



# HAPPY HAVEN Northfield

## Vacation Care Program

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The Happy Haven OSHC Vacation Care program provides a warm, caring, fun, stimulating and interesting environment, full of exciting activities and excursions for your children to enjoy during their school holidays. Please ensure you read all the information provided on the program & the consent forms to help you and your children have a trouble free, fun and successful holiday.

**We are open 6:45am-6:15pm.** We implement a late pick up fee policy, which is \$25.00 per family for the first 15mins late and \$60.00 thereafter. Please phone and let us know if you are going to be late.

### Fees:

- **\$60.00 per child per day**
- Childcare Subsidy (CCS) is income and means tested, please contact Family Assistance Office (FAO) on Ph: 136 150 to be assessed.
- Payment of fees is by Direct Debit and this is processed a week in arrears

### Cancellation Policy:

- Notification of cancellations for **any** vacation care days, **must be made two weeks prior to the day that has been booked.** Cancellations after this date will incur a full fee. This amount will be less your CCS and recorded as an absent day. *Note:* Children are approved up to 42 absence days per financial year, once used full fees will apply.

### Excursions:

- Excursion times are approximate – please ensure all children are at OSHC by the scheduled departure time or you risk missing the excursion. Buses cannot wait for children who arrive after the time listed on the excursion day in the program outline below.
- The children do not need any extra money for excursions as the cost is included in our fees – however spending money is allowed on certain days. *No spending money is permitted these holidays.*
- Please send a hat, suitable clothes (SunSmart) and shoes (sneakers), lunch and water bottle for all excursions. Thongs, sandals etc. are not recommended for play. If a child arrives without a hat on an excursion day, one will be charged to your account, and your child will be provided a hat with their name written in it to keep for future excursions.
- For many of our excursions, we join together with children from other Happy Haven run sites.
- We adhere to educator: child ratios, as determined by an individual risk assessment conducted for each excursion. These are available on the site iPad, in the parent area.

### General Information:


- Please encourage your child to read and prepare for Vacation Care days so they are well prepared for the activities.
- Please send your child with a **packed recess, lunch & water bottle.** Children are usually very active during the holidays and may also require extra fuel to keep them going. Please do not send your children with lunches that need to be heated or cooked, we cannot heat or cook any food due to WH&S restrictions.
- Please label all personal items so that they can be easily identified.
- We will provide breakfast (before 8:00am) and snacks on certain days (this should be as extra, not a substitute). If snack is provided, it will be listed on the program.

Please contact us for any further information. Extra copies of the program are available online.

Warm Regards,

*Nick Michalak and Nicholas Smith*



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## FOOTY COLOURS DAY

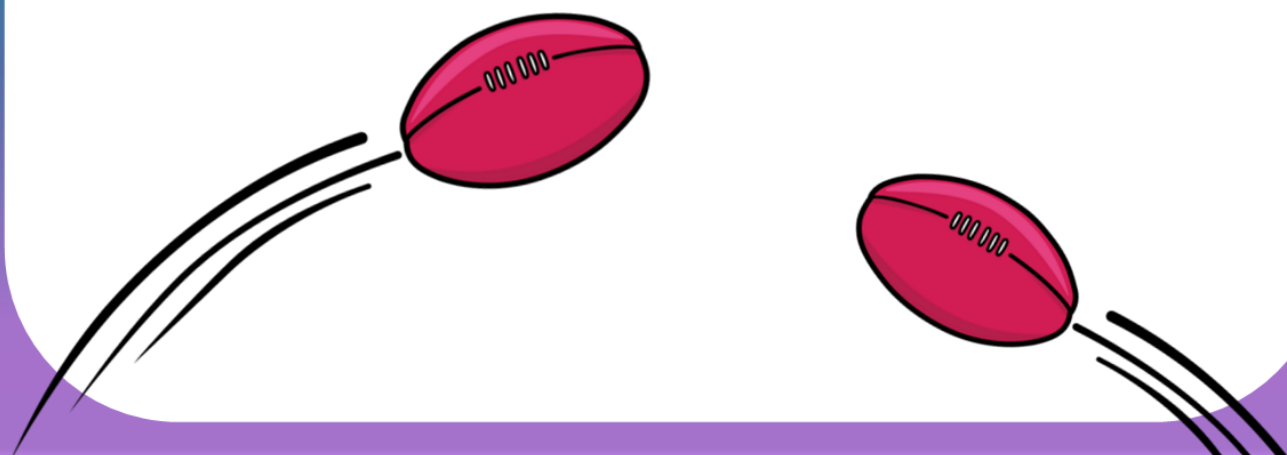
Friday 2nd October

## GOLD COIN DONATION




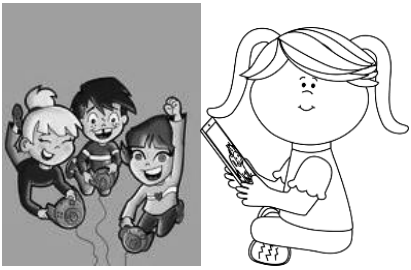

Come in your favourite footy team colours for the day.

This can be wearing colour in your hair, the team's merchandise gear or clothing in the colour of your

favourite footy team!



# Northfield OSHC Sep/Oct 2020 Vacation Care Program: Week 1

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| <p><b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September</b><br/><b>EXCURSION</b><br/><b>Cleland Wildlife Park</b></p>    | <p>Please arrive by: <b>9:00am</b>   Return time: <b>4:00pm</b></p> <p><b>Menu: Afternoon Tea</b> – Fruit and Vegetable Platter</p> <p><b>Standard 5.1.1 Positive educator to child interactions:</b> Responsive and meaningful interactions build trusting relationships which engage and support each child to feel secure, confident, and included.</p> <p>Come and see all your favourite Australian animals today at the Cleland Wildlife Park. The children will explore the park and visit Koalas, Dingoes, Wombats, Kangaroos and more!</p>                        |
| <p><b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September</b><br/><b>Sci-Masters</b></p>    | <p><b>Menu: Afternoon Tea</b> – Veg, Dip and Crackers Platter</p> <p><b>Standard 3.2.2 Resources support play-based learning:</b> Resources, materials and equipment allow for multiple uses, are sufficient in number, and enable every child to engage in play-based learning.</p> <p>Calling all Science masters! Join us for a range of educational and hands on science experiments that will be amazing, slimy, spectacular and most of all FUN!</p>   |
| <p><b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> September</b><br/><b>EXCURSION</b><br/><b>LATITUDE</b><br/>• bounce • climb • fly •</p>                             | <p>Please arrive by: <b>11:30am</b>   Return time: <b>1:30pm</b></p> <p><b>Menu: Afternoon Tea</b> – Fruit and Vegetable Platter</p> <p><b>Standard 1.1.3 Program learning opportunities:</b> All aspects of the program, including routines, are organised in ways that maximise opportunities for each child's learning.</p> <p>Today we are heading off for an active adventure at Latitude, where children will be able to bounce, climb and explore everything the facility has to offer!</p> <p><b><u>Socks will be provided on the day at Latitude</u></b></p>      |
| <p><b>Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> October</b><br/><b>Electronics Galore</b></p>   | <p><b>Menu: Afternoon Tea</b> – Nachos</p> <p><b>Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning:</b> Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.</p> <p>Today the children can bring along their favourite piece of technology...maybe their iPod, remote control cars, Switch etc. They can share with friends or even set up competitions. There will also be plenty of OSHC challenges and activities throughout the day.</p> <p><b>Please note we do not take any responsibility for lost, broken or stolen devices</b></p>                          |
| <p><b>Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October</b><br/><b>Wheels Day</b></p>  <p><b>LITTLE HEROES</b><br/>Foundation<br/>Supporting seriously ill children</p> | <p><b>Menu: Afternoon Tea</b> – Mixed Sandwiches</p> <p><b>Standard 2.1.3 Healthy Lifestyle:</b> Healthy eating and physical activity are promoted and appropriate for each child.</p> <p>Bring along your own set of wheels to ride, skate and scooter your way through the day! With obstacle courses and craft activities, it is sure to be a fun-filled day. Children will need to bring along their own protective gear.</p> <p><b>Remember...*NO helmet, NO play*</b></p> <p><b>Please Note-</b> Children will not be allowed to share their wheels with others.</p> |

# Northfield OSHC Sep/Oct 2020 Vacation Care Program: Week 2

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October



**PUBLIC HOLIDAY: Labour Day  
CLOSED**

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October  
**Groovy Gardening**



**Menu: Afternoon Tea – Zucchini Slice**

**Standard 1.1.2 Child-centred:** Each child's current knowledge, strengths, ideas, culture, abilities, and interests are the foundation of the program.

Today we will be developing our gardening skills by participating in a range of activities such as water cress egg heads, hairy caterpillars and making mini fairy gardens. Be sure to bring along your green thumbs!

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October  
**EXCURSION**  
**Fasta Pasta Sefton Park**



Please arrive by: **11:00am**

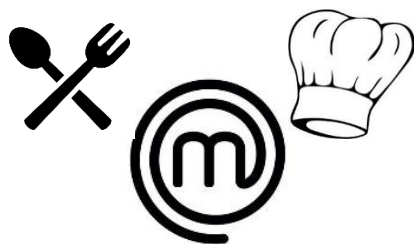
Return time: **1:30pm**

**Menu: Lunch - Fasta Pasta      Afternoon Tea – Fruit Platter**

**Standard 5.1.1 Positive educator to child interactions:** Responsive and meaningful interactions build trusting relationships which engage and support each child to feel secure, confident, and included.

Bring your appetite and your loose pants, as today we are heading off to Fasta Pasta, for a Mouth-watering lunch time Feast! Children will be able to choose from a wide selection of pizza, pasta dishes, nuggets, chips, and desserts.

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October  
**Mini Master Chef**



**Menu: Afternoon Tea – Cooking Creations**

**Standard 2.2.1 Supervision:** At all times, reasonable precautions and adequate supervision ensure children are protected from harm and hazard.

Put on a chef's hat and get ready to cook up a storm! Today we are going to make our taste buds dance as we whip up a range of yummy snacks throughout the day.

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October  
**EXCURSION**  
**Piccadilly Cinemas**



Please arrive by: **11:15am**

Return time: **2:30pm**

**Menu: Afternoon Tea – Fruit and Vegetable Platter**

**Standard 2.1.1 Wellbeing and comfort:** Each child's wellbeing and comfort is provided for, including appropriate opportunities to meet each child's need for sleep, rest and relaxation.

Today the children will be travelling to North Adelaide so they can spend the afternoon relaxing in the comfort of the Piccadilly Cinemas. Make sure to pack lots of yummy snacks to enjoy while you are there!

**\*Movie choices will be announced closer to the date\***