Parent Notification
European Wasps have been sighted at our Centre

Actions taken to minimize threat
* Contact has been made with City of Victor Harbor Council to see if any nests located recently. We have notified them of the presence of wasps at our Kindergarten
* If wasps are swarming, the local pest control will be notified to provide assistance and set traps.
* Fruit time and lunch time held indoors
* Water play limited – it attracts the wasps.
* Outside area is checked for potential food sources – compost bins, fruit, water,
* Information provided to the children through stories and discussion. Children are encouraged to identify wasps and alert adults at kindergarten where wasps are present.
* Children are taught that they must tell an adult if they are hurt in any way by insects in the yard.

First Aid Procedures:
* Cold pack applied to area of bite.
* Parents notified
* If swelling appears, medical advice sought immediately

Children’s health information must be kept up to date in case of allergic reactions or any medical conditions that may be affected.

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