

2025 SPRING VACATION CARE PROGRAM



Mon 29 Sept to Mon 13 Oct

**Before School, After School & Vacation Care
for the Mid North Coast**



In a world gone mad with rules & regulations, we help kids be kids

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VACATION CARE HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday to Friday
7.00am – 6.00pm

On all excursion days children are required to be at the centre no later than 8:45am and will return by approx. 4:00pm.

Transportation is provided in our bus or van depending on bookings. Risk Assessments available upon request.



“WHAT TO BRING EVERYDAY”

All Children are required to bring a hat, drink bottle, sunscreen, appropriate and healthy lunch / snacks.

In winter warm clothes and socks are required each day.

In summer swimmers, sun/rash shirts, swim aids (if required), towel and plastic bag are required each day.

Personal electronic devices are prohibited.

Please label all clothes.

Spending money is optional!

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL FOR VACATION CARE

For existing families please use your **Xplor Home app** to book and select the days you require.

For new families looking to enrol and join the fun, you can do so by visiting our website at www.communityoosh.com.au.








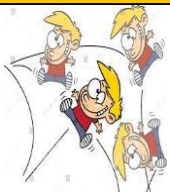


Our policy regarding cancelling a booking for Vacation Care is 2 full weeks' notice. All bookings (Including Sick days) not cancelled by 7:00am 2 weeks prior to the booking will be marked as absent and charged as an absent day.

OVERVIEW MATRIX OF ALL CENTRES

As many families are, at times, using multiple centres out of choice or necessity, we have decided to include our “Centre Overview Matrix” below to help guide you, if need be, to what any centre is doing on any one day. Just follow the coloured line across for each centre. An explanation of each day for your home centre appears over the page

	Mon 29/9/25	Tue 30/9/25	Wed 1/10/25	Thu 2/10/25	Fri 3/10/25	Tues 7/10/25	Wed 8/10/25	Thurs 9/10/25	Fri 10/10/25	Mon 13/10/25
Fun Factory	In Centre Spring Fair	In Centre The Block	EXCURSION Movies "Kangaroo"	EXCURSION BUSKERS FESTIVAL	EXCURSION Water Park	EXCURSION Nippers Surf Skills	Incursion Mullaway Creative	EXCURSION Spring Loaded	In Centre Beat the Buskers	EXCURSION Movies "Sketch"
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Fee Structure at Full Rate before the application of any CCS %		Example of Approx. out of pocket expenses at 85% CCS	
Vacation Care	\$79	Vacation Care	\$15.80
Sample Additional Excursion Cost	\$18	Sample Excursion CCS Applied	\$ 3.60

MONDAY 29 SEPT	TUESDAY 30 SEPT	WEDNESDAY 1 OCT	THURSDAY 2 OCT	FRIDAY 3 OCT
EXCURSION +\$18 MOVIES - "KANGAROO" When Chris, a pro surfer, becomes stranded on his way to back to Broome W.A., he teams up with a young girl, Charlie, forming an unlikely friendship and working together to care for injured kangaroos THEN... a picnic in the park with your friends for some games and activities in the sun! 	EXCURSION + \$8 - NIPPERS SURF SKILLS Today we've enlisted the crew from Coffs Surf Club to teach you some surf skills and put you through your paces with beach sprints, beach flags, bucket relays and loads more! There'll also be beach volleyball, sandcastle competitions and a "Big Dig" for buried treasure and prizes! 	EXCURSION +\$18 BIG BANANA WATER PARK & DRY SLIDES Today we're offering you a choice of either wet & wild fun of waterslides (120cm height restriction applies) OR the whiz-bang adrenalin rush of hurtling down the Dry Slides. Either way it's a win! (N.B. come appropriately dressed for your choice) Then, we'll head off for a picnic lunch and play! (Optional \$2 lolly bags available, cash only) 	EXCURSION + \$18 BUSKERS KIDS' SPECTACULAR Sadly, for the rest of Coffs Harbour, the Buskers Festival is having a break this year... BUT NOT FOR US!!! John Logan and his team have arranged a special event with amazing acts, activities and a day of fun just for the kids at Community OOSH! There's also prizes to win and food treats to buy! (spending money permissible today) 	INCURSION + \$8 MULLAWAY CREATIVE WORKSHOP For centuries there have been names that have inspired millions and been the veritable pillars of the Art World! Da Vinci, Rembrandt, Van Gough, Picasso and..... JIMMY WAGS! The team from Mullaway Creative are more talented and they're back to turn you into Grand Masters, in a fabulous day of creative fun! 
MONDAY 6 OCTOBER	TUESDAY 7 OCTOBER	WEDNESDAY 8 OCTOBER	THURSDAY 9 OCTOBER	FRIDAY 10 OCTOBER
PUBLIC HOLIDAY 	IN CENTRE - BEAT THE BUSKERS!!!! The Buskers are in town and strutting their stuff, but now it's our turn to show them what we've got! It's time to discover your own hidden talents and dabble in the basics of the performing arts to unleash your inner Busker! Be it Juggling Balls & Scarves, Hula Hoops or Acrobatics, today the stage is yours!!! 	EXCURSION +\$18 SPRING LOADED Time to turn yourself into a human superball today and have you bouncing off the floor, walls and ceiling! (Please wear active clothes and socks!) When that's done, we'll head off for a picnic in the park with your friends to enjoy lots of games, activities and fun. 	IN CENTRE - "SPRING FAIR!" All the fun of the fair is at your fingertips today as we prepare for the ultimate celebration of Spring! Your morning will be spent with your friends designing, setting up and creating your own fairground attractions, rides and stalls! Then, it's off to the fair for a fabulous arvo of fun! 	IN CENTRE Today we're going to get you off the screens and onto the TOOLS as we bring Reality TV to life! Dabble in, and learn the basics of plumbing, painting, carpentry, landscaping and decorating! Whether you're a HANDY MAN , a LADY TRADIE or a STYLE GURU we'll tap into your hidden talents and discover the "WOW FACTOR!" 
MONDAY 13 OCTOBER	Dave's Rave - "WHERE DO THE CHILDREN PLAY?"OR MORE IMPORTANTLY, "HOW?" and "WHAT WITH?" I'm old enough to have been a "Cat Stevens fan in the 70's and am proudly still one today. As we speak, I am recovering from a new -age, non-sensical battle with insurance companies, hell bent of stifling our (and your children's) world! In my long conversations with mindless drones, hell bent on crushing the essence of fun out of life and happily compiling lists of new things they WOULD NOT cover us for, the lyrics of a Cat Stevens song was constantly reverberating in my head. "I know we've come a long way,.....We're changing day to day,.....But tell me, where do the children play?" The list of prohibited activities included pools, jumping castles, trampolines, fire pits and bikes, just to name a few! Who would have thought, that being a kid and enjoying life, is apparently now one of the most dangerous professions in the world! To make matters worse, during the course of my long, and often devoid of common sense, discussions/arguments with these people I have found out that almost all of our individual and personal situational analysis's for "insurance risk" are farmed out by the big insurers to overseas risk assessors for "global comparisons!" Quite simply, that concept is about as messed up as it can be for our unique industry, myself as a Child Care Provider, you, your children and quite frankly, our Australian lifestyle in general. The good news in this whole debacle is that we stuck to our guns to give our children the right to access the "real play and activities" they desperately need to do. We have moved insurance companies after 20 years and found a good local broker to scour the world to come up with a company that included all our usual activities and more so that we can continue to function and provide the best possible experiences and interactions that all kids need! Never before has our Mission Statement "In a world gone mad with rules and regulations, we help kids, be kids!" rung so true.			

