



# Faith OSHC Vacation Care



Dear Families,

ADVENTURE WEEK!!! We are ridiculously excited to be trialing this new program and we hope the children are too! Thank you for joining us on this Adventure Week! There are some important things to note for each of the excursions, times to be at OSHC and items required to participate in the activities. Please read the below information carefully.

## Important Information:

- OSHC will operate as normal throughout the three weeks of the July holidays with Adventure Week on top
- We will be taking a mini bus for the Adventure Week excursions to keep costs down. As a result, places are limited to between 16 - 18 children for each excursion. Get your bookings in fast!
- The operating hours for Vacation Care are 6.30am – 6:00pm daily. See below for the times you'll need to be at OSHC and when we will be home
- Please ensure you pack your child morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea and a water bottle in a backpack that they can carry. The table below outlines exactly what you are required to bring daily, so please refer to this for further information
- Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately. No sleeveless shirts or midriff tops, as we are a SunSafe service. No thongs or sandals. Closed in shoes are essential so your child can play safely and doesn't miss out on activities.
- Please ensure that your child has a brimmed hat every day... no hat no play! **Please do not bring caps.** Hats should have a brim all the way around or a flap at the back.
- Please ensure that your child wears clothes that can get dirty. We provide paint shirts and aprons, but there is always the possibility that their clothes may get stained or wet during the day.
- If there is an excursion that doesn't have enough bookings by the end of term, we may have to cancel it

*If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to speak to Simon. Thank you for your attention to these details.*

All the information for the normal July Vacation Care program will be released soon. In order to stay up to date with reminders and notices please like our Facebook page (Faith OSHC) and download our app (Faith OSHC). We will be posting Adventure Week Happy Snaps on our Facebook page during the excursions and we send out updates via the app.

## Extra Information:

The cost of each day is \$55.00 for bookings made before the holidays commence. For late bookings, any booking made during the Vacation Care period, the cost of the day will be \$60.00. Please note that we require seven (7) days' notice for cancellations or absences. The excursions require an additional payment, as per the booking form. **Please note that the additional costs, the OSHC departure times for excursions, the essentials that your child must bring and additional information are on the following page.**

## July 2019 Vacation Care Adventure Week

Monday July 8, 2019 - Australia Zoo	
Additional Cost: \$25.00	Be at OSHC by: 7.00am Arrival back at OSHC: 5.00pm
<b>Bring → morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea, brimmed hat, sun safe clothing, water bottle, comfortable walking shoes</b>	
<p>This is a long day but we have made it a long one on purpose. On previous trips to Australia Zoo, we have found it a struggle to see all of the exhibits around the zoo. We're hoping this will give us enough time to get around. We will be skipping the 12.00pm show in the Crocoseum as getting back for this is very difficult when we're trying to see other exhibits.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>This excursion is open to all ages but keep in mind the length of the day for younger children and whether it would be too much for them</i></p>	
Tuesday July 9, 2019 - Kingston Park Raceway	
Additional Cost: \$25.00	Be at OSHC by: 8.30am Arrival back at OSHC: 2.00pm
<b>Bring → morning tea, lunch, brimmed hat, sun safe clothing, water bottle, fully enclosed shoes, hoodie (for drivers with hair longer than their shoulders)</b>	
<p>Drivers will be split into age groups, 8-9 year olds and 10-12 year olds. Each group will get three races and three hours of unlimited use of the parks mini golf course, giant slide and jumping castle.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>This excursion has VERY strict dress requirements. If these are not met, your child will not be able to race:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Fully enclosed shoes</li> <li>- A hoodie (For drivers with hair longer than their shoulders)</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Children must be 8 years or older on the date of the excursion to attend</i></p>	
Wednesday July 10, 2019 - iPlay Skyrail, Westfield Coomera	
Additional Cost: \$20.00	Be at OSHC by: 8.00am Arrival back at OSHC: 2.30pm
<b>Bring → morning tea, lunch, brimmed hat, sun safe clothing, water bottle, comfortable walking shoes, comfortable clothes for climbing</b>	
<p>We will be heading down to Westfield Coomera to check out the Skyrail high ropes course at iPlay. Children will have 1.5 hours to get through as much of the course as they can and then 30 minutes on the arcade games.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Children in Grade 3 or above are welcome to join us for this excursion but they need to be taller than 122cm. We have a mark on the wall at OSHC so you can check</i></p>	
Thursday July 11, 2019 - Urban Xtreme	
Additional Cost: \$25.00	Be at OSHC by: 10.00am Arrival back at OSHC: 2.30pm
<b>Bring → morning tea, lunch, brimmed hat, sun safe clothing, water bottle, closed toe shoes, long pants/tights, long socks</b>	
<p>We are going to Urban Xtreme in Hendra for some skiing! They have the only indoor ski slope in Qld! It's like a big treadmill. We will have an instructor and two slopes booked for our children to use over a one hour session.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>This excursion has VERY strict dress requirements. If these are not met, your child will not be able to ski:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Long pants/tights</li> <li>- Long socks</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Children in Grade 1 or above are welcome to join us for this excursion</i></p>	
Friday July 12, 2019 - Treetop Challenge, Big Pineapple	
Additional Cost: \$30.00	Be at OSHC by: 8.00am Arrival back at OSHC: 3.30pm
<b>Bring → morning tea, lunch, brimmed hat, sun safe clothing, water bottle, comfortable clothes and shoes for climbing</b>	
<p>The same company that created the Treetop Challenge at Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary have just opened a new adventure park at The Big Pineapple on the Sunshine Coast so we're going to check it out! It is the highest course in Australia and boasts 100 challenges and 12 flying foxes and ziplines more than 25 metres above the ground! Woo!!!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Children in Grade 3 or above are welcome to join us for this excursion but they need to be able to reach past 160cm with their arms outstretched. We have a mark on the wall at OSHC so you can check</i></p>	

Kind Regards,

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