

Vacation Care Program – Summer 2019-2020

CENTRE INFORMATION

Truscott St OOSH c/o Truscott St Public School 38 Truscott St, North Ryde 2113 Best Entrance: corner of Edmonson St and Truscott St

Centre Director - Anna Velez

Operating Hours

Summer School Holidays: 19th to 20th December 2019

6th to 28th January 2020

7:00am to 6:00pm Monday to Friday

We will be closed from 23rd Dec 2019 to 3rd Jan 2020 and the Public Holiday on the 27th Jan 2020.

FEES & PAYMENT INFORMATION

Please see Vacation Care Program attached for the different daily fees and activities. Vacation Care Fees will be charged via fortnightly direct debit (EziDebit).

Please ensure that your card details are up to date to avoid any late fees and extra charges.

PERMISSIONS & WAIVERS

Vacation Care Permissions are to be completed online when making your bookings. There will be a section where you will give permission for your child to attend all activities during the day that you have booked by ticking the permission box.

Additional Waivers may be required for some venues. Links to paper forms or online booking sites will be attached to the specific days they are needed for. Please

read any additional information and instructions.

BOOKING DATES

Early Bird booking period: 25th Nov to 8th Dec 2019 (online)

- * Pricing indicated in the program is early bird pricing Regular booking period: 9th to 15th Dec 2019 (online)
- * An additional cost of \$5 per child/per day applies

Last minute bookings: from 16th Dec 2019 (contact centre)

* Last minute bookings may be catered for when the Centre has the staffing and capacity to accept additional children on the day. Please contact Centre via phone.

No bookings, transfers or cancellations will be accepted after Sunday 15th December. Should there be any outstanding fees your booking will not be accepted until all fees outstanding are paid.

BOOKING PROCEDURE (already enrolled for 2019)

- Complete an online Vacation Care booking via our website. This is done under the Parent – Calendar Bookings section.
- Notify staff if enrolment details need updating (e.g. contact details, address, allergies, anaphylaxis and asthma plan etc.)
- Bookings for children with additional needs will be subject to staffing availability and can only be made via direct contact with the Centre.
- * You will receive an email confirmation of your Vacation Care bookings however these **ARE NOT fully confirmed** until all required documentation is handed in to the Centre (see Permissions & Waivers section)

BOOKING PROCEDURE (new enrolments)

- Complete 2020 Enrolment process details on our website.
- The enrolment process for children with medical conditions (asthma, anaphylaxis, etc.) includes additional requirements that must be completed before the child's enrolment can be accepted.
- The enrolment of children with additional needs is assessed on a case by case basis and is dependent on the child's individual needs and staffing availability.
- Once your 2020 enrolment has been completed, follow the Booking Procedure (already enrolled for 2019) outlined above.

VACATION CARE PROGRAM

Vacation care days can either be:

In Centre days where all activities are run by centre staff Incursion days where activities are run by visitors Excursion days where we take the children to a venue either by hire bus or public transport. Children will be provided with fluorescent vests and wristbands detailing the Centre's name and mobile phone, which must be worn during the excursion.

Please refer to your **Vacation Care Booking Summary email** for important details on locations, activities and departure times for excursions.

* No fees will be refunded for non-attendance.

Child:Staff Ratios

In Centre Activities and Incursions 12:1
Excursions (maximum of 48 children) 8:1
Excursions (involving water) 5:1



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WHAT TO BRING

Please bring daily (In Centre, Incursion, Excursion)

- Morning tea and lunch (unless stated otherwise)
- Enclosed shoes
- Hat
- Rain coat
- Comfortable sun safe clothing

Extra Reminders for Excursions

- Children need to bring a backpack to carry on excursions. Plastic bags and handbags are not suitable.
- Please do not supply your children with money.
 Children will not be able to make purchases during excursions.

Please do not bring

- Expensive toys
- Electronic devices may not be used at the Centre (unless specifically requested as part of the program)
- * The centre will not take responsibility for broken, damaged or lost items.

THE CENTRE PROVIDES

- Breakfast cereal daily until 8:30am
- Light afternoon tea and fruit platter
- Lunch if indicated in program
- 50+ sun block applied throughout the day

MEALS AND DIETARY NEEDS

Vacation Care days are jam packed with activities and can be quite long for the children, so please ensure that you are providing them with **enough food to get them through the whole day.**

Children with additional dietary requirements must have a Diet Form filled out prior to starting.

Please be aware that children with severe nut allergies attend the service during Vacation Care. Parents, please ensure that no packed food contains nuts (this includes peanut butter, Nutella etc.)

OTHER INFORMATION

Safety Checks & Risk Assessments

Safety checks and risk assessments are completed by Centre staff for all excursions, incursions and major activities undertaken at the Centre. This enables staff to be aware of the potential risks, help minimise risk and develop strategies to care for the children.

Policies & Procedures

Our Policies and Procedures for Vacation Care remain consistent with our Before and After School Care Service (i.e. Supervision, Communication, Sun Safety, Medication, etc). These Policies and Procedures are available to you on our sign in table.

Photography & Video

Photos and video footage of children participating in activities may be taken by staff over the Vacation Care period. This material may be used for our newsletters, notice boards, our website, and other promotional use for the Centre.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Signing IN and OUT

- Children must be signed IN and OUT of the centre everyday by a person 18 years or older. This is compulsory and a legal requirement.
- Persons collecting children from the Centre must be identified by name on the Enrolment Form. All persons collecting children who are not already known to staff on duty will need to supply us with photo identification.
- Please understand that by signing your child into care at our Centre you are agreeing that your child is well and fit to participate in play. If, in the opinion of the Centre Director or Responsible Person, your child is not fit to attend or becomes unwell, you will be called to collect your child.
- Please notify the centre if your child will not be attending during their booked days.

Program Details

- Please refer to your Booking Confirmation email for important details on locations, activities and departure times for excursions.
- Please ensure that your child arrives at the centre at the time specified for excursions. We are not able to wait for late families, so please ensure that you are on time.



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THURSDAY 19th December

Fee \$65

Pyjama, Movies and Make My Bear Day In Centre

Have a relaxing day in the company of your friends.

Let's watch some of our favourite movies on the big screen, play some games and have some yummy treats!

Also make your very own cuddly friend. Name them and decorate their clothes before taking them home with you.



FRIDAY 20th December

Fee \$65

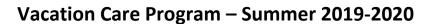
Giant Water Slide
In Centre

Get ready for a whole day of water slide fun!

This giant 3-lane water slide will provide hours of excitement.

Be sure to bring your swimmers, towels and spare clothes!







MONDAY 6th January
Fee \$65

Giant Water Slide
In Centre

Another day to have fun with water!

This large water slide will provide thrills and spills from the morning way into the afternoon.

Be sure to bring your swimmers, towels and spare clothes!



TUESDAY 7th January
Fee \$61

Blenheim Park
Play & BBQ
Excursion

Have a leisurely walk to Blenheim Park for a morning of free play with your friends.

We'll also have a yummy BBQ lunch at the park and have some treats to cool off after a fun morning of active play.



WEDNESDAY 8th January
Fee \$63

Culture Club
Workshop
Incursion

Travel the world
through a series of
quizzes and work as a
team to earn points and
find the most cultured
team of all.

Visit places like Mexico, France, USA and Korea! Let's party, dance, mime, design fashion, dress up and model.



THURSDAY 9th January
Fee \$73

Timezone at
Macquarie Centre
Excursion

A fun day of arcade games galore!

Explore the venue and play all the games you want.

After playing all the games, use your preloaded tickets to choose a prize to take home.



FRIDAY 10th January

Fee \$61

Art on Canvas
Painting Workshop
Incursion

Unleash your creativity and appreciation for art during this relaxing painting workshop!

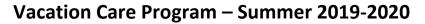
Learn painting
techniques while being
guided by instructors
step by step. Make a
stunning artwork on
canvas that you will be
proud to display in your
own home!













MONDAY 13th January

Fee \$60

Reyhlade

Beyblade Tournament

Get ready for ultimate
Beyblade fun! Choose
from a huge selection of
Beyblade Burst parts and
play a series of games to
test your skills.

Battles commence after skills practice until two master players face off in the Super-Elite-Battle Arena in the Grand Final!
Do you have the skills it takes to win?



TUESDAY 14th January
Fee \$95

Cables Aqua Park

Excursion

Have a blast at Cables
Aqua Park! The Park
consists of a bunch of
inflatable slides,
runways, jumping
pillows and climbing
structures.

Challenge yourself while keeping cool this summer at this really awesome water activity venue.



WEDNESDAY 15th January

Fee \$62

Water Battle Arena

Incursion

It's time to get wet!

Be prepared to battle it out in an inflatable arena with large and small buckets of water scattered throughout the playing field.

Have fun with a range of water blasters and of course water balloons for the ultimate water battle experience.



THURSDAY 16th January
Fee \$73

Movie Day:
Playing with Fire
Excursion

Come along for a relaxing day at the movies.

Featuring

Playing with Fire

at Event Cinemas
Top Ryde.

Popcorn and drinks provided at cinema.



FRIDAY 17th January

Fee \$65

Skateboarding Workshop

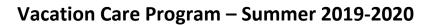
Incursion

in a fun and safe environment.

play games such as skate limbo, skate slalom and use practice boards to do some fun training drills.

Whether you are a beginner or experienced with a skateboard, this workshop is for you!







MONDAY 20th January
Fee \$63

Putt Putt Golf Incursion

Test your golfing skills in a series of obstacle courses set right in the centre.

Work in teams and challenge each other.

Have a good time either getting the ball quickly into the holes or by getting through tougher obstacles.

There's something for everyone!



TUESDAY 21st January
Fee \$75

Summer Wonderland Excursion

Experience the fun and excitement of carnival rides and inflatables:

- Auto Bee
- Cup & Saucer
- Fiesta Wheel
- Free Fall
- Giant Slide
- Junior Train
- Kite Flyer
- Merry Go Round
- Snow Hut



WEDNESDAY 22nd January
Fee \$60

Awesome TV Game Show Incursion

Be ready to play games and have lots of laughs with this Awesome TV Style Game Show.

Cheer your team on as we play some crazy fun games like Snot
Catcher, When Ninjas
Attack, Jelly in My
Belly and Mars
Attacks.



THURSDAY 23rd January
Fee \$65

Water Inflatables & Sno Cones

Incursion

Let's cool down and splash around for the day. Enjoy two water inflatables – Wipe Out and Double Lane Slip N Slide!

Run, jump, splash and slide from morning to the afternoon. Then cool down with a Snow Cone served right alongside the inflatables.

Be sure to bring your swimmers, towels and spare clothes.



FRIDAY 24th January
Fee \$75

Peak Pursuits Excursion

Challenge yourself in this creative climbing centre that is like no other!

Join in the fun of the high ropes course including swinging steps, rickety bridge, zigzag beam and cargo nets. Do some vertical activities like dangling logs, wobbly walls, giant spider web, monkey rope and so much more!





Truscott Street OOSH and Vacation Care	
MONDAY 27 th January	TUESDAY 28th January
Public Holiday	Fee \$63 Nerf Tag Incursion
Centre Closed	It's Nerf or Nothing! Come along for a day of endless fun in a custom inflatable Nerf arena. Choose from a huge range of blasters and battle it out with your friends.
	All equipment is provided but you are welcome to bring your own Nerf Guns to play with for the day.

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