A Warm Welcome To the Newest Member Of Your Family.



Every parent knows the love and joy that comes with a new born baby. It is one of the greatest feelings one can have. Also with the love and joy comes the immense sense of responsibility that is now theirs. It is up to the parents to keep this responsibility to themselves or to share it with their family and friends.

Like any new parent, the feeling of wanting to introduce the child to the people they hold dear is high on the list.

To help welcome the little one to their new world, a naming ceremony is held. This ceremony officially welcomes the child to his/her family, friends and world. The ceremony shows the importance of the name given to the child, the vows that the parents take to care and love for him/her and the appointment of Godparents/Mentors.

There are many inclusions that can be held with this ceremony. The lighting of a candle to represent to warmth that will surround the child and the warmth that the child will illuminate back to others, a time capsule, readings/poems, a wish box, balloon release and many others.

Although a naming ceremony is mainly used to welcome the newborn, it can be used to welcome a child to a new family, whether the child be adopted or from a previous marriage. This helps that child realise that they ARE a very important member of their new family.

A naming ceremony usually costs \$220.00.

Other fees may include:

- 1. travel if over 100km for a return journey from my residence
- 2. P.A. system hire if required (I charge \$50)
- 3. Tolls and parking
- 4. •Other special inclusion requested by parents.