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Vacation Care Programme

Expectations for Skippy's Vacation Care

Excursion information: *Book in quick to avoid missing out!*

Please note: all excursions are capped as stated on the vacation care program - this will vary depending on the excursion. It will be a requirement on booking, that permission forms are signed to confirm booked excursions that your child will be attending. **If there is no permission form signed, your child will be unable to attend excursions.**

Sun Safety Policy including SunSmart Clothing and Hats: Please familiarise yourself with our "Sun Protection Policy and Procedure" (available from our centre administration.) This policy contains crucial information regarding the policy that Skippy's ELC enforces to ensure the health and safety of all children and educators.

Please see below acceptable clothing for all children taken from above policy:-

'Ensure that their child's clothing provides adequate protection from UVR. Cancer Council Queensland recommends clothing with the following features:

- ♥ Dark-coloured
- ♥ Collars and sleeves
- ♥ Closely woven fabric
- ♥ Natural fibre

If your child comes dressed in inappropriate clothing such as singlets or dresses with no sleeves, your child will be asked by educators to change into SunSmart clothing before going outside. If your child does not have alternative clothing in their bag your child will not be able to go outside.

During VayCare we like to spontaneously offer water play experiences throughout the day, if you would like your child to participate in these experiences, please pack a spare set of clothing or togs including swimming rashie and a towel.

Broad brimmed hat: To ensure adequate sun protection for your child please ensure your child brings a broad brimmed hat every day. NO CAPS! If your child does not bring one, they may miss out on activities planned in the outdoor environment or excursions.

Enclosed Shoes: Please ensure that your child brings enclosed shoes everyday as we may participate in experiences that require enclosed shoes. In addition, our excursion policy states it is a requirement for all children to wear enclosed shoes while on excursions. If they do not bring enclosed shoes, they will not be able to attend these excursions.

Water bottles, spare set of clothes and a bag: Please ensure that your child brings a water bottle and a bag every day. This ensures that your child's belongings are kept together, and a drink of water is easily accessible throughout the day.



No Electronic devices are allowed to be brought to the centre. Please do not bring toys from home.



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Week 1 (Monday 27 June – Friday 1 July)

Date	27 June 2022 (MON)	28 June 2022 (TUES)	29 June 2022 (WED)	30 June 2022 (THU)	1 July 2022 (FRI)
Who	Everyone	Everyone	Under 8's	Under 8's	Everyone
Cost	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	Excursion - \$13.50	In Centre - Free
What	Nailed It!	Winter Wonderland	In-Centre	Mt Hay	Tie Dye
Details	<p>Today we will be having our very own <i>Nailed It</i> baking competition at Skippy's. We will work in groups to see who can create the best cake.</p> 	<p>Today we are going to embrace all the wonders of winter by coming in our PJs or onesies and having a movie and spa day!</p> 	<p>Today whilst the older children are out, we will have a wheel's day in centre. Bring your scooter or bike and your helmet and closed in shoes</p> 	<p>9:00am – 3:00pm Today we will be going out to Mt Hay to dig for Thunder Eggs</p>  <p>Max 20 on excursion</p>	<p>Today we will be creating our own tie dye sock creation! You will need to bring your own shirt or white item to tie dye</p> 
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Cost	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	Excursion - \$13.50	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free
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Week 2 (Monday 4 July – Friday 8 July)

Date	4 July 2022 (MON)	5 July 2022 (TUES)	6 July 2022 (WED)	7 July 2022 (THU)	8 July 2022 (FRI)
Who	Under 8's	Under 8's	Everyone	Under 8's	Under 8's
Cost	In Centre - Free	Excursion – Free	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	Excursion - \$7.50 TBC
What	Messy Slime Day	Rockhampton Zoo	Superhero Disco Day!	Fort Building and Loose Parts	Dreamtime Cultural Centre
Details	<p>Today, as requested by the children we will be making slime and having a messy day. Be sure to pack spare clothes as we will be getting messy!</p> 	<p>9:30-2:00pm</p> <p>Today we will be heading to the Rockhampton Zoo to visit all the animals, followed by a picnic lunch and play at the playground. Don't forget your closed in shoes, sun safe clothes and hat!</p>  <p>Max 20 on excursion</p>	<p>Let's have another fun dress up day and a disco! Come dressed as your favourite superhero and get ready for a great day. We will have craft items out to make props and masks for our heroes too!! For lunch today will enjoy pizzas and ice cream!</p> 	<p>Today we will use our loose parts area environment as well as our back yard to create Forts and Bases. If you have any loose parts items at home, please bring them with you to add to our loose parts collection.</p> 	<p>9:30-2:00</p> <p>Today we will head over to the Dreamtime Cultural Centre for a guided tour. On the way back we will stop at Cedric Archer Park for some lunch and a play.</p>  <p>Max 20 on excursion</p>
Who	Over 8's	Over 8's	Everyone	Over 8's	Over 8's
Cost	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	In Centre - Free	Excursion - \$7.50 TBC	In Centre - Free
What	Emu Park	Messy Slime Day	Superhero Disco Day!	Kershaw Gardens and Dreamtime Cultural Centre	Fort Building and Loose Parts
Details	<p>9:00-3:00</p> <p>As requested by the children, we are heading down to Emu Park to Kerr Park for a day in the sun! Don't forget your closed in shoes, sun safe clothes and hat!</p>  <p>Max 20 on excursion</p>	<p>Today, as requested by the children we will be making slime and having a messy day. Be sure to pack spare clothes as we will be getting wet and messy! We will finish the day with some team games and challenges with some prizes!</p> 	<p>Let's have another fun dress up day and a disco! Come dressed as your favourite superhero and get ready for a great day. We will have craft items out to make props and masks for our heroes too!! For lunch today will enjoy pizzas and ice cream!</p> 	<p>10:00-3:00</p> <p>Today we will be going to the Kershaw Gardens for a play and some lunch followed by a guided tour of the Dreamtime Cultural Centre.</p>  <p>Max 20 on excursion</p>	<p>Today we will use our loose parts area environment as well as our back yard to create Forts and Bases. If you have any loose parts items at home, please bring them with you to add to our loose parts collection.</p> 

