

Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Early
Childhood Sector Advisory Group



Annual NSW Aboriginal Early Childhood Education Conference 2010

PROGRAM

20—22 April 2010

Crowne Plaza Terrigal



Australian Government
Department of Education, Employment
and Workplace Relations

**Day One - Tuesday 20th April
Grand Ballroom**

TIME	PROGRAM ITEM	PRESENTER
8.00am	Sign-In	HAWKESBURY LOBBY
9.00am	Welcome to Country	Brownyn Chambers
9.10am	Local Performance	Gorokan High School Aboriginal Dance
9.30am	Housekeeping	Jasmin Speedy—Conference Coordinator
9.35am	Conference Welcome	Delma Davison—ATISECSAG President
9.40am	Conference Address	Hon. Linda Burney Minister for Community Services
10.00am	Youth Speaker	Willuri Kirkbright Burney
10.20am	ATSI ECSAG AGM	Larry Trudgett, Returning Officer
11.00am	Morning Tea	
12.30pm	DEEWR Speaker	Janine Pitt State Manager, DEEWR NSW/ACT
1.15pm	LUNCH	
2.15pm	DEEWR Managers Workshops	DEEWR Regional Managers
3.15pm	AFTERNOON TEA	
3.45pm	RECREATION TIME	(FREE TIME)
6.00pm	CONFERENCE DINNER SPEAKER: Matthew Doyle	GRAND BALLROOM

Day Two - Wednesday 21st April - Workshops

Session 1 - 9.00 -10.30am	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Smartboard	Smartboard	Henry Kendall 1
Strengthening the Human Spirit	Neville Dywer	Henry Kendall 2
Digital Story Telling	Caroline Glass-Patterson	Avoca
Keeping Them Safe	DOCS	Terrigal
Small Play Spaces	Annette Sax & Priscilla Reid-Loynes	Wamberal
Cognitive Development	Maureen Silleri	Forresters
DET—The Best Start Assessment	Cheree Dean	Macmasters
Kinship Games	Laurel Williams	Lilikoi Lounge
Keeping it Simple and Industrial Relations	Catherine Chen /Rae Hamilton	Coolcourt 1
Wikispace for Preschools	Becca Meldrum	Coolcourt 2
10.30AM - 11.30AM - MORNING TEA -		
Session 2 - 11.00am - 12.30pm	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Relaxation	Patrice Thomas	Henry Kendall 1
Developing Pre Literacy Skills	Gwendalyn Webb	Henry Kendall 2
Multi-sensory systematic synthetic phonics - a case	Timothy Doherty	Avoca
Keeping them Safe	DOCS	Terrigal
Parent and Community engagement	Lea Sutherland and Amanda Tighe	Wamberal
Early Literacy	Kaye Crook	Forresters
Belonging, Being and Becoming	Cheree Dean	Macmasters
How to engage your child	Tammy Anderson	Lilikoi Lounge
Using Visuals in the Classroom	Darren Parker	Coolcourt 1
Little Yarns	Emma Beckett and Ruth Davis	Coolcourt 2
12.30PM - 1.30PM - LUNCH -		
Session 3 - 1.30pm - 3.00pm	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Key Learning Centres (EYLS)	Janet Jensen	Henry Kendall 1
Value of Play	Neville Dwyer	Henry Kendall 2
Spin a Yarn	Annette Sax & Priscilla Reid-Loynes	Avoca
Smart Board	Smart Board	Terrigal
Song and Dance	Maureen Silleri	Wamberal
Respecting Tradition	Lee Townsend	Forresters
Aboriginal Language	Noeleen Briggs Smith	Macmasters
Kinship Games	Laurel Williams	Lilikoi Lounge
KIS Keeping it Simple Workshop 2	Catherine Chen	Coolcourt 1
A Thinking Curriculum for Preschools	Becca Meldrum	Coolcourt 2
3.00PM - AFTERNOON TEA & RECREATION TIME		
6.30PM - JO PENDER FUNDRAISING DINNER - GRAND BALLROOM		

Day Three –Thursday 22 April - Workshops

Session 1 - 9.00 -10.30am	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Aboriginal Consultation Model Wood Report	Angela Webb	Henry Kendall 1
Strengthening the Human Spirit	Neville Dwyer	Henry Kendall 2
Digital Story Telling	Caroline Glass-Patterson	Avoca
Keeping Them Safe	DOCS	Terrigal
Small Play Spaces	Annette Sax & Patricia Reid-Loynes	Wamberal
Cognitive Development	Maureen Silleri	Forresters
DET—The Best Start Assessment	Cheree Dean	Macmasters
Kinship Games	Laurel Williams	Lilikoi Lounge
Keeping it Simple and Industrial Relations	Catherine Chen /Rae Hamilton	Coolcourt 1
Wikispace for Preschools	Becca Meldrum	Coolcourt 2
10.30AM - 11.30AM - MORNING TEA -		
Session 2 - 11.00am - 12.30pm	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Relaxation	Patricia Thomas	Henry Kendall 1
Developing Pre Literacy Skills	Gwendalyn Webb	Henry Kendall 2
Multi-sensory systematic synthetic phonics - a case	Timothy Doherty	Avoca
Keeping them Safe	DOCS	Terrigal
Parent and Community engagement	Lea Sutherland and Amanda Tighe	Wamberal
Early Literacy	Kaye Crook	Forresters
Belonging, Being and Becoming	Cheree Dean	Macmasters
How to engage your child	Tammy Anderson	Lilikoi Lounge
Using Visuals in the Classroom	Darren Parker	Coolcourt 1
Little Yarns	Emma Beckett and Ruth Davis	Coolcourt 2
12.30PM - 1.30PM - LUNCH -		
Session 3 - 1.30pm - 3.00pm	Presenter/s	Breakout Room
Key Learning Centres (EYLS)	Janet Jensen	Henry Kendall 1
Value of Play	Neville Dwyer	Henry Kendall 2
Road Safety in an Emergent Curriculum	Laura Stone	Avoca
Establishment of Family Child Centres	Janet Schorer	Terrigal
Spin a Yarn	Annette Sax & Priscilla Reid-Loynes	Wamberal
Respecting Tradition	Lee Townsend	Forresters
Aboriginal Language	Noeleen Briggs Smith	Macmasters
Song and Dance	Maureen Silleri	Lilikoi Lounge
KIS Keeping it Simple -Workshop 2	Catherine Chen	Coolcourt 1
A Thinking Curriculum for Preschools	Becca Meldrum	Coolcourt 2