



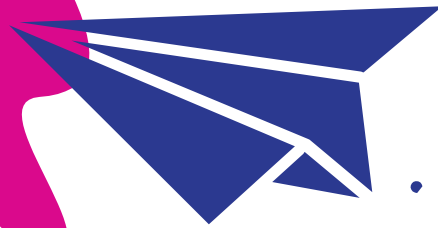
SUMMER VACATION CARE

THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER – MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY

St Joseph's Primary School

140 Wangi Rd, Kilaben Bay

6:30am – 6:00pm



St Nicholas OOSH

DIOCESE OF MAITLAND-NEWCASTLE



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WEEK ONE

KEY Price per day

Day Camp



Incursions



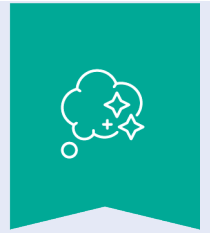
Excursions



MONDAY 6 JANUARY

OOSH-ICALLY AMAZING

Compete against your friends as we partake in various challenges throughout the day! There will be minute-to-win-it challenges, relays, and various other sporting challenges... even the beep test! Come along and show us how amazing you are!



TUESDAY 7 JANUARY

CREATIONS, CAKES, AND CORDIAL

Unleash your creativity as we learn all about the processes of art while you create your own masterpieces. We will also enjoy a high tea style lunch with sandwiches, yummy treats, and cold drinks.



WEDNESDAY 8 JANUARY

LASER TAG

The team from Archery Attack are back for one of our most requested incursions... laser tag! We will turn OOSH into a laser tag arena where you can battle it out with your friends and educators to eliminate your opponents.



THURSDAY 9 JANUARY

OAKVALE FARM

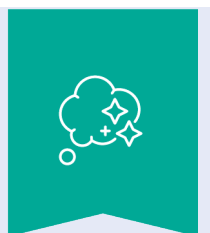
Join us as we head to Oakvale Farm. There will be tractor rides, baby bottle animal feeding, and the opportunity to pet kangaroos, baby goats, and pigs. After all that excitement, cool down in their "Splash Bay" water park.



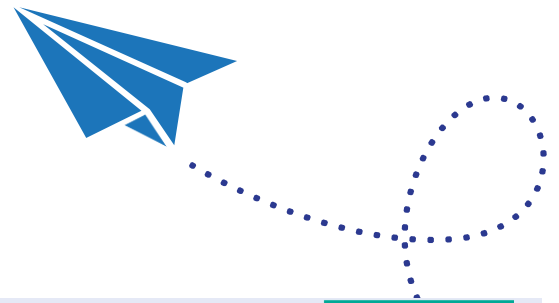
FRIDAY 10 JANUARY

AHOY ME HEARTIES

Join us for a day of pirate fun! Treasure hunts, pirate games, and take home your own treasure box at the end of the day!



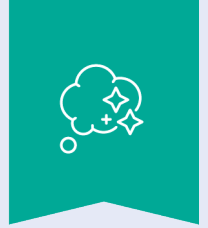
WEEK TWO



MONDAY 13 JANUARY

EXPLORE ORIENTAL ASIA

Travel through the unique culture of Asia as we explore this ancient land. We will cook some Asian delights and create some oriental-inspired artworks.



TUESDAY 14 JANUARY

MOVIE DAY

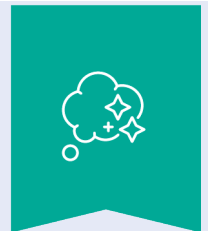
Escape the summer heat and join us as we head to Hoyts Cinemas Charlestown to see Sonic the Hedgehog 3. Enjoy popcorn and a cold drink whilst watching all the action from a comfy recliner lounge.



WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY

WATERPLAY WEDNESDAY

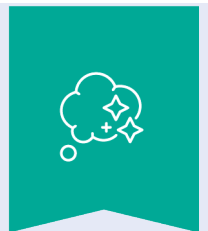
Today, we will enjoy an old-fashioned day of waterplay fun! Water bombs, sprinklers, and even a slip and slide. So don't forget to bring your swimmers, rashie, towel, and hat. And most importantly, slip, slop, slap!



THURSDAY 16 JANUARY

THROWBACK THURSDAY

Today we head back in time and explore 'The Olden Days'. The era when most of our parents were born and raised, the 80's and 90's. Scrunchie-making, Pacman and Care Bear crafts, and good old fashioned games such as Elastics, and even have a 80's and 90's disco.



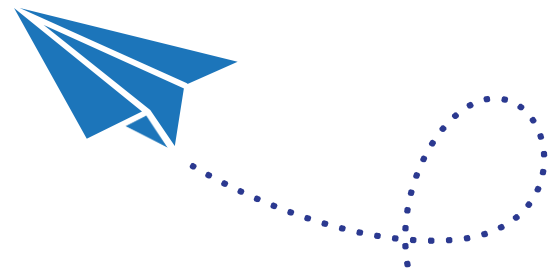
FRIDAY 17 JANUARY

LEGO AND BEYBLADES

Are you the Lego Master? Come test your Lego-building skills as we create various Lego masterpieces. You will even get to take your creation home. Then, battle it out with friends in the Beyblade arena and see who is the ultimate Beyblade champion.



WEEK THREE



MONDAY 20 JANUARY

GAMING, VR, AND WATER PLAY

Join us as Iconic Nerd visit OOSH for a day of VR, gaming, and waterplay excitement. Explore the ultimate gaming lounge with Playstation VR experiences, with Smash Bros, Mario Kart, and more. You will then cool off with a variety of waterplay challenges!



TUESDAY 21 JANUARY

DISNEY DAY

Whether its Mickey Mouse, Toy Story, or Cinderella, we all have a favourite Disney character and movie. Join us for a day of Disney fun as we celebrate all things Disney, including Disney arts and crafts, music, and of course watching our favorite Disney movies.



WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY

SCIENCE SPECTACULAR

How cool is science?! Today, we will become scientists and carry out some fun experiments. Get ready to watch things fizz, fly, and get gooey!



THURSDAY 23 JANUARY

SPACED OUT

Is there another world out there? Who and what would we find there? Today, we explore our imaginations to the far reaches of the galaxy!



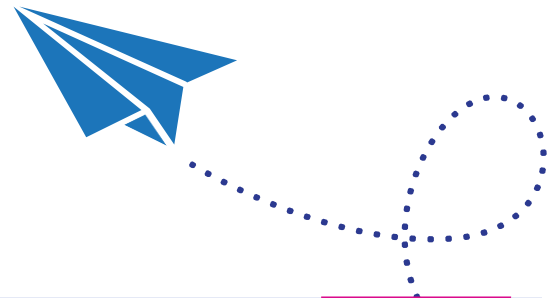
FRIDAY 24 JANUARY

DULLBOYS AND PARK

We head to Dullboys Social Co today. Challenge your friends to the highest score in a game of ten pin bowling. We will then venture into the arcade where we will enjoy half an hour of unlimited games to get your technology fix, and then to Croudace Bay Park for lunch.



WEEK FOUR



TUESDAY 28 JANUARY

JOJO'S BALLOON WORKSHOP

Ever wanted to know how to make a balloon animal? Today, we will learn how with Jo from JoJo's party hire. There may even be a magical balloon trick or two. We will then spend the afternoon with arts, crafts, and facepainting.



WEDNESDAY 29 JANUARY

FORT SCRATCHLEY

We head to Fort Scratchley today, where we will explore Newcastle's rich history. We will explore the tunnels, learn about what the site was used for and listen to the firing of the gun. We will then enjoy a picnic lunch whilst overlooking the ocean.



THURSDAY 30 JANUARY

WOODWORK AND LOOSE PARTS

Get your hammer, nails, and creativity ready as we enjoy a day of woodwork and exploring loose parts. Create a wooden slide box to take home and create a masterpiece out of nature and other materials.



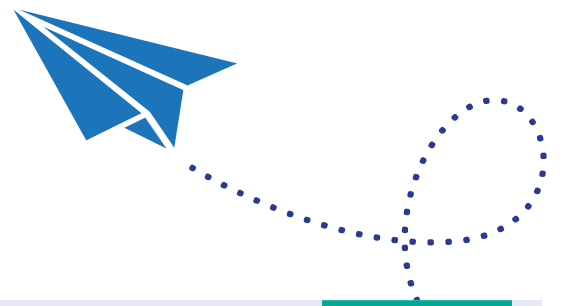
FRIDAY 31 JANUARY

DREAMLAND DAY

The end of vacation care is near so let's spend the day relaxing. Wear your favorite PJ's, bring your pillow and we will make pizza and popcorn, and chill out with an eye or face mask and watch a movie.



PUPIL FREE DAYS



THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS COOKING AND CRAFT

Get into the Christmas spirit as we spend the day making yummy Christmas treats to share. There will also be plenty of Christmas crafts to get involved with.



FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Santa is on his way and what better way to celebrate then with a Christmas Party. There will be games, Christmas music, and of course a yummy Christmas lunch.

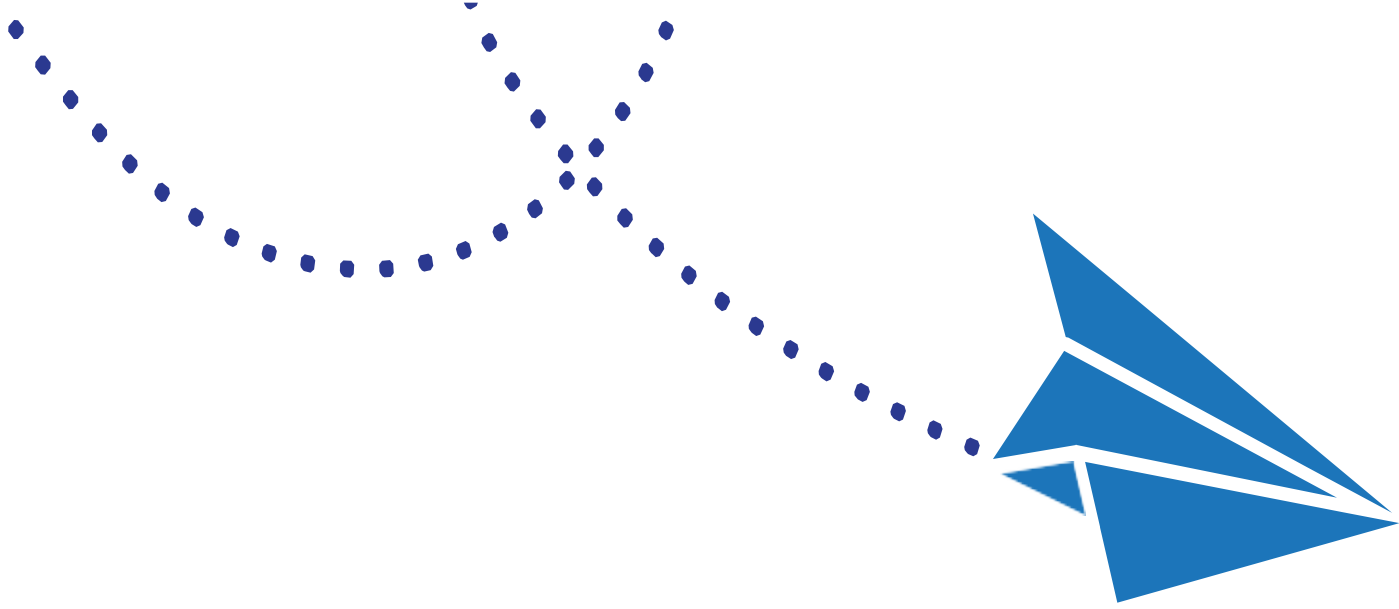


MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY

MARIO MONDAY

Join us as we celebrate Mario, Luigi, Princess Peach, and all the other "Super Mario World" characters. We will make Yoshi eggs, create mushroom houses, and join in games of dodgeball as we explore all things Super Mario.





IMPORTANT INFORMATION

WHAT TO BRING

- ▶ **Wide-brimmed hat** – School hats are usually best. When the UV is 3 or above, children will be required to wear a hat. Sunscreen is provided and routinely applied as per our Sun Protection Policy. If your child is sensitive to standard broad-spectrum 30+ sunscreen, please provide appropriate sunscreen clearly labelled with your child's name.
- ▶ **Morning tea and lunch** – OOSH staff are not able to heat or cook food. Please ensure anything sent can be eaten straight from their lunch box. Our service is a nut-free zone. Breakfast and afternoon tea are provided.
- ▶ **Enclosed shoes** must be worn, such as joggers or sneakers.
- ▶ **Refillable water bottle.**
- ▶ **Spare set of clothes** in case of an accident or excessive mess.
- ▶ **Jumper or jacket**

BOOKING CHECKLIST

No booking is accepted until all the following items have been completed and you have received emailed confirmation from your service's Nominated Supervisor:

- Complete our booking request through the Xplor Home app
- Confirm your enrolment details are up to date through Xplor (if you are not yet enrolled with St Nicholas OOSH, you will be sent a link)
- Any outstanding fees have been paid

CHILD CARE SUBSIDY (CCS)

Did you know you are entitled to a discount of up to 90% off your fees through the Australian Government's Child Care Subsidy?

To ensure you receive your entitled subsidy, remember to confirm your CCS enrolment via the **Centrelink website** or app.

CANCELLATIONS AND ABSENCE

To change your booking, simply reach out to the St Nicholas OOSH service you requested a booking for.

Please note, our cancellation policy requires notice of five (5) business days for cancellation of Vacation Care bookings. If you cancel within 5 business days of your booking, you will be charged the full rate.

If your child is sick or otherwise unable to attend for one of your bookings, please let us know with as much notice as possible by phoning or texting the service's mobile number. Please note, you will still be liable for any fees incurred on this day. If children are unwell, please refrain from bringing them to care.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Risk assessments are completed for all excursions and are available onsite for viewing. An OOSH staff member can provide a copy of any risk assessments to parents/caregivers upon request.

Please note, the suggested outcome may not map the pedagogical intent of the planned experience. This is a broad suggestion, but should not be held as the only possibility. The choice of an outcome relates directly to the learning and benefits we anticipate children will gain from the experience, however should you wish to alter this outcome due to your own curriculum understanding, we welcome this