

# VACATION CARE PROGRAM Mannum



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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**

- \$64.00 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 8:00am-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.

# Mannum OSHC



### **APRIL 2021 VACATION CARE PROGRAM**

Monday
April 12<sup>th</sup>
Scavenger Hunt



### 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

Today the children will be putting on their detective hats to participate in our Scavenger Hunt Day in and around Mannum Primary School. Groups will then race against time to solve their puzzles and complete their activities. Be sure to pack plenty of water and your sense of adventure!

Tuesday
April 13<sup>th</sup>
EXCURSION
Sturt Reserve Murray Bridge



#### Arrive By: 9:30am Return: 2:30pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platter

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

We will be heading to Sturt Reserve Murray Bridge 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.

Wednesday

April 14<sup>th</sup>

Circus Sensation





#### Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable Platte

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

Come along and join the circus for the day! There will be circus arts, crafts and some fun games. The children will also get a chance to explore circus themed sensory activities to engage with their 5 senses.

Thursday
April 15<sup>th</sup>



### Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and Vegetable platter

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

Today will be a day full of creativity and the children can let their artistic side shine! There will be plenty of painting, drawing, colouring, creating, and designing. The children can take their wonderful creations home or use them to decorate the OSHC room

Friday
April 16<sup>th</sup>
EXCURSION
Gorge Wildlife Park



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.

Come and see all your favourite Australian animals today at the Gorge Wildlife Park Cleland. The children will explore the park and visit Koalas, Dingoes, Wombats, Kangaroos and more!



### **APRIL 2021 VACATION CARE PROGRAM**

Monday
April 19<sup>th</sup>
STEM Day



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.

Come along and see what new discoveries you can make during our STEM Challenges Day. There will be a wide variety of activities throughout the day including Lego competitions, science experiments and maths challenges.

Tuesday
April 20th
INCURSION
SCI World





Arrive By: 10:00am

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.

Explore the solar system with the amazing SCI World Planetarium -Star Lab. The children will learn about heat, energy and forces, sound, electricity and light. Explore gravitational potential and kinetic energy. Forces can be push and pull and energy makes things happen.

Return: 2.30pm

Wednesday

April 21st

EXCURSION

Little Rockets



Arrive By: 10.00am

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 will get to climb, slide and explore the playground at Little Rockets Play Café in Murray Bridge! Make sure to bring socks, a drink bottle and your sense of adventure!

Thursday

April 22<sup>nd</sup>

Mini MasterChef



**Menu:** Cooking Creations

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

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
April 23<sup>rd</sup>
EXCURSION
Cameo Cinema



Arrive By: 10.00am Return: 2.30pm

Menu: Afternoon Tea - Fruit and vegetable platter

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

Today children can spend the day relaxing in the comfort of the Cameo Cinema. Children will be able to choose between some of the latest movies. Make sure to pack lots of yummy snacks to enjoy while you're there!

\*movie choices will be made available on the day\*