

# Edwardstown Vacation Care Dec 2023 / Jan 2024

## OSHC Staff

### Director

Malanie

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### Team Leaders

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	Ruben	Darwyn	Dana	

### Adult to Child Ratios

Centre-Based 1:15	Excursion 1:8	Water Excursion 1:5
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### Anticipated Attendance

Centre-Based: 105      Excursion: 80-90

## Important Parent Information

### Opening Hours

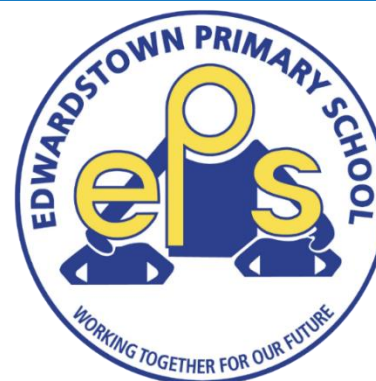
Monday to Friday 7am - 6:15pm

Late collection/early arrivals outside of these times children will incur a fee of \$1 per minute per child.

Vacation Care Period: 18<sup>th</sup> December until 26<sup>th</sup> January.  
Two week closure from 25<sup>th</sup> December to 5<sup>th</sup> January inclusive.  
We are also closed on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January (Australia Day).

### What to Bring

**Recess, Lunch, Water Bottle, and a SunSmart Hat.**



### Booking

To secure a place for your child/ren simply book a Vacation Care Casual Booking session via the OWINA app. If you wish to book a half-day session, you will need to email the service to request either an AM (7-12) or PM (12:30-6:15) session.

Please be advised that, by booking your child/ren for a session, you are providing consent for the child to be involved in all of the activities included in the program.

Please be aware that bookings will be subject to the service's Priority of Access Guidelines. It is possible for us to be fully booked, but waiting lists are available on OWINA.

### New 2024:

Receptions starting Term 1 2024 can attend Vacation Care from January 8<sup>th</sup> onwards.

If this will be your child's first attendance, please contact the OSHC Office (email below) to complete the enrolment process.

If you have any queries please contact us on:

Phone: 0437 534 691

Email: [eps.care321@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:eps.care321@schools.sa.edu.au)

### Fees

The cost of Vacation Care is \$54 for a full day session, or on incursions parents can request a half day option for \$34 via email. This price may be reduced if families have applied for Centrelink Child Care Subsidies.

Please be advised that Centrelink will only provide Child Care Subsidies between a child's first and last day of physical attendance. If they are absent for 14 weeks Centrelink will refuse to pay their portion of your fees, and you will be belatedly charged.

### Cancellations / Absences

Any cancellations requested in writing prior to the following dates will be processed free of charge:

1. For December bookings, the final date is 3/12/22.
2. For January bookings, the final date is 22/12/22.

Cancellations requested after this date will be charged full fees unless another family on the waiting list is willing to take their place.

Alternatively, a medical certificate can cover the charge for a family as long as it is received the same week as the absence (prior to service close at 6:15pm on Friday for Centrelink weekend processing).

If your child becomes COVID-19 Positive: they cannot attend while they are contagious, or if they show any symptoms. Evidence of a Positive COVID case within the household can be used in lieu of a medical certificate to waive all fees.

We ask all families to keep their child/ren home if they are unwell. If a child shows signs of illness, families will be contacted immediately and the child sent home.

### Health Needs / Medication

Medication Paperwork— a Medication Authority, Action Plan, and a Risk Minimisation/Communication Plan—must be completed for every child with a medical condition attending Vacation Care.

All medication must be supplied to the centre prior to the child's attendance. It must be in the original packaging with the pharmacy label stating the child's name. Parent/carer's must sign all medication in through the OWINA Medication Record. Children diagnosed with Anaphylaxis, Allergies, Asthma, or Diabetes must bring their medication/s or the child cannot attend.

### Meals

Children will need to make sure that they bring their recess, lunch, and water bottle. We will provide breakfast (7 - 8am), afternoon tea (3:15pm), and late snack (4:45pm).

If a child does not bring a water bottle to OSHC, they will be supplied with a disposable one and a \$1 charge will be applied to your account. If your child does not have recess/lunch, we will supply food at a cost.

### Valuables

No spending money unless stipulated otherwise.

Please leave precious items at home as they may get lost or broken. OSHC will take no responsibility for these items.

Children can choose to bring their electronics into the service with the following stipulations:

- Devices are the responsibility of the child not the service.
  - Devices cannot be charged onsite.
- Devices can only be used during designated intervals
  - No social media or contacting people.
- Mobile data cannot be used – only the school Wi-Fi.

### Clothing Requirements

All children need to wear appropriate casual SunSmart clothing with shoulders covered.

Shoes: Please make sure your child/ren wear comfortable walking shoes (no thongs) which are appropriate for active games/sports.

Hats: SunSmart hats (broadbrim/bucket/legionnaires) must be worn every day when the UV is 3 or above. No hat, no outdoor play. When on excursions, we will provide the children with matching OSHC hats, but only for the duration of the excursion.



# Edwardstown Vacation Care Dec 2023 / Jan 2024

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December

HOYTS NORWOOD

MTOP 5.2



Movie:

**Trolls Band Together**

Popcorn and juice supplied!

Depart:  
9:30am



Return:  
3:30pm

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

CARNIVAL DAY

MTOP 4.2

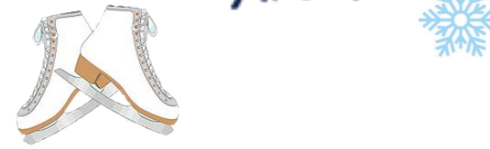
Join us for a fun filled day of Carnival Games, Balloon Animals, and much more!



Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

ICE Arena

MTOP 3.1



Make sure you bring warm clothes and thick socks!



Depart:  
9:30am



Return:  
3:30pm

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December

SANTA'S WORKSHOP

MTOP 2.1

Christmas comes but once a year, let's get together for some Christmas cheer!



Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

MARION OUTDOOR POOL

MTOP 1.2

Come dressed in your SunSmart bathers!

Don't forget to pack a towel, and a change of clothes.



Depart:  
9:30am



Return:  
3:30pm

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January

SPLISH SPLASH

MTOP 3.2

Bring your SunSmart bathers and towel



• WATER FIGHTS

• WATER THEMED ART

• SLIP 'N' SLIDE & SPRINKLER FUN



Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January

HOYTS NORWOOD

MTOP 5.2



Movie:

**Wish**

Popcorn and juice supplied!

Depart:  
9:30am



Return:  
3:30pm

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January

School of Wizardry

MTOP 4.1

Come dressed up!



**Mickster the Trickster Magic Show**

10am-11am



Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January

SAM SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM

MTOP 4.4

Take a walk through history and learn about ancient cultures, explorers, world mammals, and geological discoveries.



Depart:  
9:00am



Return:  
3:30pm

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January

Kidchella

MTOP 5.1

Disco @ 1pm

Music, games, face painting, and coloured hairspray.





# Edwardstown Vacation Care Dec 2023 / Jan 2024

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January

  
**plaster  
fun-house®**  
Half day excursion

MTOP  
1.4



Arrive by: 9:00am  
Return by: 3:30pm



Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January



MTOP  
3.3

*Christophers  
Taekwondo  
Academy*  
10am-1pm



Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January

**NOARLUNGA  
AQUATIC CENTRE**

MTOP  
1.2



Don't forget to pack a towel,  
and a change of clothes.



Depart by: 9:30am  
Return by: 3:30pm



Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January

**DISCOVER  
AFRICA**

MTOP  
2.2



**RHYTHM CULTURE**  
Drum ~ Sing ~ Dance  
10am-2pm

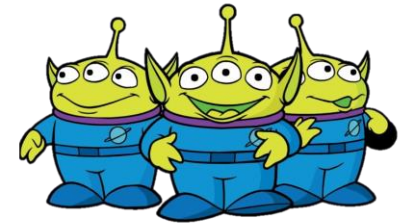


Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January

**Outer Space**

MTOP  
4.3

Prepare to blast off for  
an exploration of our  
universe.



Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January



MTOP  
2.4

From the safety of the bus, we will  
go on an expedition into the lion,  
giraffe, cheetah, rhino, and hyena  
enclosures – plus much more.



Depart by: 8:30am  
Return by: 4:00pm



Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January

**All Aussie  
Adventures**

MTOP  
1.3



Come celebrate everything  
about this amazing country.

Lunch Provided:  
Sausage Sizzle



Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January

**Urimbirra Wildlife Park  
& Strawberry Picking**

MTOP  
2.4

An additional \$7.50 will be  
charged to your account  
for a punnet of freshly  
picked strawberries.



Depart by: 8:30am  
Return by: 4:00pm



Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January



MTOP  
2.3

Come dressed in your  
SunSmart bathers!

Don't forget to pack a towel,  
and a change of clothes.



Depart by: 8:30am  
Return by: 4:00pm



Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January

**CLOSED**





# December 2023/Jan 2024 Excursion Details

*Please note: Private buses with seatbelts will be provided by Willunga Bus and Coach.*

## Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December – Hoyts Cinema Norwood

### Destinations:

1. Hoyts Norwood, 185 The Parade, Norwood SA 5067
2. Princess Elizabeth Playground, 35 South Tce, Adelaide SA 5000

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

- 9:30am – All children must have arrived.  
10:15am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Princess Elizabeth Playground by 10:45am.  
12:15pm – Depart, and arrive at Hoyts Cinema Norwood by 12:30pm.  
2:45pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Ice Arena

### Destinations:

1. Ice Arena, 23 James Congdon Drive, Thebarton SA 5031
2. Bonython Park Playground, Port Road, Adelaide SA 5000

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

- 9:30am – All children must have arrived.  
10:00am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Bonython Park by 10:30am.  
12:30pm – Walk to Ice Arena and arrive by 1:00pm.  
3:15pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December – Marion Outdoor Pool

### Destination:

Marion Outdoor Pool, 120 Hendrie Street, Park Holme SA 5034

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

- 9:30am – All children must have arrived in their bathers.  
10:00am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Marion Outdoor Pool by 10:15am.  
2:45pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January – Hoyts Cinema Norwood

### Destinations:

1. Hoyts Norwood, 185 The Parade, Norwood SA 5067
2. Princess Elizabeth Playground, 35 South Tce, Adelaide SA 5000

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

- 9:30am – All children must have arrived.  
10:15am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Princess Elizabeth Playground by 10:45am.  
12:15pm – Depart, and arrive at Hoyts Cinema Norwood by 12:30pm.  
2:45pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> January – South Australian Museum

### Destinations:

1. South Australian Museum, North Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000
2. Botanic Gardens, North Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

- 9:00am – All children must have arrived.  
9:30am – Depart OSHC and arrive at the South Australian Museum by 10:15am.  
12:15pm – Walk to Botanic Gardens and arrive by 1:00pm.  
2:45pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



# December 2023/Jan 2024 Excursion Details

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## Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January – Plaster Fun House

### Destination:

*Plaster Fun House, 41 Goodwood Road, Wayville SA 5034*

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

9am – All children must have arrived.  
9:30am – First group departs OSHC and arrives at Plaster Fun House by 9:45am.  
12:15pm – First group returns to OSHC by 12:30pm.  
12:40pm – Second group departs OSHC and arrives at Plaster Fun House by 12:55pm.  
3pm – Second group returns to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January – Noarlunga Aquatic Centre

### Destination:

*Noarlunga Aquatic Centre, 13 Seaman Road, Noarlunga SA 5168*

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

9:30am – All children must have arrived in their bathers.  
10:00am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Noarlunga Aquatic Centre by 10:30am.  
2:30pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 3:30pm.



## Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January – Monarto Safari Park

### Destination:

*Monarto Safari Park, 63 Monarto Road, Monarto SA 5254*

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

8:30am – All children must have arrived.  
9am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Monarto Safari Park by 10:15am.  
10:30am – First group boards bus for Safari tour, while second group walks to enclosures.  
12:30pm – Groups swap over.  
2:30pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 4:00pm.



## Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January – Urimbirra and Harvest the Fleurieu

### Destinations:

- 1. Urimbirra, Adelaide Road, Victor Harbour, SA 5211*
- 2. Harvest the Fleurieu, 2256 Victor Harbour Road, Mount Compass SA 5210*

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

8:30am – All children must have arrived.  
9:00am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Urimbirra Wildlife Park by 10:00am.  
12:45pm – Depart Urimbirra and arrive at Harvest Fleurieu for strawberry picking by 1:15pm.  
2:45pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 4:00pm.



## Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January – Waterworld

### Destination:

*Waterworld Aquatic Centre, Golden Grove Road, Ridgehaven SA 5079*

### Itinerary (with approximate times):

8:30am – All children must have arrived in their bathers.  
9:00am – Depart OSHC and arrive at Waterworld by 10:00am.  
2:30pm – Depart, and return to OSHC by 4:00pm.

