

VACATION CARE PROGRAM Mitcham



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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

- \$58.00 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 7:00am-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 <u>full fee</u>. 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.

Mitcham OSHC



APRIL 2021 VACATION CARE PROGRAM

Monday
April 12th
INCURSION
Gooroo Animation Workshop



Arrive By: 9.30am

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

Get ready for a day of creativity and fun with Gooroo Animation. Cameron Edser will be running an interactive and engaging Lego Animation workshop at OSHC. The children will just need to bring their imagination.

Tuesday
April 13th
EXCURSION



Arrive By: 10:30am Return: 3:00pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Today the children will be walking to the Mitcham Shopping Centre so they can spend the afternoon relaxing in the comfort of the Mitcham Cinemas. Make sure to pack lots of yummy snacks to enjoy while you are there!

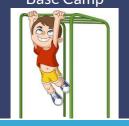
Movie choices will be announced closer to the date

Wednesday

April 14th

EXCURSION

Base Camp



Arrive By: 9:00am Return: 2:00pm

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.

Today the children can become Ninja's. They will get to experience the vertical rope climb, running up the travelator and much more!

Thursday
April 15th
A-Z Animals



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Come dressed as your favourite animal for the day! You could be a bird, a lion, a zebra, a cat, or a dog, whatever you choose. We will get wild for the day with animal themed crafts, games, and cooking.

Friday April 16th Harry Pottei



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Head to Platform 9 ¾ to travel to the wizarding world of Hogwarts for a day of magic and wonder. We will learn how to mix potions, create wizardry art and craft, write owl letters, make magic wands, and even be sorted into a house team for mystical games and challenges. Be sure to come dressed as your favourite Harry Potter character!



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Monday
April 19th
EXCURSION



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.

Today we will be heading to Wiz Bang 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!

Tuesday
April 20th
Sustainable Superheroes



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

Today we will be looking at how we can be sustainable superheroes! We will be looking at ways we can be more sustainable at OSHC. We will be doing crafts and activities using recycled materials. Do you have any materials at home you could bring along?

Wednesday
April 21st
Space Spectacular



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.

Come and get Lost in Space for the day!

There will be some out of this world art activities, space theme crafts, moon rock hunt, cooking and much more!

Thursday

April 22nd

EXCURSION

Hendrie Street Reserve



Arrive By: 9:30am

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.

Return: 2:30pm

Today we will be heading to the Hendrie Street Reserve Inclusive Playground for a day of fun in the sun. The children can participate in a range of games and sports and spend some time on the playground.

Friday April 23rd Wheels Day



Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable platter

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

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.