

August September

2026 NEWSLETTER

Important Dates...

- Monday 24th August to Friday 4th September...
 - **Bush Preschool**
See program of upcoming events for dates.
 - **Book week dress up**
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- Fri 15th June – Seniors
- Preschool photos – Tues 22nd & Thurs 24th September.
- Last day of Term 3 - Fri 25th Sept**, School Holidays are 28th Sept – 9th Oct. Preschool is Closed
- Mon 12th Oct – Term 4



Aug/Sept 2026

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for information & events:

www.springwoodpreschool.org.au



 Date	 Possums	 Wombats
Monday 24/8/26	Bush Preschool	Book week Dress up
Tuesday 25/8/26	Book week Dress up	Bush Preschool
Thursday 27/8/26	Bush Preschool	Book week Dress up
Friday 28/8/26	Book week Dress up	Bush Preschool
Monday 31/8/26	Bush Preschool Father's Day	Regular Preschool Day
Tuesday 1/9/26	Regular Preschool Day	Bush Preschool, Father's Day
Thursday 3/9/26	Bush Preschool Father's Day	Regular Preschool Day
Friday 4/9/26	Regular Preschool Day	Bush Preschool Father's Day



For this and other important dates please refer to the Calendar on our Website anytime

springwoodpreschool.org.au/calendar/

Preschool Photos are on Tuesday 22nd & Thursday 24th Sept.

Possum and Wombat children will have individual photos AND group photos in their respective class groups on **Tuesday 22nd Sept for Monday/Tuesday children**, or **Thursday 24th Sept for Thursday/Friday children**.

***NO PAYMENT is required upfront for the Original Package.** Once the photo packs arrive back at preschool for you to view and you decide to purchase them. You will then make payment direct to Fotek using their online payment system **before** taking the photos home.

***Sibling Photos:** If you have more than one child attending Preschool this year and you would like to purchase a **combined sibling photo pack** please complete the **'Shared Pack'** form that will be provided to you at preschool and return it before photo day. Details are on the order form.

***Pre Paid Family Photos:** If you would like Family photos (this can be older or younger children not attending the preschool) you will need to complete a payment envelope which can be collected from the office and book a time. Photo times are available every 5 minutes from 8:45-9:20am on Tuesday & Thursday. **Family photos are the only photos that must be paid for before the photos are taken**, the normal class & individual photos are paid after viewing the returned photo packs sometime in October.

Please check your emails regarding the photo day. We will include our **risk assessment** on 'Digital Communication Devices' which addresses Professional

photographers at preschool. We will also include Fotek School Portraits procedures for taking and storing children's photographs.

All photographers hold a **current Working with children check** and have been verified by us.

If you prefer for your child not to be photographed, there will be an **'Opt Out'** form available to indicate your preference.



The Original Pre-School Photographers

At Fotek we are dedicated to YOU!
We pride ourselves on creating the best experience for our centres and the best environment for the children that we photograph.

ORIGINAL PACKAGE 6 page photo album

 Album Cover	 1x 20x25cm colour portrait	 2x 15x10cm colour portraits	 black and white portraits
 1x 20x25cm colour portrait	 1x 20x25cm colour portrait	 Group photo - image size 14x21cm with names and the centres logo	 6 colour wallet portraits

6 page photo album

Photos may be purchased separately from \$15-\$75
Prices start at \$10



WITH PURCHASE OF THE FULL PACK for an additional \$40 receive soft copies of the **3 INDIVIDUAL IMAGES** shown in your pack uploaded to your email address





Picture Plates at Preschool

Personalised plates for keepsakes, gifts or just to add to your collection.

**Drawings to be returned to preschool by
Wednesday 16th September**

**NO LATE ORDERS ACCEPTED as the order is
placed as a bulk order.**



Cost will be \$26/ plate.

What to do now...



- **Collect a paper template/s**, take them home and have your children do their artworks.
- **Please note the tips on 'Doing the drawings'**
- **Return the finished artworks to the preschool no later than 16/9/26.**
- **Make payment into the fundraising account by 16/9/26.** Account details below. Please note plate orders must be paid for up front to be included in the order.
- **NO CASH PAYMENTS - ALL PAYMENTS TO THE FUNDRAISING ACCOUNT please:**



Name: Springwood and District Preschool Fundraising

BSB: 062601

Account: 10271785

NOTE: Please use your child's full name as reference for your payment.



**Picture
products**
since 1977

Pictureplate is the original 25cm melamine art plate, it's dishwasher-safe and tough enough to use every day—use paints, pens and photos to make a memory to treasure forever



Doing the drawings

WHAT TO USE

Create your artwork with pens, paint, craft dyes, fingers, feet, photos—the brighter the better! Pencils, crayons, highlighters, alcohol-based markers* and glitter should not be used.

* Alcohol-based graphic markers are usually high-end and purchased from art shops (Copic, Prismacolor etc). These inks bleed onto other drawings in the post.

DON'T WRITE NAMES OR DATES ALONG THE EDGES

When we produce the products, some trimming can occur—up to 0.5cm or 2cm depending on the product. While it's good to draw to the edge, write names and dates closer to the middle so they don't risk getting cut off.

Please don't draw a pencil guideline as it will be visible on the finished product.

FILLING OUT THE DRAWING PAPER FORM

In the top-right of each drawing, write the artist's name and record the quantity of each product you'd like made from that drawing.



Friendly reminder to pack a hat & a change of clothes



As the warmer weather approaches, please remember to always pack a hat for your child to play outdoors and a change of clothes, thank you!



Policies currently under review.....

- **Asthma**

[For best practice, Springwood Preschool require that all children have their asthma plan updated/reviewed every 12 months as recommended by Asthma Australia.](#)

- **Illness and Exclusion**

[No changes, just reviewing to comply with regulations.](#)

- **Medication**

[No changes, just reviewing to comply with regulations.](#)

- **Enrolment and Orientation**

[No changes, just reviewing to comply with regulations.](#)

- **Fees**

[No changes, just reviewing to comply with regulations.](#)

- **Bush Fire**

[No changes, just reviewing to comply with regulations.](#)

