

Early Learning & Care Vacation Care Program

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Monday 16 December	Tuesday 17 December	Wednesday 18 December	Thursday 19 December	Friday 20 December
<p>STUFFLERS CHRISTMAS EMOJI PILLOWS</p> <p>Get ready to cosy up with Stuffers' Mini Christmas-Themed Emoji Pillows! These adorable pillows come with two festive accessories, perfect for adding a playful touch to your holiday decor. Spread cheer and warmth with these charming companions that capture the spirit of the season!</p> <p>In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>CHRISTMAS GAMES DAY</p> <p>Join us for a festive Christmas Games Day filled with holiday fun! Dive into classic games like "Pin the Nose on Rudolph," enjoy a spirited round of Christmas Bingo, and test your knowledge with Holiday Movie Trivia. See if you can Guess the Christmas Song, and don't miss out on Santa's Hat Game for some extra laughs! Gather your friends and family for a joyful day of celebration and cheer!</p> <p>In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch, Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>CHRISTMAS COOKING</p> <p>Get ready to unleash your inner holiday chef at our Christmas Cooking Day! We'll be making delicious treats like Chocolate Balls, adorably messy Melted Snowman Biscuits, and delightful Rice Krispie Reindeer. Don't forget to decorate your own Christmas Cookies! Join us for a fun-filled day of baking and festive cheer, perfect for creating sweet memories with family and friends!</p> <p>In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>CHRISTMAS CRAFT</p> <p>Join us for a festive Christmas Craft Day, where creativity meets holiday spirit! We'll be making adorable Salt Dough Ornaments, crafting fun Sock Snowmen, and creating charming Reindeer Clothespins. Plus, you can whip up Scented Sachets and cute Pom Pom Penguins to decorate your tree! Bring your imagination and get ready for a day of holiday crafting fun with family and friends!</p> <p>In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>COMBINED SERVICE CHRISTMAS GATHERING</p> <p>Join us for a heartwarming combined service Christmas gathering at the beautiful Botanical Gardens! Celebrate the holiday season with a festive gathering surrounded by nature's beauty. It's the perfect way to come together and share the joy of Christmas in the heart of the gardens!</p> <p>Departure: 9.30am Return: 2.00pm</p> <p>Bus Excursion BYO Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat/Dress Festive</p>

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<p>KITCHEN EXPERIMENTS</p> <p>Get ready for a day of exciting Kitchen Experiments that mix science and fun! We'll be creating our very own Volcanoes, writing with Invisible Ink, and making Homemade Butter from scratch. Watch in awe as we whip up Lava Lamps and witness the amazing Balloon and Baking Soda Reaction! Perfect for curious minds, this hands-on day promises laughter, learning, and unforgettable experiments!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>ZODOO</p> <p>Get ready for an unforgettable day at Zoodoo Wildlife Park! Explore the amazing animals, from playful kangaroos to majestic lions, and enjoy interactive experiences with exotic wildlife. It's the perfect mix of fun and learning for animal lovers of all ages! Come along for a wild ride through the zoo and create memories with every paw-some moment!</p> <p>Departure: 9.30am Return: 12.00pm</p> <p>\$110.00 Bus Excursion BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>AUSSIE SPORTS DAY</p> <p>Join us for an action-packed Aussie Sports Day celebrating our favourite games! Get ready to show off your skills in Soccer, Football, and Cricket. Whether you're playing or cheering from the sidelines, it's a day filled with excitement, teamwork, and fun. Bring your A-game and enjoy the camaraderie as we embrace the spirit of Aussie sports together!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>DIY COLD ROCK</p> <p>Get ready to create your own delicious DIY Cold Rock Ice Cream! Choose from a variety of lollies and toppings to mix into your creamy concoction for a truly personalized treat. Perfect for satisfying your sweet tooth, this fun and interactive day is all about enjoying the joy of making your ice cream just the way you like it. Bring your friends and let the flavour combinations begin!</p> <p>\$100.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>KINGSTON PARK</p> <p>Get ready for a day of excitement at Kingston Park Playground! With its epic slides, swings, climbing frames, and plenty of space to run around, this playground is a perfect spot for kids of all ages. Enjoy a BBQ lunch.</p> <p>Departure: 10.00am Return: 1.30pm</p> <p>\$100.00 Bus Excursion BBQ lunch provided BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>

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<p>DIY MOVIE PRODUCTION</p> <p>Lights, Camera, Action! Get ready for a day of hands-on filmmaking fun! Start with a <i>Storyboard Session</i> to sketch your vision, then dive into <i>Script Creation</i> to write the perfect dialogue. Next, hold a <i> Casting Call</i>, pick out the best costumes, and get ready for <i>Rehearsal</i>. Finally, step onto the set to <i>Film</i> your very own short movie masterpiece! Unleash your creativity, teamwork, and star potential in this exciting DIY Movie Production Day!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>SALMON PONDS</p> <p>Dive into nature at the historic Salmon Ponds. Explore the beautiful surroundings, learn about the fascinating history of salmon farming, and get up close with the fish in the crystal-clear ponds. Enjoy a peaceful stroll, feed the trout, and discover the rich heritage of this iconic Tasmanian location. Perfect for nature lovers and families alike!</p> <p>Departure: 9.30am Return: 1.30pm</p> <p>\$115.00 Bus Excursion BYO Picnic Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>MINI CHEF DAY (BURGERS)</p> <p>Join us for Mini Chef Day ! Kids will create their own delicious burgers, mixing and matching ingredients to craft their perfect meal. It's a fun, hands-on cooking experience that sparks creativity and a love for food! Let the burger-building begin!</p> <p>\$100.00 In house activity Lunch provided BYO Morning Tea /Drink Bottle/Hat and Apron</p>	<p>KIDCHELLA</p> <p>Get ready for Kidchella! Dive into fun at our tie-dye station, style up at the hair station, and let your imagination shine with face painting. Get crafty at our crafting station, dance the day away at our epic dance party, snap some memories in the photo booth, and cosy up for enchanting stories in the Storytime tent. It's a day of creativity and joy—don't miss out!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/ Drink Bottle/Hat and something to tie-dye</p>	<p>BIG MONKEY THEATRE (ALICE IN WONDERLAND)</p> <p>Step into a world of wonder in the beautiful Botanical Gardens for a magical performance of <i>Alice in Wonderland!</i> Watch as Alice journeys through a whimsical world full of quirky characters, enchanting stories, and delightful surprises. Join Corpus Christi for a picnic lunch after the show.</p> <p>Departure: 10.30am Return 1.00pm</p> <p>\$115.00 Bus Excursion BYO Picnic Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>

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<p>MYSTERY DAY</p> <p>Join us for Mystery Day! Test your skills in the Escape Room Challenge, then embark on a thrilling scavenger hunt. Become a detective with our fun training sessions and tantalize your taste buds with the Mystery Food Taste challenge. Finally, crack the codes in our Code Breaker Challenge. It's a day full of adventure and intrigue—let the mysteries unfold!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>PELICAN PUPPETS</p> <p>Get ready for a fun-filled, interactive experience with Pelican Puppets with Kitchen Kreations. Watch as quirky kitchen-themed puppets come to life. Perfect for children, this hands-on performance will spark creativity, laughter. It's a recipe for fun and learning.</p> <p>Session Time: 10.00am-12.00pm</p> <p>\$100.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch, Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>MT FIELD, NATIONAL PARK</p> <p>Get ready for an unforgettable adventure at Mt. Field National Park! Discover stunning waterfalls, lush forests, and breathtaking mountain views as you explore the park's scenic trails. Don't miss the majestic Russell Falls and the towering Tall Trees as you immerse yourself in nature. Mt. Field is a nature lover's paradise!</p> <p>Departure: 9.00am Return: 3.00pm</p> <p>\$115.00 Bus Excursion BBQ Lunch provided BYO Morning Tea/Picnic Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>AUSSIE COOKING DAY</p> <p>Celebrate Aussie Cooking Day! Get ready to whip up classic treats like delicious lamingtons, sweet ANZAC biscuits, and colourful fairy bread. Learn how to bake traditional damper and create tasty chocolate crackles. Don't forget to master the savory sausage rolls! It's a fun-filled day of cooking and tasting the best of Australia—let's get cooking!</p> <p>\$100.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Apron</p>	<p>SIMMONS PARK</p> <p>Get ready for a fun-filled day at Simmons Park Playground! From exciting slides and swings to climbing structures and wide-open spaces for running around, there's something for everyone. It's the perfect spot, with nature and adventure around every corner!</p> <p>Departure: 10.00am Return: 1.30pm</p> <p>\$100.00 Bus Excursion BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>

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<h2>Closed Public holiday</h2>	<p>NEW NORFOLK SWIMMING POOL</p> <p>Dive into a day of water-filled fun at the New Norfolk Swimming Pool! Perfect for a swim or splash around, it's the ideal spot to cool off and enjoy the summer vibes. Make a splash and create some unforgettable memories on this exciting excursion!</p> <p>Departure: 9.00am Return: 12.30pm</p> <p>\$115.00 Bus Excursion BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat/Swimmers/Towel</p>	<p>FASHION DESIGN DAY</p> <p>Join us for Fashion Design Day! Get ready for a creative challenge as you dive into the Fashion Design Challenge and bring your unique outfits to life at the Outfit Creation station. Add some flair at the Accessory Design station, and don't miss the fabulous Runway Show, where everyone can strut their stuff! It's a day full of style, creativity, and fun—let your fashion dreams come true!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>CARNIVAL DAY</p> <p>Step right up for Carnival Day! Get ready to enjoy exciting games like ring toss, chocolate toss, and the duck game. Transform your look with vibrant face painting and try your luck at Spin the Wheel for fun prizes. Join our juggling workshop and don't miss the enchanting puppet show that will delight everyone! It's a day filled with laughter, skill, and carnival magic—come join the fun!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch, Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>TEN PIN BOWLING</p> <p>Get ready for a day of friendly competition and plenty of strikes at Ten Pin Bowling! Whether you're a pro or a first timer, it's the perfect activity for all ages. Roll your way to fun, challenge your friends, and celebrate each strike with high-fives and laughs! This excursion is sure to be a strike for everyone!</p> <p>Departure: 10.00am Return: 12.00pm</p> <p>\$115.00 Bus Excursion BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>

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Monday 3 February	Tuesday 4 February	Wednesday 5 February	Thursday 6 February	Friday 7 February
<p>TIME TRAVEL DAY</p> <p>Get ready for Time Travel Day! Step into history with our historical dress-up activity and create your very own time capsule to capture memories for the future. Kids will love designing their own time machines and playing historical games. Plus, they'll get hands-on with some fun historical cooking and crafting ancient artifacts. It's a day of adventure and discovery through the ages—let's travel through time together!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>COLOUR EXPLOSION DAY</p> <p>Get ready for Colour Explosion Day! Dive into creativity with bubble art and vibrant coloured ice painting. Join the fun at the Colour Run, where you'll splash through a rainbow of colours as you race! Get hands-on with DIY crayon melting to create stunning art pieces, and explore the beauty of mosaic art with colourful tiles. It's a day bursting with fun, colour, and creativity—let's make a masterpiece together!</p> <p>\$100.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat White Shirt</p>	<p>LEGACY PARK</p> <p>Get ready for a day of outdoor fun at the Legacy Park Playground. With awesome play equipment, wide open spaces, and plenty of room to run, it's the perfect spot for kids to explore and burn off energy. Whether you're climbing, swinging, or just relaxing, Legacy Park offers a great mix of adventure and nature!</p> <p>Departure: 10.00am Return: 1.30pm</p> <p>\$100.00 Bus Excursion BBQ lunch provided BYO Morning Tea/Drink Bottle/Hat</p>	<p>BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY GAMES DAY</p> <p>Celebrate the new school year with our Back to School Party Games Day! Join in on the fun with the exciting Chocolate Game, test your skills with Balloon Pop, and enjoy the classic thrill of Musical Chairs. Don't miss out on Rob the Nest, where strategy and fun collide! It's a fantastic day filled with laughter, friendly competition, and a warm welcome back to school—let's kick off the year with a bang!</p> <p>\$85.00 In house activity BYO Morning Tea/Lunch/Drink Bottle and Hat</p>	<p>First day Term one 2025</p>

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Booking Process

Upcoming Vacation Care bookings are to be made through the **My Family Lounge website/phone app**

This process has no additional forms to complete, allowing you to book vacation care instantly and receive immediate confirmation.

By booking through the App you accept and agree to the details stated in this document

Fees / Cancellations / Absences

Fees are \$85.00 per day.

Additional Fees for Incursions and Excursions.

- **Tier 1** - \$15.00 per day for Incursions or General Excursions. These may include activities like visiting local parks, or in house experiences such as workshops or performances.
- **Tier 2** - \$30.00 per day for Higher-Value excursions, such as larger venues, or events that require additional entry fees and travel expenses.

All fees are before any subsidy is applied.

Fees are inclusive of excursions, bus costs, resources, and afternoon tea.

Booking and cancellation requirements as per the attached Fee Fact Sheet.

Services / Sites

CORPUS CHRISTI Bellerive	HOLY ROSARY Claremont	ST BRIGID'S New Norfolk	ST CUTHBERT'S Lindisfarne	ST JOHN'S Richmond	ST MARY'S Hobart
Kinder – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6
0488 107 863	0447 599 368	0427 779 672	0437 270 922	0438 189 468	0427 781 500
LARMENIER St Leonards	SACRED HEART Launceston	ST ANTHONY'S Riverside	ST FINN BARR'S Invermay	ST THOMAS MORE'S Newstead	
Kinder – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6	Prep – Grade 6	Kinder – Grade 6	
0407 061 451	0409 421 428	0437 014 241	0409 757 502	0409 561 167	

Administration Team

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Signing in / out – Collection of Children

Families, or an authorised person over the age of 18 with their own login, are required to deliver and collect their child from the Service using the sign in tablet.

You may add additional people to your contact list by emailing Administration with the person's name and phone number.

All new contacts are required to provide identification if they are collecting your child from the service.

Educators are not to sign your children in and out.

Medication / Action Plans

If your child requires a **Medical Action Plan**, this needs to be provided **prior to your child's commencement**. Your child will not be able to attend care without a current Medical Action Plan. If medication is required to be administered to your child during Vacation Care (including self-medication e.g. asthma puffer), a completed **Medication Record (PP16)** is required prior to your child's commencement. Only medication with a pharmacist dispensing label outlining the child's name, dosage, name of medication and current date will be administered.

Excursions

Children are asked to arrive at the service at least 15 minutes prior to the excursion leaving. Departure times are written on the program for individual days. Please be aware that times for excursions vary from day to day.

The legal requirement for excursion ratios is 1:15, we endeavour to run all of our excursion at 1:10.

Risk assessments are done prior to the children leaving for the excursion. If you would like to see a copy of the risk assessment, please ask one of the educators.

Families are required to sign the Excursion permission form on the day of excursions.

All bus companies we use are accredited. All drivers hold current WWVC cards.

Weather Conditions

Services may need to change excursions / outdoor activities on the day due to weather conditions (rain or heat). Families will be notified on arrival at the service or by Storypark / email.

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Clothing

Please ensure your child is dressed to suit the weather conditions. This includes enclosed shoes (no thongs) sun safe hat / warm jacket.
Please read the program closely to see if there are any other requirements needed (e.g. swim wear / sports shoes)

Food

Afternoon tea which consists of seasonal fruit and vegetables and a snack is provided daily. Please pack your child a healthy morning tea, lunch and a water bottle.
Check the program daily to see if lunch is provided (e.g. BBQ)

Behaviour

Early Learning and Care reserves the right to refuse access to children who do not act in accordance with our Child Behaviour Guidance and Management policy ([PP02](#))