

Easter Flood Appeal

"Let's all work together to show we care for our Preschool and Kindergarten friends in Far North Queensland"



Dear Parents,

As you have seen in the media, the devastating floods across our beautiful Far North Queensland have affected many families and their communities.

We are aware that Ingham Community Kindergarten and Preschool have been significantly affected by the flooding. I have spoken to their Director, Sara Barbagallo and they are saddened to have lost their outdoor equipment from the shed and all of their plants from the renovation last year. Their service playground was completely underwater for 4 days. This service surely needs resources and support as they clean-up and repair their wonderful Kindy for children. You can see from the last photo, just how beautiful their garden was before the flood.

As staff working with and alongside children, we would like to make a purposeful contribution to this Kindergarten.

This year we are encouraging our families to engage in a community project in lieu of giving Easter gifts to teachers and children in the class. We are respectfully asking our families to donate an amount to our flood appeal that they may have previously spent on purchasing Easter treats for class friends and teachers. For example, if previously you may have spent \$10 purchasing Easter gifts, please consider donating this amount to our Easter Flood Appeal for the Ingham Community

As you donate your amount, we will have small cards for you to write a message from your family to the children and families in Ingham. Once we have collected our donations we will either purchase some resources they may need or donate the money directly to the service to be used for things such as repairs to their 'Possum Cubby'.

We are looking forward to all families participating in this project and providing our unified support to the children and families of the Ingham Community Preschool and Kindergarten.

Many thanks in anticipation of your support and generosity.

Leanne Zammit

