

Children should wear suitable clothing for sporting and recreational activities. No open back or open toe shoes and no singlet or strapless tops as clothing must cover shoulders.

Children should also bring a broad brimmed or bucket hat each day to the program.

Please note that if you cancel a day of program you will not receive a credit or refund. Refunds are only issued with a doctor's certificate.

I look forward to seeing you all for what will no doubt be a fun filled holiday!!

Regards

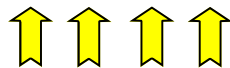
Gail Smyth

Coordinator

December 2009/ January 2010 Program

Enrolments Open

Mon 23 November 2009
8.30am



April 2010 Program

Enrolments Open

Tues 9 March 2010
8.30am

Don't forget to book early to
avoid disappointment

Health & Nutrition

We encourage healthy eating habits and we ask for your support in this by providing nutritious food for your child.

Please refrain from sending chips, lollies or other types of high sugar/high fat foods.

Checklist for parents:

Lunch

Morning & Afternoon tea

Drink Bottle

Remember if you need anything to be placed in the refrigerator, just let our staff know and ensure that the item is

Choosing Excursions

Please choose Excursions carefully as children may not change their minds on the day and stay at the Centre as there are limited places at the Centre.

September Program Highlights

We had lots of wonderful moments during the September Holiday program including the ever popular *Show Day* where the children made show bags, played all the wonderful games and even got some revenge on the leaders with the "sponge em".

Another highlight was when C.S.I.R.O came and taught the children the art of stage make up including how to artists make bruises and wounds that look all bloody with things sticking out of them!! Believe it or not, everyone found this very enjoyable!!

Taskworks was again very popular with the children dressing up, making their way through the maze, creating block towers and lots more!

Play it Sunsmart!

It is important that children bring their hats to the program. If a child does not have one, they may not be able to attend certain activities and children who do not bring their hats on excursions will NOT be able to attend the Excursion and may not be able to stay at the Centre either.

We encourage parents not to dress their children in singlet tops and to ensure that they wear appropriate clothing for the weather.