

# MELROSE PARK OSHC VACATION CARE PROGRAM AND INFORMATION

**December pupil free days**

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>-Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019**

**January 2020 holidays**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

**Pupil free day**

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Melrose Park OSHC's January vacation care!! We have planned a fun and exciting few weeks that we are sure your children will enjoy. It is important to remember a few key points.

1. We have a ***limited*** number of spots so make sure you get in quick. If you try to make a booking and you're prevented because we have reached our maximum number of spaces, send us an email immediately to be put on our waiting list.

2. **All bookings open Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November. Bookings will close on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2019, and no cancellations will be allowed after Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2019. This means that if you require a booking to be cancelled after this date, it will not be refunded unless we can find someone to replace your spot.** Have a look at our program and pick only the days that you require.

3. During the January vacation care period we do not accept bookings for 2020 Kindergarten children unless they have siblings that already attend the centre. No 2020 kindergarten children will be allowed to attend the Movie excursion on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

4. Children will need to be at school by 9.30am sharp for Movie Excursion on the 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

5. Please note on hot days we will invite the children to engage in water play, they will require spare clothes and a towel.

Bookings are to be done via our webserver.

Any questions should be directed to staff via email

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phone – 0411526238.

We hope to see you there!!

Melrose Park OSHC team

## December pupil free days

<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December \$56</b>	<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December \$56</b>
<b>In centre Beach and BBQ</b>	<b>In centre Christmas Day</b>
Let's kick off summer holidays with a BBQ and water games! Bring a towel, spare clothes and your fun-loving selves to get soaked in water challenge games or relax in the splash pool.	Ho, Ho, Ho it's time to celebrate the season of giving with some festive Christmas traditions such as Christmas cookies, making decorations for the tree, and Santa themed games!
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<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$65</b>	<b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$56</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>15<sup>th</sup> January</b> <b>\$56</b>	<b>Thursday 16<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$55</b>	<b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$60</b>
<b>Incursion</b> <b>Fossil Day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Alphabet Day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Science Day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Challenge Day</b>	<b>Excursion</b> <b>Movie</b>
<p>Explore relics of the past with a fun and interesting incursion where the children will be invited to be hands on with real fossils.</p>	<p>A, B, C easy as 1,2,3! Come dressed up as something that the letter of your name begins with. Have fun creating letter shape biscuits, eating alphabet soup and crafts.</p>	<p>Unleash your inner mad scientist with a range of science experiments, create your own solar power house and crystals! There is something for all skill levels.</p>	<p>Are you fast, strong and smart...test yourself and build a team to compete in a series of challenges</p>	<p>To escape the heat the children will use the Payce bus to journey to Top Ryde cinema to view a movie (movie will be added to the program when released)</p>
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<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$67</b>	<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$62</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> <b>22<sup>nd</sup> January</b> <b>\$57</b>	<b>Thursday</b> <b>23<sup>rd</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$55</b>	<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup></b> <b>January</b> <b>\$55</b>	<b>Tuesday</b> <b>28<sup>th</sup> January</b> <b>\$56</b>
<b>Incursion</b> <b>Reptile Day</b>	<b>In Centre</b> <b>Jumping</b> <b>castle</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Environmental</b> <b>Day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Colour day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Tropical Day</b>	<b>In centre</b> <b>Mini</b> <b>MasterChef</b>
<p>Our friends from Taronga conservation park will be visiting us with some scaly, four legged, and even spiky animals for the children to meet and touch.</p>	<p>Join in the fun of bouncing on a very exciting castle that comes with its own slide! In between jumping we will make our own glow in the dark slime.</p>	<p>Help us to plant our very own OSHC garden plot, build a solar power house and enjoy recycled craft and construction as we learn to take better care of our environment.</p>	<p>Tye dye, crazy hair, body paints and a colour run will be on offer as we explore all of the colours of the rainbow. Please wear old clothing.</p>	<p>If pinatas, fruit smoothies and water play sound fun then you should join us as Melrose park is transformed into a tropical oasis.</p>	<p>Put your chefs' hat on and prepare to cook up a feast. Children are invited to use their imaginations in the kitchen as we explore delicacies from around the world.</p>
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## **Vacation care checklist**

- All your fees are up to date
- Booked Vacation Care online before Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2019.
- Paid for Vacation Care (when making a payment put VC in the description box with parent code) and bring the receipt to OSHC to show you have made payment by Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2019. If payment has not been made by this date your booking will be cancelled. **Please note: If you are on Ezi debit you will not have to worry about this.**
- Check Daily “What to pack” on day description and make sure everything that is needed is packed
- If your child is sick and not going to attend, please call the Centre by before 9:30am to notify us of their absence
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020 children need to be at school by 9:30am sharp.
- Provide your own morning tea and lunch everyday (unless it is a day where lunch is provided)
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**No nuts allowed**

# THINGS TO REMEMBER!

## In my child's bag

- Healthy lunchbox
- Check the program to see what you need to pack for that day
- A refillable water bottle
- **A hat**
- Jumper
- A raincoat



## What should my child wear?

- T-shirts that cover shoulders.
- Closed in shoes, NO thongs/flip flops or Crocs
- Clothes that give good sun protection
- **A hat**



## Some lunch box ideas

### SANDWICHES

- Chicken and lettuce
- Spreads
- Ham
- Salad



### FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

- Fresh fruit
- Fruit cups
- Fruit salad
- Vegetable sticks and dips

