

August 2025

NEWSLETTER

# LITTLE ASSETS

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



## Welcome to Our August Newsletter!

Dear Families,

*We're so pleased to welcome you into another exciting month at South Morang! As we move through Term 3, it's been truly wonderful to witness the amazing learning happening across our classrooms and learning spaces. From curious questions to creative projects and growing confidence, our children continue to inspire us every day with their enthusiasm and love of learning.*

*August brings fresh opportunities for growth, connection, and community. We're looking forward to sharing special moments with you throughout the month, whether it's through classroom experiences, upcoming events, or simply celebrating the small wins along the way. Thank you for being such a valued part of our South Morang community, we can't wait to see what this month holds!*

## How will you science this National Science Week?



💡 **national science week**  
**9–17 AUGUST 2025**  
[scienceweek.net.au](http://scienceweek.net.au) [#scienceweek](https://twitter.com/scienceweek)

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## 🌸 August Events at Little Assets 🌸

August is a month full of meaningful celebrations and educational opportunities, and we're excited to share all that's coming up with our Little Assets community! From cultural awareness and science exploration to animal appreciation and acts of kindness, there's something to spark curiosity and joy in every child.

## 🌍 Ongoing Events Throughout August

**Happiness Happens Month:** All month long, we'll embrace joy in everyday moments from laughter with friends to small acts of kindness.

**Platypus Month:** This uniquely Australian creature will take centre stage in nature play and learning experiences.

## 📅 Key Dates to Note

**1st August – World Day of Joy:** We'll kick off the month with smiles, music, and joyful activities that highlight what happiness means to us.

**4th August – National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Children's Day**

A special day to celebrate the culture, identity, and strength of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children. We'll be incorporating storytime, art, and music to honour this important occasion.

**5th – 11th August – Keep Australia Beautiful Week**

This week focuses on caring for our environment. Children will explore recycling, nature walks, and sustainability through play.

**7th – 13th August – Dental Health Week**

We'll promote healthy habits through fun brushing routines, stories, and educational activities about caring for our teeth.

**8th August – Animal Appreciation Day**

It's a purr-fect day to celebrate.

**9th – 17th August – National Science Week**

Get ready for some hands-on fun with experiments, explorations, and discovery-led learning to spark those curious minds!

**16th – 23rd August – Book Week**

One of our favourites! We'll explore the joy of storytelling, dress-up days, and magical tales. Stay tuned for special storytime sessions!







## 18 months to 6 years

Brush with kids' fluoride toothpaste and floss between teeth that touch. Have regular dental visits.

18 months



# Help kids reach every **S**milestone. 😊

## **Birth to first tooth**

Clean gums  
with a soft  
damp cloth.



4-10 AUG 2025

**DENTAL  
HEALTH  
WEEK** 😊



For more information visit  
[dentalhealthweek.org.au](https://dentalhealthweek.org.au)

 **Teeth**  
.org.au

BROUGHT  
TO YOU BY







PREP: 25 min | COOK: 40 min | SERVES: 4

WOOLWORTHS

## PORK & APPLE SAUSAGE ROLLS

- 2 tsp olive oil
- 1 large carrot, peeled & grated
- ½ large fennel bulb, trimmed & grated
- 1 green apple, grated

STAGE 1

- 500g extra lean pork mince
- ¾ cup fresh wholegrain breadcrumbs
- 1 egg
- 1 cup fresh parsley, finely chopped
- 1 tbsp dijon mustard

STAGE 2

- 2 sheets frozen puff pastry, thawed
- 1 tsp fennel seeds, crushed
- 1 egg

01 Preheat oven to 200°C.

02 Heat oil in a large frypan over medium high heat. Add remaining **stage 1** ingredients and cook for 8 minutes, or until liquid has evaporated.

03 Transfer frypan mixture to a bowl to cool. Once cooled add **stage 2** ingredients. Season and mix together well.

04 Cut pastry sheets in half. Shape ¼ of mince mixture into a log the same length as the pastry. Place onto pastry and roll over to enclose filling. Repeat with remaining mixture. Cut each roll into 4.

05 Transfer sausage rolls to a lined tray. Beat remaining egg in a small bowl. Brush rolls with egg and sprinkle with fennel seeds. Bake for 30 minutes or until golden.



# DECODING THE UNIVERSE

RESOURCE BOOK OF IDEAS



**national  
science  
week** 2025  
8 - 17 AUGUST

*Exploring the unknown with  
nature's hidden language*



AUSTRALIAN  
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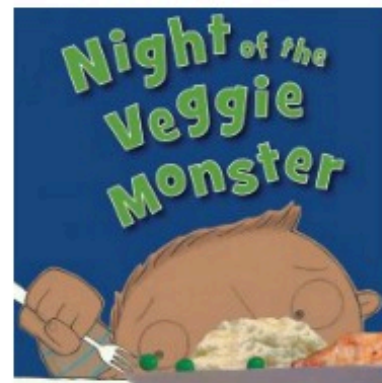
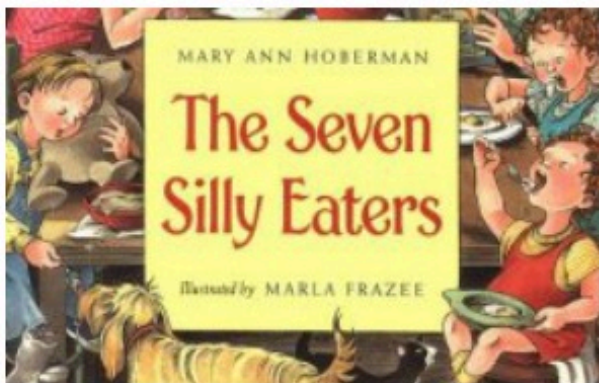
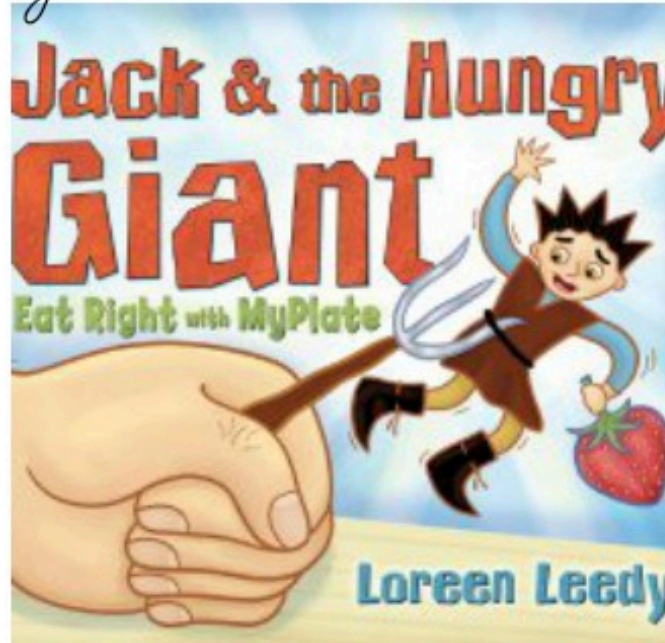
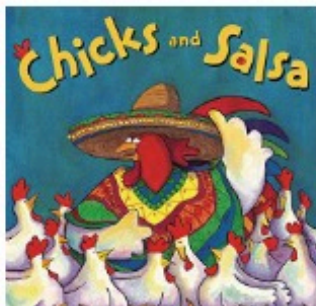
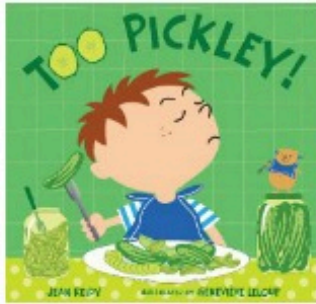
An Australian Government Initiative





# Picky Eaters

*Books to Encourage Kids  
to Try New Foods*







*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

