



BILLANOOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

"Believe in Yourself"

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PREP 2010

Dear Parents,

Thank you for enrolling your child at Billanook Primary for 2010.

We appreciate the importance of this decision and trust that together we can make your child's transition to school a happy and successful experience.

Our transition program for this term will provide two opportunities for your child to join us at school. We would welcome your child joining us for these activities if they are able to do so.

- ***A Teddy Bears Picnic***

Will be held on **Thursday 20th August from 11:45 until 1:00.**

Your child will join our current prep children in our classrooms and enjoy a picnic lunch in our classroom or the playground (weather permitting).

Please contact our office staff **by the 7th August** to let us know if your child will be coming to our picnic. We will be allocating the children to rooms and teachers for the Teddy Bears Picnic after this date. We try to keep children from the same Pre-School together for this day. However if your child's name is added to our list after the 8th August this may not be possible.

During the week of the picnic we will send invitations to all children who have confirmed that they will be attending.

The invitation will detail the room number and teacher that your child will be joining for our "Teddy Bears Picnic".

Please note that the teacher that your child is allocated to for the Teddy Bears Picnic is not their teacher for 2010.

Grade groupings and staffing will not be finalised until November.

- ***Storytime sessions***

Will be held on the following dates from 2:30 to 3:30 in the Prep Building.

Friday 14th August

Friday 28th August

Friday 4th September

Please contact our office staff to book your child into **one** of these sessions.

During term 4 we will be offering more opportunities for your child to be involved at school and details of this will be sent to you early in term 4.

We look forward to seeing you and your child at Billanook throughout this term, if you have any queries please feel welcome to contact us at school.

Thank you

Julie Legione (Principal) and Sharon Kidner (Prep Transition Co-ordinator)