

NEWSLETTER



Maitland Baptist Church
Child Care Inc.

Out of School Hours Care

TERM 1 2020

Term 1 and a new year is here!

As we have now said our sad farewells to some of our OOSH families it is now time to give our warm welcome to the wonderful new OOSH families to our community.

We hope that your family experience with us is one that is filled with wonderful memories.

Maitland Baptist Church Child Care - OOSH send these newsletters to our families so that you are aware and up to date of any information in the OOSH community. We know that you get many letters and forms but appreciate if you would read our newsletters so you are able to keep up to date with all that is going on.

We hope that this information is of assistance.



When emailing the Main Office, please state your **child's name** and **centre attended** as we have **13 centres**. This helps us to save precious time when identifying your child to complete your email requests.



PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payment options we offer:

- **EFTPOS** by phone
- **DIRECT DEPOSIT**
ask for your unique code
- **EZIDEBIT** ask for a form
- **CASH** only at Rutherford



EZIDEBIT is taken on the following days:

MONDAY

Rutherford, Hinton, Largs,
Tarro & Tenambit

TUESDAY

Ashtonfield, Thornton, Metford
& Maitland

WEDNESDAY

Bolwarra, Clarence town, East
Maitland and St Joseph's

Main Office

83-85 Weblands Street, Rutherford

Phone: (02)49391840

Email: admin@mbcoosh.org.au

Website: <https://mbcoosh.org.au/>



CENTRELINK pays your subsidy for up to **42 absences for each child, per financial year**. You can use these absence days for any reason, including if the child is overseas

Please note this is per child NOT per family across all services used, including day care.

After 42 days absences you will require Medical Certificates for all absences or full fees will be charged.

14
WEEKS

CENTRELINK will cancel your enrolment if either of the following occurs:

- Your child **hasn't attended child care for 14 continuous weeks**
- If we advise Centrelink that your child is no longer attending.

42 days

attendance
MATTERS



- **CENTRELINK won't pay** CCS for any days absent until the child has attended the service for the first time for the current enrolment period.
- They **won't pay** if the enrolment ends
- They **won't pay** CCS for any days after the child's last physical attendance. You'll need to pay full fees for any absence days after the last day your child physically attends the service.
- They **won't pay** when the child doesn't attend on the last day of their enrolment.
- They **won't pay** when the child stops attending the service before their enrolment ends.



SIGNING IN & OUT Where a child is booked into care and the parent signs their child in and out almost simultaneously, no child care has been provided by MBCCC Inc. therefore an absence is reported for that session. To avoid being absent any session children must have be in our care for a period of time no less than 20 minutes.



ATTENDING MULTIPLE CENTRES If your child attends Before and After school care at **2 DIFFERENT** centres on the **SAME** day, a morning and afternoon absent is classed as **2 absences**.

If you wish to cancel any Before or After School Care bookings - **two weeks written notice is required.**

If you wish to cancel Vacation Care bookings **(5) five full working days written notice** is required.

PLEASE NOTE: a working day is office hours 9am to 5pm. (The day you notify us is not counted).

Once a casual booking has been made you **cannot cancel** without charge.



IMPORTANT ...USE OF PAYMENT BANKCODE

We require that you attach your I.D bank code when making direct deposit payments as we WILL NOT be held responsible for missing or misallocated payments if there is NO identifying code outlined in your fee payment description.

If you need us to resend your I.D bank code for payments, please reply email as we are happy to forward it to you again. Each service you are enrolled in requires a different I.D bank code



PAYMENT DIFFICULTIES

Parents are encouraged to discuss any difficulties that they may have in paying fees with our Main office so that suitable arrangements for payment can be made.

As per the service Fee Policy, child care fees (including vacation care) must be kept up to date.

FEES ARE DUE WEEKLY

Please schedule Fees weekly, fortnightly and monthly fees are only accepted in ADVANCE not arrears. If fees become overdue you will receive an email and a phone call to notify you to complete payment of your account immediately or care will be cancelled.



COLLECTION BUCKET

Leave us the plastic lids from your **milk, water, juice** and **soft drink** bottles and they'll be turned into prosthetic limbs for kids.

FROM THIS



TO THIS



Please clean your lids

ALL OUR CENTRES ARE COLLECTING LIDS

PLEASE DROP THEM IN!



Moved address?
New email address?
Have a new mobile phone?

Feedback
is always welcome



How can we make our newsletter even better?

What information would you like us to include?



Email any feedback to admin@mbcoosh.org.au or speak to your centre Supervisor or Main Office on 49391840

VACATION
CARE
DATES



Arts and Crafts



Movies



Cooking



Outdoors

Rutherford

Open 14th to 27th April 2020

Ashtonfield

Open 14th to 27th April 2020

Closed 24th April 2020

Thornton

Open 14th to 27th April 2020

Metford

Open 14th to 24th April.

Vacation care forms available 16 March 2020





Maitland Taste Festival.

14th and 15th March 2020.

If you are heading to taste this year keep your eyes open for some of the scarecrows/ sculptures that our children have created over the last couple of weeks, which will be on display around the Levee.

Come and join us 

Maitland Baptist Church's



Annual Family Camp

Friday 27 – Sunday 29 March, 2020
 Gloucester Caravan Park
 Contact Church office for details



Easter Services at
 Maitland Baptist Church


9am Good Friday
 Service

9am Easter Sunday
 Service

For more information
 contact the church office

(02) 4939 1888



Leap into 

LIFE

Kids Camp 2020

Years 3 to 6

**Friday 3rd April to
 Sunday 5th April
 Cost: \$130.00**

Camp Toukley, Evans Rd, Toukley
 Presented By: Maitland Baptist Church &
 Maitland Baptist Church Child Care Inc.

*"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come:
 the old is gone, the new is here"
 2 Corinthians 5:17*

Chicken Nugget Wraps

3
Serves

5
Mins Prep

Number of serves per person

Vegetables
2 1/4

Fruit
1 1/2

Grain
3/4

Protein
1

Dairy & Alternatives
1

Ingredients

Veggie Crumbed Chicken Nuggets

1 tbs extra virgin olive oil

chicken nuggets

4 wholemeal bread slices, toasted

1 cup diced cauliflower

1 cup diced sweet potato

1 cup grated parmesan

1 cup Greek-style yoghurt

500g chicken tenderloins, halved

Wraps

1 cup gem lettuce leaves

1/2 cucumber, thinly sliced

1/4 cup reduced-fat Greek yoghurt

1/4 lime, juiced

Method

1. Top lettuce leaves with chicken and cucumber.
2. In a small bowl, mix together yoghurt and lime juice and season with pepper. Store dressing in a sealed container in the lunchbox for drizzling over lettuce wraps.



or

