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WOOSH Vacation Care Program

July 2018

New Mobile – 0455 035 794 WOOSH Care now has a mobile phone, in addition to our landline. The mobile phone will be carried by the service Supervisor between 6:30am – 6:00pm daily. If you have enquires outside of these times, please leave us a message or send us an email.

Child Care Subsidy (CCS): The new CCS will be effective from Monday 2nd July 2018. Parents who have not registered for CCS will be charged full fees. You can complete a Centrelink Child Care Subsidy Assessment through myGov using your Centrelink online account, or through the Express Plus Centrelink mobile app.

Use of Electronic Devices: Children are not permitted to bring their own electronics to WOOSH Care, unless specified on the program (e.g. Gaming Day). We have our own iPad's, Playstation & Wii console at WOOSH and children are permitted to use these for short periods of time throughout the day. This allows children to have equal access to electronics while also participating in our planned program. We encourage all parents to make their children aware of this and ensure no devices are brought to the centre.

Sun Safety: **Children are not required to wear sun safe clothing during July Vacation Care due to low UV levels.** In the rare case that sun protection is required, the program will be adapted to ensure that children are playing in undercover areas during this time.

Clothing: Children must wear sensible shoes for walking and playing (i.e. enclosed shoes or strap-on sandals). Thongs and slip-on style shoes are not permitted. Children must also bring a jumper or a jacket and drink bottle each day.

Hours of operation: WOOSH Care is open from 6.30am till 6.00pm Monday to Friday during the school holidays and Pupil Free Days (excludes public holidays). Bookings are essential as places are limited.

Supervision: WOOSH Care is approved for a maximum of 70 school age children per day, however limitations may be placed on maximum number of enrolments due to staffing or transport requirements. Staff to child ratios of 1:15 are maintained during centre days, with increased ratios during excursion and during water activities. A *Risk Assessment* is conducted prior to each excursion and are available for parents to view upon request. A *Responsible Person* holding their Apply First Aid, Child Protection, Asthma & Anaphylaxis certificate will be rostered on at all times throughout the day. A photograph of the Responsible Person on duty is displayed at the sign in desk.

Payment: **Please note: There has been a fee increase of \$1 per day for Vacation Care as per our annual increment.** The cost per day for in-centre activities is \$53 per child for permanent enrolments, and \$57 for casual enrolments. The cost per day for excursions is \$63 for permanent enrolments, and \$67 for casual enrolments. Please note that additional costs may apply to some 'in centre' activities and excursions, particularly swimming excursions to cover increased staffing costs. (Please see the program for these

additional charges). Note: Permanent enrolments are those families who attend before and/or after school care, and have paid a bond and registration fee.

Bookings: Bookings can be returned to WOOSH Care via email or in person. *Please note: Verbal bookings will not be accepted.* Bookings must be received by Friday 29th June 2018. In the case that a day becomes booked out, a waiting list will be prepared and parents will be notified if a place becomes available. Priority of Access will apply to wait list.

Cancellations: Please notify the Centre of any cancellations as soon as possible. There are no refunds once a booking is made, but it may be possible to swap places for another day within the same week as long as there is a vacancy on the desired day.

Red Hat/ Shirt surcharge: During excursions, children are provided with red shirts to ensure children are easily identifiable. Children are also provided with sun safe red hats if they do not have an appropriate hat on any day. To cover cost of purchasing, embroidering and laundering these shirts, a surcharge of \$5 per child per Vacation Care period will be added to your Family Statement, if your child attends at least one excursion.

WOOSH Care's Vacation Care Program: We are aware that sometimes programmed activities will not appeal to all children. Be assured that wherever possible we try to provide alternative activities such as craft, games or movies. There are also opportunities for children to assist with activities even if they do not wish to take part in the actual activity.

Program variations: The Vacation Care program is subject to change without notice if it is deemed in the best interests of children. E.g. changes to program on wet weather days. Should an excursion change, parents will be required to sign their permission for the new excursion prior to child attending.

Medication: If your child requires medication an *Administration of Medication* form must be completed on each day that the medication is to be administered. Please note that no over-the-counter medication will be given (except Paracetamol- see booking form). Medication must be provided in original packaging with the child's correct name and will be administered as per dosage instructions.

Food: Please pack a nutritious morning tea, lunch and some snacks for your children on all days. Afternoon tea is provided and **lunch is provided only on some days** (see program for days where lunch is provided). Water will be freely available at the Centre, but please supply a drink bottle for excursions as these can be refilled as required. Please ensure that your child has adequate food, as Vacation Care days are active and long and the children do get quite hungry. Please inform staff if any of your child's food requires refrigeration (e.g. dairy products). Please do not send your children with food that needs to be cooked or heated as we cannot guarantee that cooking and heating facilities will be available, especially when we are out of centre for an excursion.

Nut policy: WOOSH Care endeavours to be a 'nut free' centre, as per policy, for the safety of all children. Please do not send any nuts or food products containing nuts to WOOSH Care.







Breakfast: Breakfast is provided between 6:30am – 8:00am during Vacation Care. Breakfast options include wholemeal toast, weetbix, cheerios, cornflakes, rice bubbles and plain milk or milo.

Special diets: If children are on restricted diets due to food allergies etc. parents are advised to provide alternatives food for their child as we cannot guarantee that the foods available will be suitable for your child's needs.






Spending money: Children are not permitted to bring money for an excursion unless the program indicates otherwise as there is no opportunity for them to spend it.

WOOSH Care - Vacation Care –July 2018 (Week 1)

Monday 9th July – Friday 13th July

Date	Activity	Please bring
<p>Mon 9th July</p> <p>Building Day (Centre Day)</p>	 <p>The always popular Bricks4Kids is back! Join us for 2 hours of Lego fun, where we will be enjoying their 'Lego Avengers' program. We will also be building with wood and recycled materials.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Enclosed Shoes
<p>Tues 10th July</p> <p>Inflatable World (Excursion)</p>	<p>There is SO much to do at Inflatable World, including an obstacle course, giant slide, bumper balls, a reverse bungee, jumping castle and so much more! Make sure you are wearing socks today, as well as light comfortable clothing.</p>  <p><i>Cost for this excursion is \$67 (casual \$71)</i></p> <p>Transport: Charter Bus (Busways) Max no. of children: 60 Leave WOOSH: <u>9:00am</u> Return to WOOSH: 2:00pm Address: 128 Chelmsford Rd, Charmhaven</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ SOCKS ✓ Light comfortable clothing
<p>Wed 11th July</p> <p>WOOSH Records (Centre Day)</p> 	<p>Back in 2013 we created our very own 'WOOSH Care World Records'.... And now it's time to break them!! If you break a record, your name will be written down in history and you will get a trophy to take home and prove it! We will also have a jumping castle here today when you need a break from records! <u>Children can bring their own games or electronic devices today but they must be Rated G or PG.</u></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Electronics (optional)
<p>Thurs 12th July</p> <p>K – 3: Playhouse (Excursion)</p>	 <p>Kindy – Year 3: We love visiting The Playhouse! Climb on the adventure castle, slide down the slippery dip and dig through the ball pit!</p> <p>Transport: Bus (Busways) Max no. of children: 40 (60 Total) Leave WOOSH: <u>9:00am</u> Return to WOOSH: 4:00pm Address: 1 Mingara Rd, Tumbi Umbi, New South Wales 2261</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Socks
<p>Year 4+: Mingara Pools (Excursion)</p>	<p>Year 4+: While the younger children are upstairs at The Playhouse, we will have 2 hours of inflatables and other fun games, as well as free time after lunch to play in the whirlpool. <i>Children who are not confident swimmers can attend Playhouse. Please specify on booking form.</i> <i>Cost for this excursion is \$67 (casual \$71)</i></p> <p>Transport: Bus (Busways) Max no. of children: 20 (60 Total) Leave WOOSH: <u>9:00am</u> Return to WOOSH: 4:00pm Address: 1 Mingara Rd, Tumbi Umbi, New South Wales 2261</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Swimmers ✓ Towel ✓ Plastic bag ✓ Goggles
<p>Fri 13th July</p> <p>Art Attack (Incursion)</p>	 <p>Calling all budding photographers! Click and Create will be running a photography workshop today – every child will go home with their best shot in a personalised frame – cool! If you have your own camera or iPod, you are welcome to bring it today.</p> <p>We will also have lots of craft, including a drawing workshop with Miss Miriam ☺ <i>Cost for this Incursion is \$63 (Casual \$67)</i></p> <p>**Lunch Order \$6: Bolognese OR Mac & Cheese + Cookie**</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Sun safe hat ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch order – please tick on booking form ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Bring your own camera, iPod etc.

WOOSH Care - Vacation Care –July 2018 (Week 2) **Monday 16th July – Friday 20th July**

Date	Activity	Please bring
<p>Mon 16th July</p> <p>Sport and Rec (Excursion)</p> 	<p>We're going to Central Coast Youth Club at Niagara Park for lots of fun games including trampolining, wheelchair basketball, soccer and everybody's favourite, jumping in the foam pit! We will have a sausage sizzle lunch today & an ice block for everyone.</p> <p>Transport: Chartered Bus (Busways) Max no. of children: 50 Leave WOOSH: 10:00am Return to WOOSH: 3:30pm Address: 18 Washington Ave, Niagara Park, 2250</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Lunch Provided ✓ Joggers ✓ Socks
<p>Tues 17th July</p> <p>NAIDOC Celebrations (Centre Day)</p>	<p>Come celebrate NAIDOC week with us! Watch some traditional indigenous dancing from local community members and learn to use traditional indigenous face paint. We will be cooking damper (and marshmallows) on a warm camp fire as well as building a traditional Aboriginal 'humpy' (teepee).</p> <p>**Lunch order - \$6: Beef or cheese nachos & ice block**</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Drink Bottle ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch order – book on booking form
<p>Wed 18th July</p> <p>Option 1: Hotel Transylvania 3 (Excursion)</p> <p>Option 2: TIMEZONE (Excursion)</p> 	<p>OPTION 1: Join everyone's favourite monster family on a luxury monster cruise ship. But when Drac falls in love with the ships mysterious captain Ericka, things turn bad. Will Mavis be able to save her dad before it's too late?</p> <p>Each child will get a snack pack of popcorn a popper to enjoy 😊</p> <p>Transport: Charter Bus (Busways) Max no. of children: 60 (Total) Leave WOOSH: 9:00am Return to WOOSH: 2:00pm Address: Westfield Shopping Centre, 50 Wyong Road, Tuggerah, 2259</p> <p>OPTION 2 - Timezone: We will have two hours of fun playing the red ticketed games at Timezone. You can also bring up to \$10 of your own money to win more tickets!</p> <p>Transport: Charter Bus (Busways) Max no of children: 60 (Total) Leave WOOSH: 9:00am Return to WOOSH: 2:00pm Address: Westfield Shopping Centre, Gavenlock Road, Tuggerah</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Max \$10 spending money
<p>Thurs 19th July</p> <p>Pyjama Party (Centre Day)</p>	<p>Come dressed up in your pyjamas, ready for a whole day of sleepover style games and activities. Get ready to be pampered as 'Lauren Elizabeth's Pamper Parties' will be joining us, and we will also be cooking treats with Jackie from Fresh food fast. We will be playing truth or dare and some more mature movies will be available for our Year 4+ children. <i>Permission Note must be signed. <u>Children can bring their own games or electronic devices today but they must be Rated G or PG.</u></i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Pyjamas ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Electronics (optional)
<p>Fri 20th July</p> <p>Kidz HQ (Excursion)</p>	<p>Race down the mega slide, blast your friends with the ball cannon or jump into the crocodile swamp!</p> <p>Transport: Busways (Chartered Bus)</p> <p>Leave WOOSH: 10:00am Return to WOOSH: 3:30pm Address: KIDZ HQ, 2C Amy Close, North Wyong NSW 2259</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Socks
<p>Mon 23rd July</p> <p><i>Pupil Free Day</i></p> <p>K – 3: Monkey Mania (Excursion)</p> <p>Year 4+: Clip N Climb (Excursion)</p>	<p>K – 3: Swing in to Monkey Mania! Explore and climb through the maze, dig through the ball pit and shoot your friends with the ball cannon.</p> <p>Transport: Charter Bus (Busways) Max no of children: 40 (60 total) Leave WOOSH: 10:00am Return to WOOSH: 3:30pm Address: Central Coast Leagues Club, 1 Dane Dr, Gosford</p> <p>Year 4+: Put on your harness and explore the 28 different climbing walls! Some are easy and others are hard – but they are ALL fun! Afterwards (weather permitting) we will play at the waterfront park and eat some yummy hot chips from Monty's.</p> <p>Transport: Public Bus (Busways) Max no of children: 20 (60 total) Leave WOOSH: 10:00am Return to WOOSH: 3:30pm Address: Central Coast Leagues Club, 1 Dane Dr, Gosford</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Socks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Morning tea ✓ Lunch ✓ Drink bottle ✓ Enclosed shoes

WOOSH Care - Vacation Care Booking Form – July 2018

Parent's name (please print): _____ Contact number: _____

Child/children's name: _____ Age: _____

My child/children will be attending on the following days (please tick and sign for permission)

✓	Date	Activity	Cost	Parent permission for excursion – please sign
	Mon 9 th July	Building Day	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$53 (Casual = \$57)</i>	N/A
	Tues 10 th July	Inflatable World	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$67 (Casual \$71)</i>	Inflatable world
	Wed 11 th July	WOOSH Records & Jumping Castle	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$53 (Casual = \$57)</i>	N/A
K-3	Thurs 12 th July	K – 3: Playhouse	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	K – 3
Yr 4+		Year 4+: Mingara Pools	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$67 (Casual \$71)</i>	Year 4+
	Fri 13 th July	Art attack	<i>Incursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual = \$67)</i>	N/A
	<i>Lunch order for Fri 13th July</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 1: Penne bolognese & cookie <input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 2: Macaroni cheese & cookie <input type="checkbox"/> Please add to my account <input type="checkbox"/> I do not want a lunch order		

	Mon 16 th July	Sport and Rec	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	Sport and Rec:
	Tues 17 th July	NAIDOC Celebrations	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$53 (Casual = \$57)</i>	N/A
	<i>Lunch order for Tues 17th July</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 1: Beef nachos & ice blocks <input type="checkbox"/> OPTION 2: Cheese nachos & ice block <input type="checkbox"/> Please add to my account <input type="checkbox"/> I do not want a lunch order		
Movies	Wed 18 th July	Option 1: Hotel Transylvania 3	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	Movies
Timezone		Option 2: Timezone	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	Timezone
	Thurs 19 th July	Pyjama Party	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$53 (Casual = \$57)</i>	N/A
	Fri 20 th July	Kidz HQ	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	Kidz HQ

K-3:	Mon 23 rd July	K – 3: Monkey Mania	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	K – 3
Yr 4+:	<i>Pupil Free Day</i>	Year 4+: Clip N Climb	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$63 (Casual \$67)</i>	Year 4+

Please provide consent for the following;

- I give permission for my child to attend/take part in the above activities and excursions. I understand that the children will either be catching a bus or walking to the excursions, and that the program may change without notice due to weather or other causes
- I have read the *Information Book* and am aware of the *Vacation Care Cancellation Policy*. There are no refunds once a booking is made, although bookings may be swapped within the same week, as long as there is a vacancy on the desired day.
- I have read the *Vacation Care Program* and understand that WOOSH Care holds no responsibility for any property that is lost or broken during Vacation Care.
- I understand that fees must be paid once invoiced within the stated due date, that my child's place at the service may be terminated if fees are not up to date, and that I may be liable for any additional costs incurred in recovery of outstanding fees.

The following questions are applicable to enrolments who attend Vacation Care only:

- I elect to pay the Annual Registration Fee of \$60 for the reduced daily fee; or
- I elect to pay the full Casual Vacation Care rate (no Annual Registration Fee) or
- I have already paid the Annual Registration fee for 2018

Year 4+: PLEASE TURN OVER TO SIGN MOVIE PERMISSION FORM

Parent's signature _____ Date: _____

Year 4+ ONLY: Permission to watch selected M Rated movies

Dear Parents & Guardians,

We have been working closely with our Year 4+ children to provide them with activities that meet their interests. During Vacation Care, Year 4+ will have access to the Heritage Room, where they can hang out with their peers and engage in age appropriate activities, without the younger children around. While using this room, the children will be closely supervised by a staff member.

As part of this program, we will occasionally allow the children to movies with an M (Mature) Rating. These movies/ games will be based on children's interest and what is deemed appropriate by WOOSH Care supervisors, in consultation with the recommendations of the Australian Council on Children and the Media.

These movies may include but are not limited to; Jurassic World, Goosebumps, Jumanji, The Amazing Spiderman, The Avengers, Guardians of the Galaxy, Harry Potter, Pirates of the Caribbean, X-Men

Films and computer games classified M (Mature) contain content of a moderate impact and are recommended for teenagers aged 15 years and over.



Children under 15 may legally access this material because it is an advisory category. However, M classified films and computer games may include classifiable elements such as violence and nudity of moderate impact that are not recommended for children under 15 years.

Please complete and return the following permission note to allow your child to watch movies Rated M. If you have any questions, please speak with Miss Rianne 😊

Year 4+: Permission to watch M Rated Movies

Parent Name: _____

Child/ren Name/s: _____

Please tick the appropriate box and sign below.

- I give permission for my child/ren in Year 4+ to watch or view any M Rated movie that is deemed appropriate by WOOSH Care Supervisors
OR
- I prefer to be notified and provide permission each time an M Rated movie is screened at WOOSH Care for Year 4+
OR
- I do not give permission for my child/ren in Year 4+ to watch any M Rated movies

Parent/ Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____