

# REDEEMER OSHC PREP SUMMER '25 VAC CARE

Summer Vacation Care has arrived at Redeemer OSHC, and we are so ready to spend the holidays with you for the very first time!

In this Vacation Care package, you will find:

- Vacation Care Information Page
- Junior Program Calendars
- Incursion & Excursion Information
- Incursion & Excursion Permission Forms
- Regular Outing Permission Form \*to attend Rochedale Fruit Market\*

Our VAC package can appear overwhelming, but each form provides either our families or our service with vital information that ensure your child can have a fun, safe and uninterrupted Vacation Care.

Your diligence when completing any required forms is greatly appreciated and will ensure that all bookings can be confirmed as quickly as possible.

Full program information with documentation links is available on request.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact us! Email preferred.  
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We look forward to an enjoyable and exciting Vacation Care with all of our families. Thank you for trusting us with your children.

Geena Barnes  
OSHC Director

# REDEEMER OSHC VACATION CARE INFORMATION

## PROGRAM:

Our program consists of themed days which all involve indoor and outdoor play experiences. All days provide children with options for craft creations, language activities, physical challenges, social games, and plenty of child-led, spontaneous play. Fostering children's social and emotional development is as important to us as supporting their cognitive and physical development, so we love to encourage their creative and imaginative learning with free play opportunities.

## BOOKINGS:

All bookings must be made by parents/guardians via the Xplor app. You will not receive any confirmations for standard Vacation Care days but will be able to see your bookings in the app's calendar tab instantly, as noted by a small orange dot on relevant days. Places in additional activities, such as incursions and excursions, will be confirmed via email once forms are received by the service.

## INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS:

A completed authorisation form must be returned to the service with parent/guardian signature prior to all incursions and excursions. Unfortunately, phone, email or verbal permission are not suitable and will not be accepted in replacement of a signed authorisation form.

## FOOD & DRINK:

Our program allows for three food breaks (fruit snack at 9.30am, lunch at 12.00pm, optional afternoon tea at 3.00pm). **Our service now provides fruit and vegetable platters for both morning and afternoon tea, as well as an afternoon snack, but lunch still needs to be provided by families.** Please note we are unable to reheat or refrigerate food. A water bottle is also essential for all days.

## ESSENTIALS:

Enclosed shoes, a wide-brimmed hat (**no caps**), and clothing that covers shoulders and upper arms are a must. Children without may be unable to participate in certain activities at the discretion of educators. **If attending BCLS, please also bring a basic pencil case and stationery items.**

## PERSONAL ITEMS:

Please label all items, including clothing. **Personal phones and/or smart watches are not permitted and will be removed from children.** We strongly discourage children from bringing toys or games from home, and accept no responsibility for any damage, loss, or inappropriate use.

## SESSIONS & FEES:

We offer four sessions for Vacation Care: 11hr with or without BCLS from 7.00am to 6.00pm, or 9hr with or without BCLS from 8.30am to 5.30pm. Bookings **made after 13 December for 2025** will incur additional admin fees of \$5.00 per day. Sessions with BCLS incur an incursion fee of \$5.00. Your child may only attend within booked session hours. Children booked for the 9hr session who attend outside of session time will be moved to the 11hr session with a \$10.00 admin fee charged.

Children collected after 6.00pm will be charged \$20.00 at 6.00pm and \$5.00 per additional 5 minutes thereafter. Failure to sign children in or out correctly is a breach of CCS obligations and will also incur additional admin fees of \$5.00 per child.





















Hats may be provided to children that do not have an appropriate hat (ie: no hat or cap only) at an additional fee of \$15.00 per hat.

7 days' notice is required for cancellations, or full fees will be charged. Absences before your child's first attendance or after your child's last attendance may result in CCS being revoked for these bookings, in which case full fees must be settled by the family. **If absent for your final day of VAC, please aim to re-attend within 12 weeks of your child's last physical attendance to avoid incurring a later debt.**

# SUMMER 2025

## 7 Jan - 24 Jan

**JUNIORS:**  
Prep & Year 1 in 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
 OSHC <span style="float: right;">6</span> Open Afternoon & Info Session	Epiphany & Happy New Year <span style="float: right;">7</span> 	 Slip & Slide <span style="float: right;">8</span>	Indoor Messy Play <span style="float: right;">9</span> 	 Outdoor Messy Play <span style="float: right;">10</span> 
3.00pm-4.00pm only! See details below. <b>OSHC not operational for children on this day.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New Year goals.</li> <li>Three Kings crafts.</li> <li>Story telling.</li> </ul>	INC: Water Slides & Bowling <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water tube play.</li> <li>Tarp slides.</li> <li>Child-led experiences.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oobleck.</li> <li>Finger painting.</li> <li>Child-led sensory &amp; creative experiences.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nature play.</li> <li>Messy and water play.</li> <li>Child-led sensory &amp; creative experiences.</li> </ul>
 LEGO League <span style="float: right;">13</span> 	Galaxy Day <span style="float: right;">14</span>  Mini Golf 	 Sun's Out! <span style="float: right;">15</span> 	Mad Hatter Thursday <span style="float: right;">16</span> 	Heroes & Helpers <span style="float: right;">17</span>  
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LEGO challenges.</li> <li>LEGO-themed crafts.</li> <li>City builder challenge.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rocket crafts.</li> <li>Space paintings.</li> <li>Cloud watching.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water tube play.</li> <li>Oval games.</li> <li>Child-led cognitive and sensory experiences.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alice in Wonderland themed experiences.</li> <li>Story time.</li> <li>Hat making.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Helping Hands baking.</li> <li>Letters to first responders.</li> <li>OSLC pen pal cards.</li> </ul>
Savannah Safari <span style="float: right;">20</span> 	Recycled Crafts <span style="float: right;">21</span>  Reverse Garbage 	 Summer Daze <span style="float: right;">22</span> 	Up, Up & Away! <span style="float: right;">23</span> 	OSHC Friends <span style="float: right;">24</span> 
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Animal safari 'trip'.</li> <li>Frozen animal breakout.</li> <li>Safari crafts and trivia.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recycled crafts.</li> <li>Rocket ship making.</li> <li>Cardboard creations.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Water tube play.</li> <li>Oval games.</li> <li>Child-led cognitive and sensory experiences.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cloud watching.</li> <li>Rocket launching crafts.</li> <li>Kite designing and flying.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Friendship bracelets.</li> <li>Team bonding games.</li> <li>Friend BINGO.</li> </ul>

### January 6 - Info Session

All of our families (new or existing!) are welcome to join us on the afternoon of Monday, January 6 for an Open Afternoon / Information Session. From 3.00pm-4.00pm, you can meet the team, tour our room, and ask questions. We will provide some brief information around play-based learning, documentation and how we operate.

Please note: Children are welcome to join you, but will remain the responsibility of their parents.

Care for children will **not** be provided by our educators on this day.

### Notes & Optional Programs

 Optical2You Vision Screening, see attachments	 Dental2You Dental Screening, see attachments
 Learn to Swim; 2.00pm-2.30pm or 2.30pm-3.00pm, \$25/session	 OPTIONAL EXCURSION +\$35.00 arrive by 8.00am *additional permission form required*
 Sport Camp; 9.00am-10.30am, \$30.00/session	 NON-OPTIONAL INCURSION +\$20.00 *additional permission form required*
 STEM; 1.00pm-3.30pm, \$60.00/session	 WATER DAY *swimming clothes and towel + additional skill form required*
 Tennis; 9.00am-12.00pm, \$35.00/session	

ADD ON OPTIONAL INCURSIONS HERE: <https://forms.gle/i9PLku5winFQ78AD9>

# REDEEMER OSHC PROGRAM INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS

## INCURSION DAYS:

**ALL: \$20.00 additional for \$93.00 total daily price (2025).**  
Requires incursion permission form.

Water Slides + Inflatable Bowling

- Wednesday 8 January for all ages
- 45 minute sessions, between 9.30am-3.30pm

## OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:

**ALL: \$35.00 additional for \$108.00 total daily price (2025).**  
+\$20.00 additional for excursion shirt if not already owned.  
Requires excursion permission form. 8.00am recommended arrival time with 8.30am arrival cut-off.

### **JUNIORS (Prep & Yr 1)**

Mini Golf & Foot Golf

- 2hr session of mini golf and foot golf (similar to soccer) at Mt Gravatt Showgrounds
- Tuesday 14 January, 9.30am-12.30pm (arrive by 8.30am)

Reverse Garbage

- 1.5hr session of recycled material crafts and learning about sustainability
- Tuesday 21 January, 9.15am-12.15pm (arrive by 8.30am)

# REDEEMER OSHC

## OPTIONAL INCURSION INFORMATION

### BCLS (BRISBANE CHINESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL):

Chinese cultural and language instruction by teachers from Brisbane Chinese Language School. Maximum class size of 25 children with 1 teacher + OSHC educators at 1:15 ratio.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$5.00 per session
- Dates & Times: every day, 9.00am-12.00pm (**must arrive by 9.15am**)

### LEARN TO SWIM:

Learn to swim program, taught by Southside Aquatics swimming instructors. Ratio of 6 children with 1 instructor + OSHC educator with Bronze Medallion. Minimum 4 children for class to go ahead. **Children must attend all classes in January.**

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$25.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - Tuesdays, 2.00pm-2.30pm or 2.30pm-3.00pm
  - Wednesdays, 2.00pm-2.30pm or 2.30pm-3.00pm

### STEM (Prep-Yr 3):

Coding and engineering involving use of iPads and physical materials, taught by Engineering for Kids instructors. Ratio of 20 children with 1 instructor & 1 assistant + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio. Minimum 10 children.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$60.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - Wednesday 8 January, 1.00pm-3.30pm
  - Wednesday 15 January, 1.00pm-3.30pm
  - Thursday 23 January, 1.00pm-3.30pm

### TENNIS (all ages):

Tennis camp program, taught by Malpass Tennis coaches. Ratio of 12 children with 1 coach + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$35.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - Monday 13 January to Thursday 16 January, 9.00am-12.00pm

### SPORTS CAMPS (all ages):

Mixed sports camps taught by Redeemer Sport and specialized coaches. Ratio of 20 children with 1 coach + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio. Minimum 6 children.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$30.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - **Basketball** - Thursday 9 January, 9.00am-10.30am
  - **Table Tennis** - Friday 10 January, 9.00am-10.30am
  - **Netball** - Monday 13 January, 9.00am-10.30am
  - **Dance** - Friday 17 January, 9.00am-10.30am

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<https://forms.gle/i9PLku5winFQ78AD9>



## Redeemer Lutheran College OSHC

EPP-Incursion Authorisation

V7.22

Name of incursion provider	Ocean Life
Description of incursion	Ocean Life educational presentation and marine life showcase
Location of incursion	Redeemer OSHC, MPC area
Date of incursion	<b>Wednesday 27 November 2024</b>
Incursion commencement time	12.30pm
Duration	75 minutes
Anticipated staff ratio	<b>1:12 ratio</b>
Anticipated number of staff/adults attending	7-9
Anticipated number of children attending	70-90
The Nominated Supervisor has sighted the incursion provider's risk assessment/s	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Activities that will be undertaken during the incursion and links to the Service program	
<p>Ocean Life educational presentation and marine life showcase. Children will learn about keeping our oceans healthy and safe, as well as the marine life that live in them. Children will be shown and be able to touch some live marine life, as well as view items such as a shark tooth.</p> <p>LO by CZ with MY: 24/09 CS by AG: 26/09</p>	
As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nominee named in the child's enrolment record, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Incursion, as outlined above	
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date



## Redeemer Lutheran College OSHC

EPP-Incursion Authorisation

V7.22

Name of incursion provider	Don't Stop the Party
Description of incursion	Water slides and inflatable bowling
Location of incursion	Redeemer OSHC, MPC area and JS Oval
Date of incursion	Wednesday 8 January 2025
Incursion commencement time	9.30am
Duration	45 minute sessions
Anticipated staff ratio	1:10 ratio
Anticipated number of staff/adults attending	16-20
Anticipated number of children attending	160-200
The Nominated Supervisor has sighted the incursion provider's risk assessment/s	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Activities that will be undertaken during the incursion and links to the Service program	

Inflatable water slides and ten-pin bowling game. Two water slides will be on the JS oval, while ten-pin bowling will be in the MPC. Children will have 45 minute rotations on the water slides and other wet activities on the oval, and ten-pin bowling will be accessible in the MPC during free play times.

CS by CC: 27/09

As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nominee named in the child's enrolment record, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Incursion, as outlined above

Child's Name

Parent/Guardian/Authorised  
Nominee Name

Signature

Date



## Redeemer Lutheran College OSHC

EPP-Excursion Authorisation

V11.23

<p>The Education and Care Regulations define an excursion as an outing organised by an education and care service, but does not include an outing organised by an education and care service provided on a school site. Risk assessments (in accordance with Education and Care Regulation 101) for this excursion have been prepared and are available at the Service</p>	
Name of Venue	<b>Mt Gravatt Golf</b>
Description of Venue	A family run and family focused venue located in the Mt Gravatt Showgrounds, Brisbane.
Address of Venue	<b>Mt Gravatt Showgrounds, Broadwater Rd, Mount Gravatt 4122</b>
Means of Transport	<b>Mt Gravatt Coach &amp; Travel</b>
Requirements for seat belts or safety restraints (if applicable)	<b>seat belts</b>
Date of Excursion	<b>Tuesday 14 January 2025 (for Juniors) - Wednesday 15 January 2025 (for Middles)</b>
Estimated time of departure from Service	9.30am (arrival required by 8.30am)
Estimated time of return to Service	12.30pm
Anticipated staff ratio	<b>1:8</b>
Anticipated number of staff/adults attending	4
Anticipated number of children attending	25 JUNIORS (Prep & Year 1) - 30 MIDDLES (Year 2 & Year 3)
<p>Activities that will be undertaken during the Excursion and links to the Service program</p> <p>Tuesday - Excursion for Prep &amp; Year 1 only. Wednesday - Excursion for Year 2 &amp; Year 3 only.</p> <p>A family focused venue at the Mt Gravatt Showgrounds, offering two different 18 Hole Mini Golf courses and a 9 Hole Foot Golf course. Children will participate in both mini golf and foot golf games, as well as a private area with board games available.</p> <p>SS by SW: 01/10</p>	
<p>As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nominee named in the child's enrolment record as having authority to authorise an Educator to take the child outside the education and care service premises, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Excursion as outlined above</p>	
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date





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Name of Venue	Reverse Garbage
Description of Venue	Queensland's only eco arts and reuse centre.
Address of Venue	20 Burke St, Woolloongabba 4102
Means of Transport	Mt Gravatt Coach & Travel
Requirements for seat belts or safety restraints (if applicable)	seat belts
Date of Excursion	Tuesday 21 January 2025
Estimated time of departure from Service	9.15am (arrival required by 8.30am)
Estimated time of return to Service	12.30pm
Anticipated staff ratio	1:8
Anticipated number of staff/adults attending	4
Anticipated number of children attending	25 JUNIORS (Prep & Year 1)
Activities that will be undertaken during the Excursion and links to the Service program	
<p>Excursion for Prep &amp; Year 1 only.</p> <p>Queensland's only eco arts and reuse centre specialising in the collection of clean industrial discards and other high quality materials. Children will engage with a 1.5hr workshop, using recycled materials to build a space-themed creation.</p> <p>SS by CH: 26/09</p>	
As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nominee named in the child's enrolment record as having authority to authorise an Educator to take the child outside the education and care service premises, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Excursion as outlined above	
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date