

# Crown Street OSHC: Vacation Care Program

January 2026

## Excursions, Excursions, Excursions!

**January Vacation Care is filled with jam packed, fun filled daily excursions!**

With renovations occurring at school throughout the holidays, OSHC will be heading out on adventures every day. With this in mind, children will be using bus transportation to get to our venues. Some are close by, others are further.

**If your child gets bus sick, we'd suggest noting the bus distance for each excursion.**

Some children may require medication, or you may decide that day is not suitable for your child. Feel free to chat to our friendly team if you'd like.

**Monday 12/01**



**Sydney Park + OOSH TV \$95**  
**Excursion Time: 9:30am-4pm.**  
**Bus Journey: 15 min.**

Today we head to Sydney Park with OOSH TV. Children will play water games and head to the playground, with the option to stay cool in the pavilion.

**Tuesday 13/01**



**Campbelltown Art Gallery \$90**  
**Excursion Time: 9:50am-4pm.**  
**Bus Journey: 50 min.**

Today we explore the art gallery in a hands-on tour and workshop. Children will bring home their very own masterpiece. Followed by a play at the park!

## Key Changes

**Families need to note:**

**The service will be opening at 8:30am.**

**Children will need to have breakfast before VacCare or bring along breakfast.**

**Families will need to pack morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.**

**Wednesday 14/01**



**Ku-Ring-Gui Wildflower Garden \$100**  
**Excursion Time: 10am-4pm**  
**Bus Journey: 40 min.**

Today we head to the wildflower garden on a ranger led, art and survival themed adventure. Children will explore the bushland and gardens.

## Bookings

All Vacation Care bookings can be made via the OWNA app from the bookings calendar. We encourage families to book as soon as possible to avoid missing out. Please email Tahlia at [oshc@shnc.org](mailto:oshc@shnc.org) for assistance.

*Child Care Subsidy (CCS) will be applied for eligible families to reduce the out-of-pocket cost.*

**Please ensure your child has the required bookings before coming to the service. We will not be able to accept children into care without a booking.**

**Friday 16/01**



**Clifton Gardens \$105**  
**Excursion Time: 10am-4pm**  
**Bus Journey: 25 min.**

A fun filled picnic with a sausage sizzle lunch! We will bring along some new and exciting equipment, play at the park and the option to swim with lifeguard supervision!

**Thursday 15/01**



**RollerFit Excursion + Tempe Reserve \$115**  
**Excursion Time: 10am-4pm**  
**Bus Journey: 25 min.**

Strap on your roller skates and dust off your hula hoops! This workshop will teach you the basics + some fun new tricks. And enjoy a play at Tempe Reserve!

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Monday 19/01



**Ranger Jamie - Bola Creek \$110**  
**Excursion Time:**  
9:40am-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 1 hr 10 mins.

Today we explore the rainforest with Ranger Jamie's expertise! With hands on games and activities everyone will enjoy!

Tuesday 20/01



**Sailability Penrith Lakes \$105**  
**Excursion Time:**  
9:15am-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 1 hour

Today the children embark on an adventure learning to sail. Suitable for all children in boats that virtually cannot capsize! An exciting adventure for all!

Wednesday 21/01



**Hijinx Hotel \$115**  
**Excursion Time:**  
10am-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 15 min.

With 10 rooms at Hijinx Hotel, 1 hour of karaoke and a pizza lunch children will be sure to have a blast. Topped off with a play at Sydney Park!

Thursday 22/01



**Wollongong Science Space \$110**  
**Excursion Time:** 9:30-4pm  
**Bus Journey:**  
1 hr 15 min. (+ stop).

Today we have a long bus ride to an exciting science museum! With hands on activities, shows and games the kids are sure to enjoy!

Friday 23/01



**RELICS & The Key is Under the Mat \$100**  
**Excursion Time:**  
10am-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 10 min.

Today we visit the 2 most exciting exhibitions in Sydney right now! With a KFC lunch in Hyde Park between the 2! What a day!

Monday 26/01/26  
- Public Holiday -  
Service Closed!

We are anticipating this to be a popular day, please book in early to avoid disappointment.

Lunch is included today! check the program to see what it is



Tuesday 27/01



**Peak Pursuits \$110**  
**Excursion Time:** 10-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 40 min.

Children will climb on a variety of different courses today at Peak Pursuits, with something for everyone! Afterwards we stop ELS Hall Park on route back to school!

Wednesday 28/01



**Reverse Garbage \$105**

**Excursion Time:** 10-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 20 min.  
Children will explore Reverse Garbage in Marrickville, checking out their warehouse and then joining in a creative challenger. Afterwards heading to Mackey Park to play!

Thursday 29/01



**Bowling, Arcade & Movies \$130**

**Excursion Time:** 9:50-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 10min.  
Our survey showed families love entertainment! There's nothing better than 3 activities in one fun-filled day! 1 hour of arcade access, a game of bowling and a movie! Bonus: POPCORN!

Friday 30/01



**Raging Waters \$135**

**Excursion Time:** 9:30-4pm  
**Bus Journey:** 40min.  
The day that everyone has been waiting for! Raging Waters! Children will be split into groups to explore this water park - ensure your child/ren has a rash shirt/ T-shirt and a hat!

## Vacation Care Information

### Hours of Operation

**8:30am - 6:00pm**

### Children should bring:

- Morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea
- A sun hat and water bottle
- Comfortable, sun safe clothing that covers shoulders & enclosed shoes
- Sunscreen

### What is provided?

- Food listed in the program.
- Drinking water

### Excursions

- Please arrive to the centre no later than 9:00am.
- Bring a backpack, water bottle, lunch, snacks, hat and enclosed shoes



## Terms & Conditions

### Bookings

**All Vacation Care bookings can be booked via the OWNA app from the bookings calendar.**

- We encourage families to book as soon as possible to avoid missing out.
- Child Care Subsidy (CCS) will be applied for eligible families to reduce the out-of-pocket cost.
- Please note we cannot accept bookings without notice due to staffing and ratio requirements.
- A non-compliance fee of \$30 will be charged for any child who attends the centre without a booking.
- Please check your bookings closely on OWNA, we cannot honor bookings that are not successfully submitted. Last minute bookings may not be available

### Cancellation of Bookings

- Cancellation of bookings must be made at least seven days in advance through the OWNA app or via email.
- In the event that the required notice period is not provided, standard fees will apply and your child's attendance will be marked as absent.
- We will endeavour to accommodate changes to bookings however we cannot guarantee availability due to ratio requirements and staffing arrangements.

### Excursions

- Children must arrive to the centre no later than 9:00am on any excursion day.
- Please bring a backpack, water bottle, hat and enclosed shoes - safety vests will be provided to all children
- Excursion permission forms are provided through OWNA and must be signed prior to the excursion day.
- Please note no child will be authorised to attend the excursion without a signed permission slip.
- Risk assessments are available on OWNA for each excursion including a risk assessment of the transportation of children in line with the Education and Care Services National Regulations.
- If your child has a medical condition, please ensure this is up to date in their OWNA profile to ensure the service is equipped to respond to any medical emergencies.

*Please note by booking in for Vacation Care via OWNA, you confirm you have read and accept the Terms & Conditions outlined.*

**Contact Tahlia at [oshc@shnc.org](mailto:oshc@shnc.org) for any further questions or queries.**