



# SUMMER VACATION CARE

THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER – FRIDAY 31 JANUARY

**St Columban's Primary School**

Church St, Mayfield

7:00am – 6:00pm



*St Nicholas* OOSH

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# WEEK ONE

**KEY** Price per day

**Day Camp**



**Incursions**



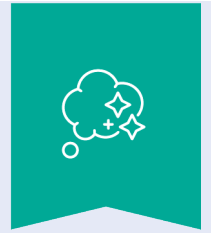
**Excursions**



## MONDAY 6 JANUARY

### MINUTE TO WIN IT

Engage in quick challenges and test your social, cognitive, and physical skills!



## TUESDAY 7 JANUARY

### PAINT N SIP

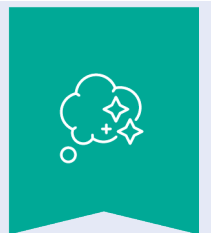
Come prepared with your creative caps on to create wonderful masterpieces on canvas whilst sipping on a refreshing drink.



## WEDNESDAY 8 JANUARY

### BUNNINGS DAY

Time to put your hard hats on and get building at OOSH. We will be trying our hand in construction activities and will have a sausage sizzle for lunch.



## THURSDAY 9 JANUARY

### MAYFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT

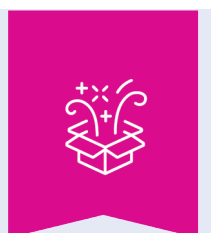
Stop, drop, and roll for the Mayfield Fire Department. Our local firefighters will be visiting the service to show everyone their fire truck, uniforms, and show us some drills.



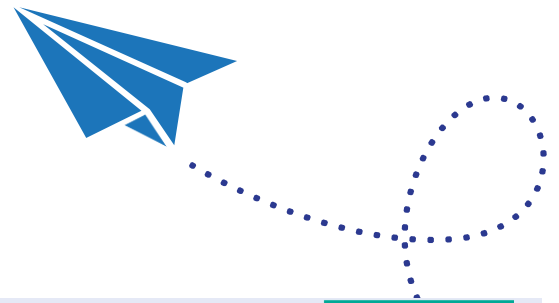
## FRIDAY 10 JANUARY

### GAMES DAY

Back by popular demand, get ready to challenge your peers at games on the PlayStation and Nintendo Switch.



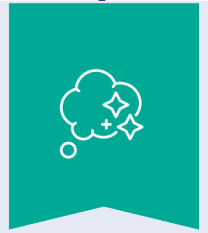
# WEEK TWO



## MONDAY 13 JANUARY

### MESSY PLAY DAY

Engage in messy activities such as slime-making and volcano eruptions. Make sure to wear old clothes and be prepared for a fantastic day of scientific exploration.



## TUESDAY 14 JANUARY

### COLOUR RUN

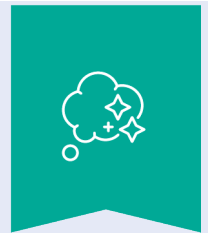
Ready, set, go! Wear your white shirts and running shoes, ready for our colour run. The children will be engaging in an obstacle course and covered in colourful powder!



## WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY

### MUSIC AND MOVEMENT

Have your party shoes ready for a day of dancing, yoga, and group performances.



## THURSDAY 16 JANUARY

### AFL DAY

We welcome Matt Haines and his team back to Mayfield to provide us with a day full of sporting fun.



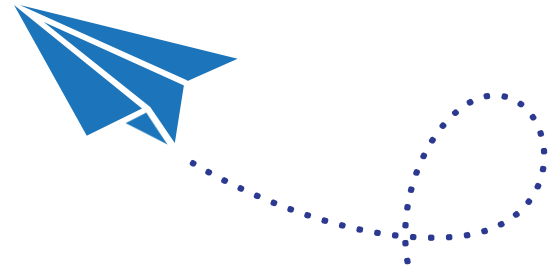
## FRIDAY 17 JANUARY

### REVOLUTION SPORTS PARK

The children will have a 2-hour session at Revolution, split between the inflatables and trampolines. If you have your own gripping socks please bring them along or \$3.50 for your child to purchase socks.



# WEEK THREE



## MONDAY 20 JANUARY

### DISNEY DAY

Come dressed as your favourite Disney character and engage in wonderful craft activities. We will end the day eating delicious popcorn and watching our favourite Disney Movies.



## TUESDAY 21 JANUARY

### BILLYCART AND ROCKET MASTERCLASS

Join Ranger Jamie for an exciting billycart and rocket masterclass! Children will have the thrill of riding homemade bilycarts and will also get to design and launch their own rockets. Using a special air compressor, they'll see just how high their creations can soar!



## WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY

### ICE SKATING

Join us at Hunter Ice Skating Stadium to test your balance and endurance. We will be engaging in a 2-hour session on the ice from 10:30AM-12:30PM.



## THURSDAY 23 JANUARY

### CAREERS DAY

What do you want to be when you're older? Come along to Careers Day to investigate the fun things professionals do in their day-to-day jobs. Will you be a detective, scientist, zoologist, or a pop star...?



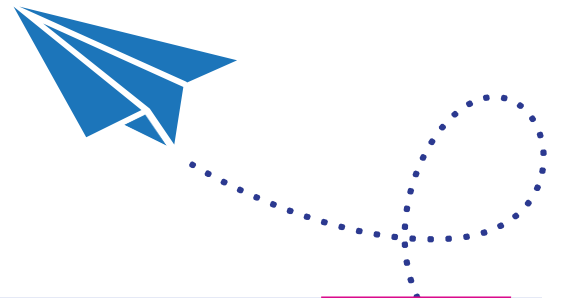
## FRIDAY 24 JANUARY

### WET N WILD WATER PLAY

Bring your swimmers and prepare for some water play. We will have our water slides out and engage in water balloon challenges!



# WEEK FOUR



## TUESDAY 28 JANUARY

### THE GREAT OOSH BAKE-OFF

Get ready to cook some delicious treats and decorate cakes for our Mayfield OOSH Bake Off.



## WEDNESDAY 29 JANUARY

### TOP PLAYGROUND PARTY

Enjoy a self-paced day on the top playground at OOSH. We will be engaging in different group games and enjoying a delicious picnic.



## THURSDAY 30 JANUARY

### LASER TAG

Test your hand-eye coordination at Laser Tag! We will be splitting into teams and challenging each other for the winning title.



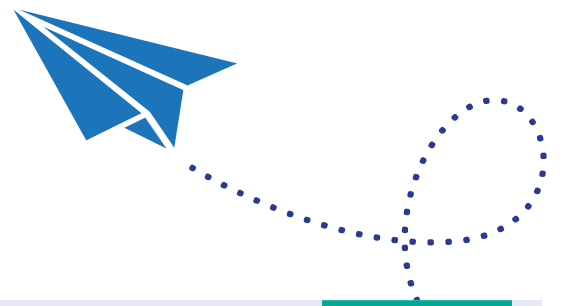
## FRIDAY 31 JANUARY

### PARTY DAY

Celebrate Vacation Care coming to an end with a party with your friends. We will take part in multiple party games with prizes up for grabs.



# PUPIL FREE DAYS



## THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER

### CHRISTMAS BAKING DAY

Let's make gingerbread houses and prepare our reindeer food for Christmas!

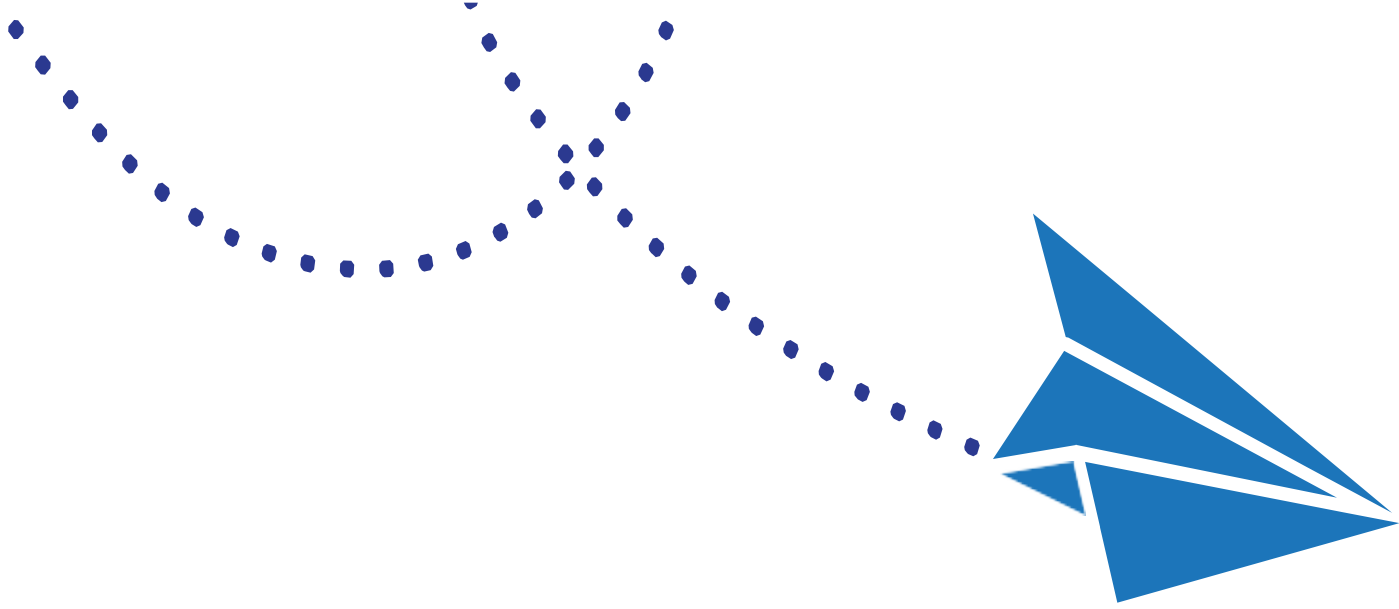


## FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER

### ALL THINGS CHRISTMAS

Watch a Christmas movie and create wonderful Christmas crafts!





## 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*