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A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dear Valued Clients and Team,

Welcome to the very first edition of our Butterfly House Project Pty Ltd Newsletter! It brings me great joy and pride to share this exciting milestone with you all.

This newsletter marks the beginning of a new chapter in how we connect, share stories, celebrate achievements, and keep everyone informed about what's happening within our growing community. Whether you're a client, a family member, or a dedicated member of our team — this space is for you.

We have many new and exciting adventures on the horizon. From fresh programs and workshops to community events and innovative initiatives, we are committed to making each step forward more meaningful and impactful for everyone involved.

Thank you for being part of our journey. Your trust, support, and dedication are the heart of everything we do. Here's to new beginnings and a future filled with growth, connection, and shared success.

Warm regards,



Lisa Barker
Director
Butterfly House Project Pty Ltd



Hello! I'm AMY

Birthday: 22 Nov 1994

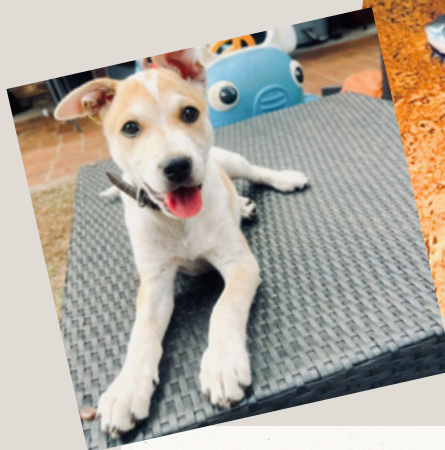
Zodiac Sign: Sagittarius

Favourite Colour: Sage green
and all types of pink

ABOUT ME

I'm a devoted young mum of five (4 girls and a boy) who embraces the chaos and beauty of life with an open heart who occasionally has a meltdown from time to time, that's because I'm human and I'm still learning to juggle all the commitments in life!

But through all the chaos and challenges, rather than making plans, I thrive on spontaneous adventures and activities even impulse thoughts, knowing that the best moments often come unplanned. With a passion for making the most of every day big or small, I approach life with energy, love, a chance of peace and a willingness to embrace whatever comes my way.



THINGS I LOVE



- My family I created
- Spontaneous adventures
- All types of sunsets
- Tattoos

MORE ABOUT ME


I'm a reptile mum to a Bearded Dragon (Stephen), Turtle (Crush) and Python (Swiper), and my fur baby is a dingo (Brandy). I love My jet ski, sunsets, and seeing the smiles and eyes light up on my children's faces. My hobbies are all sorts of Creativity - Design/ Art, Photography, journaling, and following inspirational/ motivational quotes. My motto is "It is what it is"– because some things are beyond your control, and sometimes, life just unfolds as it will.




MARCH *Birthdays*



1st Robbie.B
8th Aiden.K
8th Shane.T
9th Patricia.P
10th Libby.K
12th Metin.B
14th Marie.M
16th Ashlee.K
16th Taneesha.W
17th Toby.K
17th Tricia.B
18th Kimberly.C
20th Claire.F



Wishing you a day filled with love,
laughter, and all your heart's desires
on your special day!



COLOURING BOOKLET





Wild Animals

WORD SEARCH

Can you find the months hidden in the puzzle?
Once you find them, say or write them in order.



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E	C	T	S	B	O	C	A	O	S	E	D
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T	M	O	N	K	E	Y	R	Y	A	E	Y

BEAR

MOUSE

ELEPHANT

RHINO

TIGER

PARROT

SQUIRREL

HIPPO

LION

GIRAFFE

MONKEY

ZEBRA

WHAT'S ON

April

4th

Toowoomba Fire Circle
Queen's Park Amphitheatre



5th

Harmony Day Picnic
Grand Central Shopping Centre



7th

Coffee Catch Up
Shingle Inn



18th-21st

Easter Weekend



25th

Anzac Day & Dawn
Service



26th

Goombungee-Haden
Agricultural Show



April 2025

Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

NDIS UPDATES

NEW ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES



Eligibility Reassessment Process

We've heard your concerns about the eligibility reassessment process from both participants and sector representatives.

To improve the experience, we've made immediate changes, including clearer reassessment letters and a fact sheet. These outline the types of information you may wish to provide and explain that you have 90 days to do so.

These changes aim to reduce confusion and ensure you can share information we can't get elsewhere.

This is just the next step in responding to feedback from the disability community.

NDIS online data updated

The NDIA has updated data on the [NDIS website](#), now current as at 31 December 2024.

This data is useful to anyone wanting to understand the NDIS in more detail. Information can be searched by area of interest, including participant numbers, plan budgets, providers, markets and plan utilisation.

Find updated data at:

- [Datasets](#)
- [Participant dashboards](#)
- [Quarterly report supplements](#)
- [SDA demand data](#)

Events

Did you know we have an ongoing roster of events and information sessions about the NDIS?

Topics range from introduction to the NDIS, to learning about recent changes to legislation.

To find out about information sessions and events near you, visit our [Events page](#). You can filter by a topic that's important to you, or events close to you or online.

UPDATED PRIVACY POLICY AND NEW ANIMATED VIDEO

We're committed to protecting the privacy of all participants and providers in how we handle, use and share personal information.

We have updated the [NDIA Privacy Policy](#). We have also created a new [animated video](#) that explains the Privacy Policy, so it is easier to understand.

Keep a look out for the video on our social media channels in the coming weeks.



09:00

MONDAY, 24 MARCH

REMINDERS

Staff! Our renewed Policies & Procedures will be sent out, so remember to read, sign & send back!

REMINDERS

Everyone! During office hours, please contact reception for assistance instead of calling individual departments directly. This helps ensure your query is directed correctly and avoids disruptions.

AFFIRMATION

I am a magnet for all that is good in this universe



Hello, my name is

KARA GORDON

My Hobbies: Cooking,
Art, Photography and
Gaming

Zodiac Sign: Virgo

Four things I love: my family
including my nieces and
nephews and grandparents, my
animals, travelling and my
friends

ABOUT ME

I moved a lot in Queensland and New South Wales as my father was in the defence force I have two sisters and was born out in Roma where I love to go to see family especially my grandfather and used to help him with the rubbish run in Roma there's a lot of times where I can be absolutely hilarious but I am a very caring person as well

FAVOURITE QUOTES

If all you're doing is remembering the past there's something wrong with your life - Nikki sixx

when people hurt you over and over think of them like sandpaper, they may scratch you and hurt you a bit but in the end you end up polished and they end up useless - Andy Biersack.

FAVOURITE COLORS



MY PET



HAKU

I have my black-and-white cat Haku (which is the name of the water dragon from spirited away) I have a yellow cockatiel named Tinkerbelle from Peter Pan, a black and brown guinea pig named Mushu from Mulan, another black guinea pig named Lilo from Lilo and Stitch and I have Mushu's daughter Cloud who will be finding a forever home soon.

FUN FACTS:

I CAN BE SHY WITH PEOPLE. I DON'T KNOW.

I'M GOOD AT COOKING.

I'M NOT AFRAID TO GET MY HANDS DIRTY
ESPECIALLY WHEN IT COMES TO RUBBISH
THANKS TO MY PAPA I LOVE GOING FISHING
AND CAMPING

Achievements

Client Achievement



Colleen Singleton came to Butterfly House Project with a clear and determined goal — to find meaningful employment. Through her hard work, perseverance, and dedication, Colleen has now successfully achieved that goal, securing a job that reflects her strengths and determination. We at Butterfly House Project are incredibly proud of her accomplishment and inspired by her journey. Colleen's success is a true testament to what can be achieved with the right support and an unwavering belief in oneself. Congratulations, Colleen!

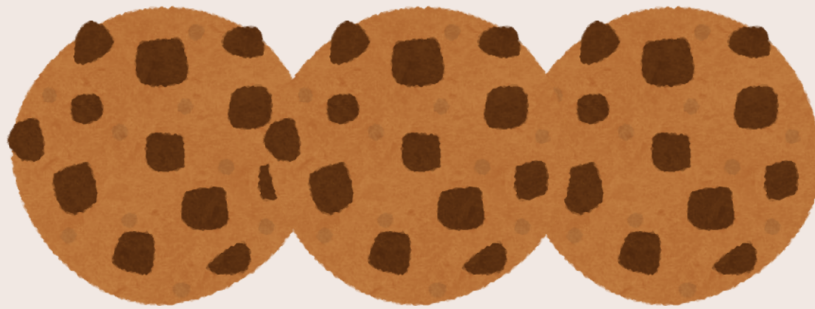
Employee of the Month

We are thrilled to announce Rosemaree Price as Butterfly House Project's Employee of the Month! She consistently goes above and beyond in delivering compassionate, person-centred support to our participants. Rosemaree Price embodies our values of respect, integrity, and dedication, and their positive attitude and commitment to making a difference truly shine. Thank you for your outstanding work and the incredible impact you continue to make in our community. Well done!



RECIPE

MINI CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES



Ingredients:

1. Butter (softened): 1 cup
2. Sugar: 1 cup
3. Vanilla extract: 1 teaspoon
4. Eggs: 2
5. Baking powder: 2 teaspoons
6. All-purpose flour: 4 cups
7. Chocolate chips: 1 cup

Steps:

Preparing the Cookie Dough

1. Preheat Your Oven: Start by preheating your oven to 350°F (175°C). This ensures that your Mini Cookies Recipe bake evenly.
2. Cream the Butter and Sugar: In a large mixing bowl, combine 1 cup of softened butter and 1 cup of sugar. Using an electric mixer, beat them together until the mixture is light and fluffy. This should take about 3-5 minutes.
3. Add Eggs and Vanilla: Crack 2 eggs into the mixture and add 1 teaspoon of vanilla extract. Mix well until all ingredients are fully incorporated.

Mixing the Dry Ingredients

1. Combine Dry Ingredients: In a separate bowl, whisk together 2 teaspoons of baking powder and 4 cups of all-purpose flour. This helps to evenly distribute the baking powder throughout the flour.
2. Gradually Add Flour Mixture: Slowly add the flour mixture to the wet ingredients, mixing on low speed. This helps prevent flour from flying everywhere. Continue mixing until a dough forms.
3. Fold in Chocolate Chips: Once the dough is formed, gently fold in 1 cup of chocolate chips using a spatula. Make sure the chips are evenly distributed throughout the dough.

Shaping and Baking the Cookies

1. Prepare Baking Sheets: Line your baking sheets with parchment paper. This prevents the Mini Cookies Recipe from sticking and makes cleanup easier.
2. Scoop the Dough: Using a small cookie scoop or a tablespoon, drop rounded balls of dough onto the prepared baking sheets. Leave enough space between each cookie, as they will spread while baking.
3. Bake the Cookies: Place the baking sheets in the preheated oven and bake for 10-12 minutes, or until the edges are lightly golden. The centers may look slightly underbaked, but they will firm up as they cool.
4. Cool the Cookies: Once baked, remove the cookies from the oven and let them cool on the baking sheets for about 5 minutes. Then, transfer them to a wire rack to cool completely.

Storage Tips

- Store in an Airtight Container: Keep your mini cookies fresh by storing them in an airtight container at room temperature. They should stay delicious for up to a week.
- Freezing: You can also freeze the baked Mini Cookies Recipe. Place them in a freezer-safe bag or container, and they will last for up to three months. Thaw them at room temperature before serving.



Feel the Charge!

Please support our amazing employee and help make every KM count!



Kayla Lampe



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