



## ERO Visit

ERO visited on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November to do their review of our Kindergarten. They spent most of the day with us and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. We had very positive remarks and no recommendations. We are waiting for the written report.

## Disco

The disco this year was held on Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> of November. This was a very enjoyable event and we had a great turnout. There was some great dancing to the beat of Justin Bieber.



## Ice Cream Making

Before our trip we made several flavors of ice cream, making the children aware that ice cream doesn't always come from the freezer or the supermarket. We talked about the ingredients and the children took turns beating and beating and beating. Then it was poured into the ice cream tub and into the freezer.



## Ice Cream Tasting

After all the work of making the ice-cream the children finally got to taste it. We made different flavours: Vanilla, Banana, Apricot and Strawberry. Some of the comments after tasting: "yum", "I need some more", "It's melting".



## Strawberry Patch

We had our visit to the Strawberry Patch on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November. We listened to Marie give a small talk about the strawberries and then it was on to the picking. It was supposed to be two for our kindy container and one for eating . . .



## Ice Cream Parlour

After the strawberry patch we moved on to the Cool Cat Ice cream parlour. We got to indulge in an ice cream then the children had a play on the playground. Then we had our lunch and back on the bus for the return trip. Many a tired child went to sleep on the trip home.



## Santa's Visit

Santa will be coming on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> of December. He will be here around 11:30 for the morning session and 2:00pm for the afternoon session.



## Merry Christmas Everyone

### Dates to Watch

Santa's Visit	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> December
Last day of Term 4	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> December
First day of 2011	Tuesday 25 <sup>h</sup> January
AGM	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> February

<b>Head Teacher</b>	Fiona Wiseman
<b>Teacher</b>	Kylie Gilmore
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## Rally Car

Jack Harlen's Pop brought in his rally car to show the children. He was dressed in his racing overalls and put on his helmet and protective gear. We were allowed to get in the car and pretend to drive. The petrol heads enjoyed him starting and stoking it up.



### Session Times

#### Morning Sessions:

Monday – Friday 8:15am – 12:30pm

#### Afternoon Sessions:

Monday	1:15pm – 3:15pm
Tuesday	1:15pm – 3:15pm
Wednesday	Administration
Thursday	1:15pm – 3:15pm
Friday	Administration