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MCC Newsletter (July to September 2023) Special Edition

CHINESE MID-AUTUMN MOON FESTIVAL



On the 22nd of September, MCC's Director (Volunteer) Mrs. Jeannie Mok OAM and the MCC team organised the Chinese Mid-Autumn Moon Festival hosted by the PRC Consulate General. Children from schools around Brisbane were invited to spend the afternoon participating in various activities. These activities included Fan-Painting, Paper Cutting Demonstrations, Lantern Making and the event's highlight _ Making and eating 'Snow Mooncakes'. There was also a storytelling competition where student was invited to submit an entry of their storytelling skills by telling a story about the Legend of the Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival. Many great prizes for our winners of the competition. It was a successful event and a fun afternoon for those who were able to attend.

TECHNICOLOUR MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL 2023!





This year **Multicultural Community Centre** hosted its signature '**Technicolor Multicultural Festival**', with the theme '**Around the World**' celebrating its 11th year anniversary. This festival brought over a thousand people together from many communities, to enjoy a spectacular day of fun for the whole family. This diversity was thus expressed in many ways, particularly through live performances by very talented individuals and groups. There was a large selection of food from different cuisines, like Spanish, Malaysian, Korean and Thai to choose from, not forgetting the delicious sweets and cakes at the coffee shop. The children had plenty of activities: Giants Slides and Giant obstacle courses, a Trackless Train, Bungee Jumping, a Lego exhibition, a Pop-up library a petting zoo, etc.

MCC was graced with the presence of a number of special guests, including Lord Mayor Adrian Schrinner and Lady Mayoress Nina Schrinner, Councillor Andrew Wines, Consul General from the PRC Consulate and many community leaders. It was an extraordinary day enjoyed by all. A special 'thank you' goes to Mrs Jeannie Mok OAM, MCC's Director (Volunteer), Honey Binny, Project Coordinator, Dr Julian Mok and the SQW-funded trainees for the festival and MCC's dedicated staff, volunteers and sponsors for a successful event.

MCC GRADUATION 2023





MCC held its annual Graduation in July this year. It was a great occasion for our graduates to see their course mates again and celebrate together the success they have achieved. A total of 70 graduates were invited to attend the annual graduation. These graduates were made up of graduates from our Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care, Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability & Ageing) as well as our Work Skills Traineeship Program all funded by the Skilling Queenslanders for Work government funding.

We were graced with the presence of some very special guests such as Lady Mayoress Nina Schrinner, Mr. Jimmy Sullivan MP, Mr. Timothy Mander MP, Mr. John-Paul Langbroek MP and representatives from the Department of Employment and Small Business and Training and many community leaders to witness MCC's 2022 Annual Graduation. Overall a very successful event.

Lord Mayors Citizenship Ceremony



MCC's Director (Volunteer) Mrs. Jeannie Mok OAM attending the Lord Mayor's Citizenship Ceremony reception with Helena from Ukraine. Helena was a participant in MCC's Work Skills Traineeship Program, she now works for the Ukrainian Community.



MCC's Director (Volunteer) Mrs Jeannie Mok OAM and MCC project Coordinator Honey Binny photographed with Lord Mayor Adrian Schinner at the Citizenship Ceremony in July 2023.

MCC'S COURSES & PROGRAMS 2024

CERTIFICATE III IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION & CARE-CHC30121



Certificate III in Early Childhood Education & Care-CHC30121

**Enrolment
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February 2024

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Next Intake Start Date: February 2024

(date to be advised)

No Cost to Eligible Participants!!*

Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care (CHC30121)

The Multicultural Community Centre (MCC) in partnership with Asian Pacific Institute (RTO No.6153) offers this course for those seeking a career in the childcare industry.

The Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care runs for 23 weeks including practical placement in a childcare centre. Essential knowledge and skills will be assessed through written work, practical tasks and industry placement.

This course is nationally recognised, and upon completion, students will gain the necessary knowledge and skills to work as a Nanny, Assistant in a Childcare Centre, Playgroup Supervisor, Family Day Care Worker, or Mobile Assistant.

Under this training, students from culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds will receive language support (if required) to enable students to work through their notes and prepare for assessment.

For more information about this course, please visit the API website: <https://www.apinstitute.qld.edu.au/courses/chc30121-certificate-iii-in-early-childhood-education-care-2/>

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CERTIFICATE III IN INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT (DISABILITY & AGEING)

Certificate III in Individual Support

Disability & Ageing

Next Intake starting february 2024

A unique combination of course of units in
Aged Care and Disability Care

6 Weeks of work experience in aged care and
disability services centres arranged by us

Specially designed for Culturally and
Linguistically Diverse background students

NO FEE
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Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing, Disability) (CHC33015)

The Multicultural Community Centre (MCC) in conjunction with Asian Pacific Institute (RTO No.6153) is offering this course for those wishing to gain entry into the aged care and disability support industry. The Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing, Disability) runs for 16 weeks full-time including both 10 weeks of in-class lectures and 6 weeks of mandatory practical placement with an aged care facility and a disability services agency (minimum 120 hours).

Essential knowledge and skills will be assessed through written work, practical tasks and industry placement.

This course is nationally recognised, and upon completion, students will gain the necessary knowledge and skills to work as an Assistant in Nursing (AIN), a Personal Care Assistant (PCA) in an Aged Care Facility, a Community support Worker, a Home Care Assistant or a Community Care Worker.

Students aspiring to continue with further study can upgrade to the Certificate IV in Ageing Support or Certificate IV in Disability Support, or diversify into other fields within Community Services. Students can also advance into Diploma level studies or other health care professions such as Nursing at a tertiary level.

Under this training, students from culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) backgrounds will be able to receive language support (if required) to enable students to work through their notes and to prepare for assessment.

For more information about this course, please visit Asian Pacific Institute: <https://www.apinstitute.qld.edu.au/courses/chc33015-certificate-iii-in-individual-support-ageing/>

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- Free career coaching
- Accredited training
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