Hi Everyone, I hope your term is going along well.

In Week 5:
We’re continuing our curriculum focus on DINOSAURS and BONES as there seems to be much interest by the children in these areas. Thankyou for sending along some bones for the children to look at and some Dinosaur figures for the children to look talk about at ‘Talking Time’. They have resulted in some interesting questions and responses from the children and have led us to look at a book about our bodies, bones, muscles and blood vessels.

Matt Reid, Senior Nurse at the Lameroo Hospital will be visiting the children on Tuesday to share with them about being healthy, avoiding germs and careful hand washing. We look forward to his visit.

TALKING TIME (Oral Language) - Fridays
Week 6: ‘A Book I like’. Don’t forget that our ‘Talking Time’ is each Friday. Thanks for helping your child to be prepared for their turn.

NEW BUILDING EXTENSION AT THE LAMEROO KINDERGARTEN
Many of you are aware that the Federal Government, through COGS is funding a new building extension at the eastern end of the Kindergarten which will provide a new ‘Sleep room’, office space and storage area for COGS and a shared learning space for the Kindergarten children and staff. We look forward to the completion of this project, part of which has begun with the asbestos removal of the eastern wall, verandah framework, blinds and pavers. THESE ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR SALE.

We will be holding a ‘SILENT AUCTION’ of the following items if you are interested in buying them. Just put your bid into an envelope with your name on it and give it to Annita Noll. The ITEMS ARE:

- Some 22cmx22cm pavers to cover an area 5.36 metres x 7.60 metres
- A Verandah framework with ‘Track Blinds’
- An Electrolux Vacuum cleaner in good working condition (3 Years old) - (Take at own risk) - It was bought for Kindergarten use but no longer needed.
- One computer workstation (Grey melamine finish)

You are very welcome to come and have a look at the items.

Thankyou

Governig Council
Our next Governing Council Meeting will be on Tuesday, June 19. ALL WELCOME.
MORE Junk Materials
We need more boxes such as tissue or toothpaste boxes and natural items such as gum nuts, leaves and small sticks for our Making Table and Woodwork areas. Please can you keep collecting them for us? Thanks

PORTFOLIOS
We still do not have all the children’s Kindy folders called PORTFOLIOS back at Kindy yet. Please can you check that your child’s PORTFOLIO has been returned? Thanks.

ATTENDANCE REGISTER
WE HAVE AN ATTENDANCE REGISTER THAT WE ASK YOU TO SIGN EACH MORNING ON ARRIVAL AND EACH AFTERNOON WHEN LEAVING with your child. This is a new ‘National Quality Standards’ requirement for all Kindergartens. If your child travels by bus at any time, Staff will sign this register for you. The Register is kept on the grey cupboard next to the kitchen as you enter. Thanks

NEW IPOD AND DOCKING STATION
We have purchased a new IPod and Docking station for our music and audio stories at Kindy. This is proving really user friendly and already has a large proportion of our music stored on it. Our fundraising goes towards these purchases for the learning outcomes of all our wonderful children.

Have a great week!

Please feel free to talk to Ali or any of the staff if you have questions or queries.

Ali, Annita, Lisa, June and Denise.

Dates to Remember:
June 12: School Transition starts
June 19: Governing Council Meeting – 7.30PM
June 29: Last Day of Term (Early Dismissal 2.20PM–Same as School)