

Epping Heights OSHC

Out of School Hours Care

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Book your Vacation Care via our Website:






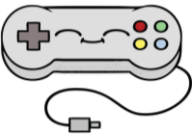




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BOOKINGS DUE: Midnight 02.04.21

(FEE INCREASE 02.04.21)



April 2021 School Holidays Vacation Care Program

	Date	Theme	Description	Please Note/Excursion	Cost
Monday 5th April – PUBLIC HOLIDAY - CLOSED					
Week 1	Tue 6 th	 Art On Canvas	Explore your creative side by painting a piece of art on canvas with the help of a professional artist.	A trained professional will guide the children to create their artworks on canvas. They will be able to produce a masterpiece to take home.	\$65
	Wed 7 th	 Ultimate Family Entertainment	It's on again! One of the BEST places for kids to let loose and run wild!	A chartered bus will transport the children to Ultimate Family Entertainment Centre, where they will take part in a variety of indoor sport activities. Excursion duration: 9am-3pm	\$80
	Thurs 8 th	 Macrame Magic	Explore the magic of rope and create your very own knotted masterpiece.	Children will have a lesson on the art of Macrame. They will participate in making a macrame plant hanger or key chain to take home.	\$67
	Fri 9 th	 Science Spectacular	A day to exercise your brain with intriguing discoveries and experiments!	Children will participate in an interactive science show and science-themed activities throughout the day.	\$65
Week 2	Mon 12 th	 SYDNEY ZOO	Come along and meet a wondrous variety of exotic and native animals at Sydney's newest and most innovative Zoo.	A chartered bus will transport the children to, Sydney Zoo, in Western Sydney Parklands. The children will be taken on a tour to see wildlife from around the world and learn about the conservation of animals. Excursion duration: 9am-3pm	\$80
	Tues 13 th	 ULTRA GAMING	Join us for a fun-filled day of playing Nintendo Switch, Xbox games and other electronic fun!	A variety of electronic games have been hired for the children to enjoy. They may also wish to bring their own electronics or game-device to play with at points during the day. Please ensure all belongings are clearly labelled.	\$65
	Wed 14 th	 KingPin Bowling	We are super excited to be visiting KingPin Bowling for 10pin bowling, laser tag AND arcade games... What a Combo!	A chartered bus will take the children to KingPin Bowling Centre in North Strathfield to participate in ten-pin bowling and laser tag and arcade activities. Excursion duration: 9am-3pm	\$83
	Thu 15 th	 Rolling Coaches	Get ready for a fun, action packed day of roller blading, skate boarding, scootering – even unicycling!	Children will participate in roller blading, skateboarding and scooter activities. Children will be instructed by professional coaches. All sports and safety equipment will be provided.	\$68
	Fri 16 th	 Go Karts 2U	Rev those engines and get set to tear up turf in a karting experience you'll never forget!	A child-friendly go-kart course will be set up for the children by professional providers so they may try their hands at driving on a go kart track.	\$65
Week 3	Mon 19 th	 Farm Life	Come along and visit Lulu the pig and Bella the sheep! There is also bug hotels, beehives and enchanting gardens to explore.	A chartered bus will transport the children to the Macarthur Centre for Sustainable Living, where they will be involved in a variety of farm themed physical and educational activities. Excursion duration: 9am-3pm	\$83

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We anticipate 65 children for excursions and 75 for in-centre days and an expected staff to child ratio of 1:15 (5-6 staff) on in-centre days and 1:10 (6-7 staff) on excursions

Please visit our website or see our staff at the Centre to view excursion risk assessments

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Bookings for April **MUST** be received no later than midnight **Friday 2nd April 2021** in order to confirm your booking without a late booking surcharge. Please note that no changes or cancellations are possible after this date without charge. **Should you need to make changes, you must contact the Centre via email for further information regarding availability and fees.**
- **Please be aware that ALL bookings are made online via our website.** You must log in using your username and password and navigate to the appropriate section to make and change your bookings.
- ALL bookings taken and ALL changes made to your booking **AFTER** the applicable cut-off dates (noted above) are payable and incur a \$5 surcharge per child, per day.
- During this vacation care period, **ALL days are capped at a maximum of 75 children for excursions and 85 for incursions.** Please book quickly to avoid disappointment.

HOURS: The centre is open from 7.00 am until 6.00 pm. Late fees apply for late pick-ups as per the parent handbook (if you do not have a copy please ask us for one or visit our website).

MEALS: Breakfast is usually available until 8:30am and afternoon tea is provided each day. On some days (as specified in the program) we will supply lunch. Although the program may specify the centre's provision of lunch, we advise you provide your child with morning tea and lunch **EVERY** day. This ensures that your child will have plenty of food for the day, particularly if they do not like what is being served on that day.

Please ensure you avoid providing your child with any nut products as we cater for children with severe nut allergies.

SIGNING IN AND OUT: Children must be signed in and out of the centre when dropped off and picked up, by a responsible adult each day they attend (as per our centre policies). Please note that this does not include brothers or sisters of children who are under 18 years of age, as well as those not on your child's authorised collection list (unless specifically authorised prior via phone call/email). All people collecting your children (other than their parent/guardian) need to supply our staff with photo I.D. **If you or an authorised collector don't have your username and password, which would require centre staff to sign your children in/out - the family will incur a non-sign in/out fee of \$15.**

(To add authorised collectors, please log in to our webserver.)

CHECK LIST: Each day all children must bring:

⇒ A hat and drink bottle (children should also wear sunscreen each day – particularly in the warmer months).

⇒ Morning tea, lunch and drinks.

(There are additional charges if the centre has to supply your child with lunch, recess or a water bottle - refer to parent handbook).

⇒ Suitable sun-safe clothing appropriate for art/craft and outdoor play as well as **enclosed shoes** (thongs/sandals/crocs are not appropriate).

⇒ Wet weather gear for excursions (if applicable).

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

- Please read our programmed days carefully and send your children in clothing appropriate for each day.
- A farmyard will be visiting the Centre on Thursday 23rd April. Please advise staff if your child is nervous around animals.

FOR ALL DAYS INVOLVING EXCURSIONS: **Children should be at the centre before 8:45am!**

Even if we intend to leave later than this there are many important things that need to be done before we leave the centre. This includes issuing the children with details and instructions about the excursion for the safety and wellbeing of everyone in attendance. We will usually endeavor to be back at the centre by 3pm, however please see the program information for each day for specific bus times. Please do not give your children any money to spend on the excursion as it is not fair to children without money. Please ensure you provide your child with a packed lunch, recess and water. Travel will be by chartered bus as specified on the information flyer. If you require more information about any of the excursions please speak to a staff member.

If you need to contact us for any reason, please do so on the centre number **(02) 9869 0602**. During excursions the phone will be diverted to the centre mobile telephone.

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