

VACATION CARE PROGRAM The Pines



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Our Program



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 holidays.

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

Warm regards,



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Fees

- \$54.00 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

Opening Times

We are open 6:30am-6:00pm. 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.

Excursions

- Excursion times are approximate please ensure all children are at OSHC by the scheduled departure time or risk missing the excursion. Buses cannot wait for children who arrive after the time listed.
- 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.

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.

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 <u>packed recess</u>, <u>lunch & water bottle</u>. 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.





Friday 18th December MAINLINE DRIVE-IN

588 Main N Road, Gepps Cross SA 5094



Special Advance Screening

CROODS 2

Gates open at 8:00pm Movie starts at 9:00pm

To secure a spot please go to: http://bit.do/happyhavenmovienight



The Pines OSHC DECEMBER 2020 VACATION CARE PROGRAM



Monday

December 14th

Sensory Sensation



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Banana Bread

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: Today we will be using all our senses to make new discoveries at OSHC. Enjoy making slime and bubbles, water play and making mystery boxes – can you guess what all the objects are?

Tuesday December 15th EXCURSION Waterworld Aquatic Centre



Return: 3.30pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable Platter

Quality Area 2.1.3 Healthy lifestyle: Healthy eating and physical activity are promoted and appropriate for each child.

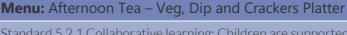
Description: We will be having some fun in the sun at the Waterworld Aquatic Centre. Bring along your rashies, bathers and your floaties and pool toys to enjoy with your friends.

No Rashie Top/T Shirt = No Swimming

Please remember to bring a change of clothes, a towel and drink bottle/lunch



Wednesday December 16th Mad Scientists



Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: Children will be mad scientists today as they experience hands on science experiments. Come along and explore slime, energy, noise & a whole lot of fun. Today is sure to go off with a bang!



Thursday December 17th Boot Camp



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.

Description: Come along in your active gear and bring your running shoes, today we are going to train army style! Make sure you pack some energy filled food along with a big drink bottle to hydrate after some intense training!!

Friday December 18th EXCURSION

ttle Rockets Play Café Munno Para

ROCKER

Arrive By: 10.00am

Return: 4.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable Platter

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate. Learn from and help each other.

Description: Today the children will get to climb, slide and explore the playground at Little Rockets Play Café in Munno Para! Make sure to bring socks, a drink bottle and your sense of adventure!



DECEMBER 2020 VACATION CARE PROGRAM

Monday

December 21st

EXCURSION

Salisbury Cinemas



Arrive By: 10.00am

Return: 3.30pm

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.

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

Movie choices will be announced closer to the date

Tuesday

December 22nd

EXCURSION

Wizbang



Arrive By: 9.00am

Return: 2.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable 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.

Description: Today we will be heading to Wizbang family fun centre for a private 2-hour Happy Haven session. Activities will include Black Light Mini Golf, Laser Tag, kids Disco and a play gym. Make sure to bring socks, a drink bottle and your sense of adventure!

Wednesday

December 23rd

Christmas Craft and Cooking



Menu: Afternoon Tea – Cooking Creations

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: Pull up your sleeves and put on your Christmas chef hat as we cook up a Christmas storm! With a recipe book full of Christmas delights to whip up, it is sure to be a day that makes your taste bud dance. Throughout the day there will be some wonderful Christmas crafts for the children to enjoy as well.

Thursday

December 24th

Christmas Lunch



Menu: Lunch at 12pm

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.

Description: This year we will be hosting the Happy Haven Christmas Lunch and Happy Haven Keller Road will join us for the day. We will be cooking up a storm and decorating the OSHC space with some Christmas flare. We will then all tuck into a delicious shared lunch and a few favourite Christmas Carols.

We would like to wish all our families a very Merry Christmas! from the Staff at Happy Haven OSHC





Christmas Closure Dates

WE WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS TIME TO WISH YOU &
YOUR FAMILY A VERY MERRY
CHRISTMAS & A SAFE NEW YEAR.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING EVERYONE IN 2021

Closed 6pm 24th December Reopen 6:30am 4th January





Monday January 4th EXCURSION

Carnival Day-(Year 3 -)





Arrive By: 9.00am

Return: 4.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: (Year 3 -) Carnival Day: The younger children will gather at The Pines Primary for Carnival Day. There will be side-show alley games, a bouncy castle, face painting, popcorn, fairy floss and more! It is sure to be a fun-filled day.

(Year 4+) City Scramble: Our annual City Scramble is back! We will be travelling to Adelaide's CBD where children will be put into small groups. Teams will be on a race against time to complete roadblocks and solve puzzles through the CBD. Be sure to pack plenty of water because any unscheduled pit stops could cost your team the win - along with the cash prize!

Year 4+ are allowed spending money for lunch only \$10 max

Tuesday January 5th Disney Day





Menu: Afternoon Tea – Mickey Mouse Cookies

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.

Description: Today children can enjoy all things Disney! The children can make Disney crafts, eat some Mickey Mouse cookies, watch Disney movies, and most importantly, dress up as their favourite Disney character (prizes for best dressed).

Wednesday January 6th EXCURSION

Fasta Pasta Salisbury



FASTA PASTA Arrive By: 10.00am Return: 2.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Description: 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 January 7th





Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable Platter

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

Description: With the silly season behind us, let's enjoy a day chilling out at OSHC. There will be hot popcorn ready to enjoy so wear your pyjamas, bring a pillow, sleeping bag, your favourite movie and some yummy snacks, as we have some extra chill out time with a few fun games in-between!

Friday January 8th EXCURSION



Arrive By: 9.00am

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Pinwheels

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

Description: Today we will be having a special visit from Animals Anonymous. The children will get to interact with animals in a safe environment. There will be a range of animal themed crafts and games for the children to enjoy throughout the day.



Monday

January 11th

EXCURSION

BOWLAND SALISBURY



Arrive By: 10.00am Return: 3.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

Standard 1.2.2 Responsive teaching and scaffolding: Educators respond to children's ideas and play and extend children's learning through open-ended questions, interactions and feedback

Description: Salisbury Bowland is great day out! Come along and show us what you've got. Challenge your friends to see who the champion is! Children must wear sneakers on the day and bring a packed lunch and water bottle.

Tuesday January 12th Wheels Day



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

Standard 6.2.3 Community Engagement: The service builds relationships and engages with its community

Description: 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.

Remember...*NO helmet, NO play*

Please Note- Children will not be allowed to share their wheels with others.

Wednesday January 13th



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Hawaiian Pizza

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

Description: Enjoy the spirit of summer as we transform OSHC into a summer getaway and a Tie-dye city. Cool down and enjoy yummy ice blocks, Hawaiian pizza and activities all day long to make it feel like you're on a summer vacation as well as creating DIY Tie-dye T-SHIRTS!

**BE SURE TO BRING IN A WHITE T-SHIRT TO GET YOUR TIE-DYE ON*

Thursday January 14th Crazy Hair and Dress Ups

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Mixed Sandwiches

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: Show us your wild side with your craziest hair style and dress up in your favourite costume. There will be a variety of crazy games, crafts and activities throughout the day including styling your hair or creating masks/hats to complete your costume. There will be a prize for the best dressed for the day.

Friday January 15th EXCURSION Inflatable world Salisbury



Arrive By: 11.00am Return: 4.00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable platter

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate. Learn from and help each other.

Description: Home to the biggest indoor inflatable playground in Australia. We will be heading to Inflatable World in Salisbury for a private 2 hour Happy Haven session. Please ensure you wear comfy clothes, bring along a pair of socks and a drink bottle as you are sure to work up a sweat.



Monday

January 18th

Talent Show



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable 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.

Description: Can you sing...dance...tell jokes...floss at super speeds??

Do you have a talent that needs to be showcased?? Then Happy Haven's Got Talent is just the chance you need to present your amazing skills and best tricks. There will also be competitive Minute to Win It games throughout the day for you test out some weird, wacky and maybe hidden talents.

Tuesday

January 19th

EXCURSION

Gemaphore Waterslides



Arrive By: 10.00am Return: 3.30pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

Quality Area 2.1.3 Healthy lifestyle: Healthy eating and physical activity are promoted and appropriate for each child.

Description: The children are off to Semaphore slides and will have a 2hour lockin where they can do as many slides, putt-putt games, ferris wheel rides and bumble bee rides as they like. **As this will be happening outside, children will need a shirt to wear for the day even when on the slides.**

Wednesday

January 20th

Ready, Steady, Cook



Menu: Afternoon Tea- Cooking Creations

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate, learn from and help each other.

Description: On your marks, get set, cook! Get ready to work in teams and create some delicious treats. There will be a bake-off battle, biscuit decorating, and blind taste challenges. Who will be the winner?

Thursday

January 21st

Water Play



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Description: Are you ready for some action-packed water fun? We'll have a slip n slide set up with assorted water games throughout the day. In line with our SunSmart policy, we'll be slipping on t-shirts, slopping on some sun cream, slapping on a hat, seeking shade & sliding on our sunglasses. Hats, water bottles and t-shirts are a MUST. Don't forget your towels, bathers & favourite water gadgets too!

Friday

January 22nd

EXCURSION

Move and Groove Disco (Year 3 -)



ce Skating at Ice



Arrive By: 9.30am Return: 3.30pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable platter

Standard 5.2.1 Collaborative learning: Children are supported to collaborate. Learn from and help each other.

Description: (Year 3 -) Strap on your dancing shoes and party all day long, showing off your best disco moves. Today the children will take part in a fabulous disco with a range of fun party games and activities. Wear your favourite party outfit and go in the running for best dressed.

(Year 4 +) Today the children are off to the Ice Arena in Thebarton, where they can slide and glide, and even show us a few tricks! Pack a jacket, as it can get a bit chilly!



Monday

January 25th

Australia Day Celebrations



Menu: Lunch: Sausage Sizzle Afternoon Tea – Fruit Platter

Standard 3.2.2 Resources support play-based learning: Resources, materials and equipment allow for multiple uses, are sufficient in number, and enable every child to engage in play-based learning.

Description: Today we are going to celebrate Australia day in style. Kids can join in a game of backyard cricket, have a sausage sizzle for lunch along with a huge range of crafts!!

Tuesday

January 26th



CLOSED

Public Holiday Australia Day