From the Director:

**Learning**
Tomorrow we will be out and about in Bute. We will be visiting the children’s homes as part of growing our children’s sense of belonging to the community.

I would love to hear some feedback on our display in the IGA window.

**Earn and Learn**
Please drop your stickers in the box at Woolworths to help raise funds for our children’s resources

**Pupil Free Day**
Thursday 10th September 2015

Please mark this day on your diary. Staff will be attending the annual Early Years Conference as part of our Training and Development program.

Please note: Rural Care will still be operating.

**Staff Learning**
To continue to develop our knowledge of education and care, staff participate in a professional learning community as part of our staff meeting. The essence is so that we can continue to provide a quality service to enable children to reach their full potential. I have attached a document that reflects our learning so far.

Regards Vicki

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**Diary Dates**

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**Rural Care**

Please refer to the attached DECD Rural Care Program fee Schedule Effective 2nd February 2015. Clarification of “holding a booked care place”.

If you would like to be charged the holiday fee (50% of full fee) as an example for a public holiday, a notification of changes form must be signed prior to the day.

Due to some confusion in the past it will now be the responsibility of families to request this holiday advice. (prior to the day)

If you would like further clarification please see centre staff.