

July 2025

NEWSLETTER

# LITTLE ASSETS

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



**THE NEXT  
GENERATION:  
STRENGTH,  
VISION &  
LEGACY**  
**6-13 JULY 2025**

**Welcome to Our July Newsletter!**

Dear Families,

Welcome to the July edition of our Little Assets newsletter!

We'd like to extend a very warm welcome to all the new families who have recently joined our Little Assets community. We are so pleased to have you with us and look forward to sharing many special learning experiences together.

As we settle into the heart of winter, we kindly remind all families to ensure that children are dressed appropriately for the colder weather. Please pack warm jackets, raincoats, and gumboots each day so that your child can enjoy outdoor play and Bush Kinder comfortably and safely—rain or shine!

To help us keep track of belongings, we also ask that all clothing and personal items be clearly labelled with your child's name.

Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership. We look forward to a season filled with warmth, growth, and discovery!

Warm regards,  
The Little Assets Team



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# UPCOMING EVENTS

## ***Days of Celebration – July at Little Assets***

July is full of meaningful and fun days for children and educators to explore and celebrate together! We'll be recognising Plastic Free July all month long by encouraging sustainable habits and teaching children how they can care for the planet. During NAIDOC Week (6th–13th July), we will honour and celebrate the history, culture, and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples through storytelling, art, and learning activities.

Our Teddy Bears Picnic on 10th July will be a delightful day of shared stories, songs, and snacks with our favourite stuffed friends. We'll also reflect on important global days like Malala Day (12th July), Nelson Mandela Day (18th July), and World Friendship Day (30th July), promoting values of courage, kindness, and equality.

We'll enjoy a little fun and creativity too with World Rock Day (13th July), Pyjama Day (19th July), International Lamington Day (21st July), and International Cake Day, celebrating with themed activities, treats, and dress-ups!

As always, our learning will be balanced with awareness through days like World Brain Day (22nd July), World Drowning Prevention Day (25th July), Schools Tree Day (26th July), and National Tree Day (28th July), helping children connect with their health, safety, and the environment.

Let's make July a month full of learning, laughter, and meaningful connections.



The graphic features the words "PLASTIC FREE JULY" in blue and red text at the top left. Below it is a circular logo made of colorful plastic bottle caps. To the right, the word "PLASTIC" is written in large, stylized letters: the 'P' is made of electronic circuit boards, the 'L' is a bundle of colorful pens, the 'A' is a blue plastic bottle, the 'S' is a red plastic bottle, the 'T' is a silver metal T-bar, and the 'I' is a silver metal T-bar. To the right of the word "PLASTIC" is the phrase "Give up" in red text. Below "Give up" is a circular logo made of colorful buttons. At the bottom right is the website address [www.plasticfreejuly.org](http://www.plasticfreejuly.org). At the bottom, the text "for the month of July" is written in red, and "Will you take the challenge?" is written in blue.

**PLASTIC FREE JULY**

**PLASTIC**

**Give up**

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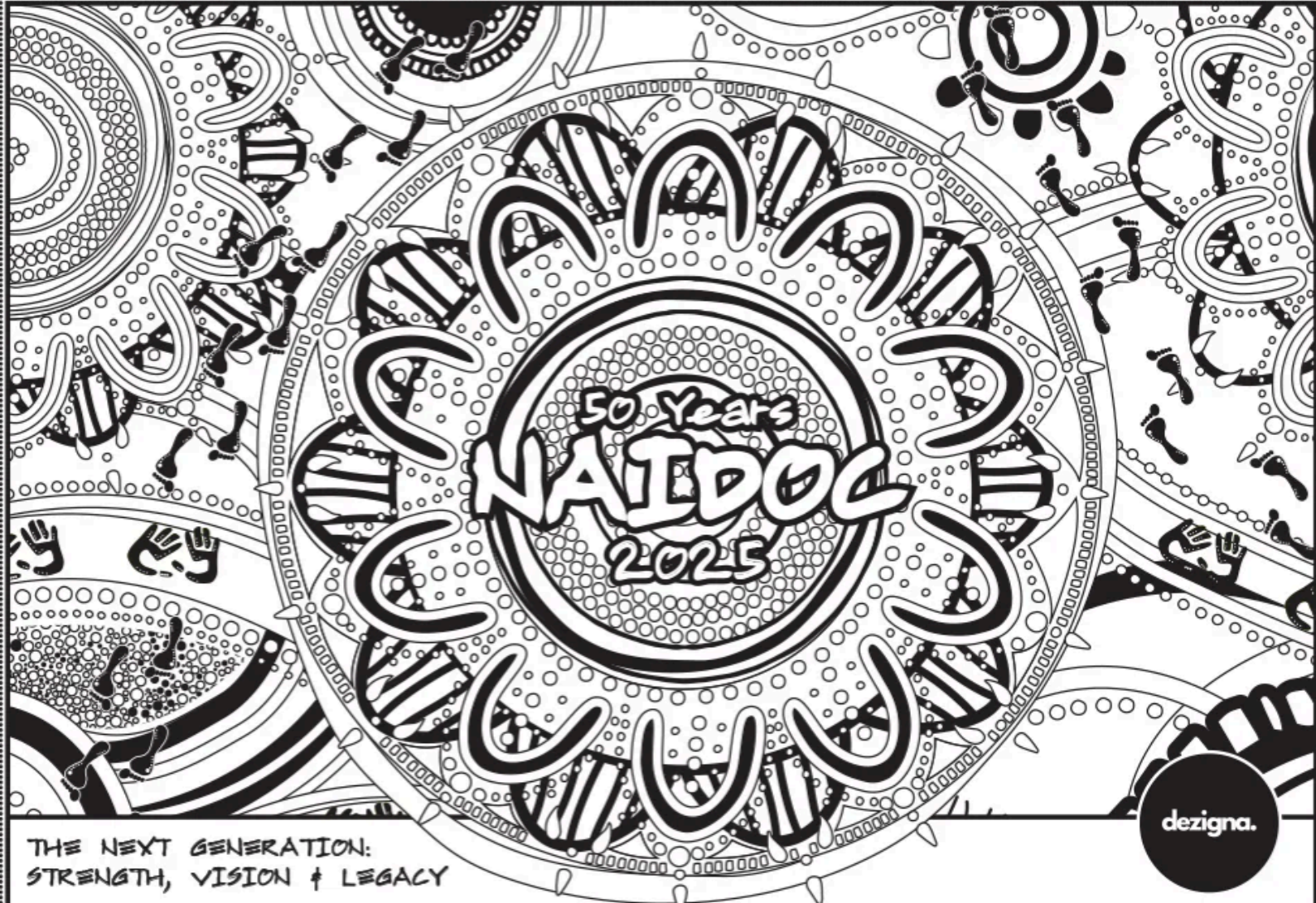
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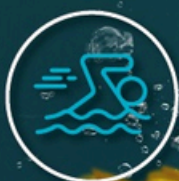


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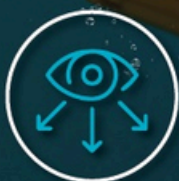
# SAVE A LIFE

## DROWNING PREVENTION STARTS WITH YOU



### Learn to Swim

Equip yourself and your kids with swimming skills. Swimming lessons save lives!



### Supervise Children

Always keep a close eye on kids near water. Never leave children unattended, even for a moment.



### No Alcohol Near Water

Avoid drinking alcohol when supervising kids around water. Stay sharp and vigilant!



### Be Aware of Surroundings

Always check weather and water conditions before swimming. Stay informed and safe!



### Use Safety Equipment

Ensure life buoys and jackets are available and used correctly. Safety gear can make a crucial difference!

World  
Drowning  
Prevention  
Day 25 July

Anyone can drown,  
no one should.

## IN THE SECONDS THAT MATTER, MAKE THE CHOICE THAT MAY SAVE A LIFE.





# Muffins

## Banana (6 pcs)

### Ingredients:

a)



1 cup flour  
1/3 cup sugar  
salt a pinch  
3/4 tsp baking soda  
1/2 cup chopped walnuts  
1 tsp cinnamon

a)  
dry

1 big ripe banana (mashed)  
1 tbsp lemonsauce  
1/4 cup oil

wet  
b)

### Method:



Preheat oven to 350 °F (180 °C).

Combine dry ingredients (a) in a bowl:  
Flour, sugar, baking powder, cinnamon,  
salt and walnuts.

Mix together wet ingredients (b)  
in another bowl:  
mashed banana,  
oil and lemonsauce.

Mix well (a) and (b) together.

Pour the batter into  
each of 6 paper bake cups.

Bake for 25 minutes,  
until the tops are lightly browned.





# 🌿 Bush Kinder is Back! Starting Monday, 21st July! 🌿

We are thrilled to announce that our much-loved Bush Kinder program is returning Monday 21st July, and will run for 6 weeks every Monday before rotating to a new day for another 6 weeks, continuing right up until the warmer weather begins!

## 🌟 What is Bush Kinder?

Bush Kinder is a magical, nature-based program that invites children to explore, learn, and play in the great outdoors. Set in a beautiful, natural environment, children are encouraged to connect with nature through unstructured play, adventure, and discovery.

Whether they're climbing logs, spotting wildlife, building cubbies, or simply listening to the sounds of the bush, children grow in confidence, creativity, resilience, and curiosity, all while developing a deep appreciation for the natural world around them.

## 🌻 Why Families Love It

Our Bush Kinder days are full of wonder, joy, and rich learning. With experienced educators guiding the way, your child will engage in sensory-rich experiences that support physical, emotional, and cognitive development. It's hands-on learning at its finest, muddy boots and all!

## 📅 Program Details:

**Starts: Monday, 21st July**

**Runs for: 6 Mondays initially, then rotates to another weekday for the next 6 weeks**

**Location: Our beautiful local bushland setting- Hawkstowe Reserve**

**Duration: 10am-11am throughout the cooler seasons.**

## 💚 Want your child to be part of the adventure?

If your child doesn't usually attend on a Monday but would love to join Bush Kinder from the start, please get in touch with management to arrange an additional day. We'd love to welcome them on this exciting journey!

**Let's get ready to explore, discover, and grow.... naturally!**







# Nature Scavenger Hunt

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☐ PINE CONE

☐ GREEN LEAF

☐ BROWN LEAF

☐ WILDFLOWER

☐ SPIDER WEB

☐ FEATHER

☐ BUG

☐ SEED

☐ GRASS

☐ PINE NEEDLES



☐ BIRD

☐ WATER

☐ CLOUD

☐ FLYING INSECT

☐ ROUND ROCK

☐ COLORFUL ROCK

☐ ROUGH OBJECT

☐ SMOOTH OBJECT

☐ FALLEN BRANCH

☐ TREASURE (TO YOU)



NATIONAL  
**PYJAMA  
DAY**







There is no such thing  
as a perfect parent  
so just be a real one.

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*Thank you....*

Dear Little Assets Families,

Thank you for all reading 2025 newsletter.  
We appreciate your time and engagement.

Warm regards,  
The Little Assets Team

