

We want to express our heartfelt gratitude to all of the incredible families who joined us for the vacation care service over the July school holidays at Cobbler Creek OSHC. We had an absolute blast, and it was all thanks to the amazing children that made it such a fantastic and memorable experience.

Throughout the vacation care program, there was never a dull moment. We embarked on exciting adventures, explored new activities, and created wonderful memories together.

We would also like to express our appreciation to our dedicated staff who worked tirelessly to ensure a safe, engaging, and nurturing environment for the children. Their creativity, passion, and commitment to providing a funfilled experience were evident in every activity and interaction. They went above and beyond to ensure that every child felt valued, included, and had a fantastic time.

To all the families who entrusted us with their children's care, we are incredibly grateful for your support and the opportunity to be a part of your children's lives during the school holidays. Your trust and confidence in our program mean the world to us, and we will continue to strive to provide the best experiences and care for your children in the future.

As we bid farewell to this remarkable vacation care, we carry with us cherished memories, countless smiles, and the knowledge that we had the privilege of creating a positive impact on the lives of these incredible children.

Thank you once again to all the families who attended our vacation care service. Your presence, participation, and smiles made this experience truly unforgettable. We look forward to welcoming you back in future school holiday programs for more laughter, fun, and happiness!



DURING VACATION CARE, CHILDREN GOT TO TRAVEL AND EXPERIENCE FOUR DIFFERENT EXCURSIONS. WE ALSO HAD A FEW VISITORS WHO RAN FUN INCURSIONS WHERE THE CHILDREN WERE ABLE TO EXPERIENCE AND LEARN NEW SKILLS. ON OUR HOME DAYS THE CHILDREN PARTICIPATED IN FUN ACTIVITIES LED BY OUR AMAZING EDUCATORS AT OUR SERVICE.

## WEEK ONE

#### INFLATABLE WORLD DAY

# GUINESS BOOK OF WORLD CHALLENGES DAY

Once upon a time, on the glorious launch of the school holidays, a bunch of super pumped-up kids eagerly imped into a whirlwind of fun-tastic activities planned just for them. These little champs unleashed their wild just for them. These little champs unleashed their wild just for them and showcased their epic LEGO mastery, imaginations and showcased their epic LEGO mastery, imag

create the ultimate cascude of Joy.

As if that wasn't enough, they also ventured into the realm of cup tower construction, defying gravity with their shaky hands, desperately trying to keep their towering creations from toppling over. And let's not towering creations from toppling over. And let's not forget the epic outdoor escapades! These kiddos dashed around, engaging in awesome relay races and mindaround, engaging in awesome relay races and blowing games under the radiant sunshine. It was an absolute blast!

During our first excursion adventure, the children were incredibly excited as they boarded onto the bus that took us to Inflatable World. The sight was amazing, with bouncy structures all around. The children happily jumped, soared, and tumbled on the inflatables, challenging themselves to climb higher and jump higher. Their laughter filled the air as they enjoyed themselves all afternoon!

When we returned to OSHC on our bus. The children were tired after their energetic day. They sought rest and relaxation, having given their all during the day of bouncing and fun. The afternoon was peaceful as they took time to recover from their acrobatic adventures.







### Monday



### SCIENCE DAY + VISIT • FROM NITRO NAT



During our time at OSHC, we had an exciting Science Day! The kids became little scientists and explored the wonders of science. We started by watching interesting videos of mindblowing experiments. But the real excitement began when the children got creative, making their own experiment using dishwashing liquid, milk, and food colouring. And there it was! A fascinating walking rainbow appeared right in front of them! They were also amazed by the beautiful colour changes that happened on a paper towel. In our pursuit of scientific greatness, we attempted to create a rain cloud. Unfortunately, things didn't go as planned. However, we believe that failure is just a step towards success! The children embraced the challenge with enthusiasm and had a lot of fun throughout the day. When they weren't uncovering scientific mysteries, the children enjoyed the sunny weather

and had a great time playing on the playground.

Wednesday

### WEEK ONE

### MESSY PLAY DAY

### PLASTER FUN HOUSE + ART DAY

During our second outing, we went to the Plaster Funhouse, a marvellous place where the children could express their artistic talents. They were excited to choose their own plaster creations, although it was a tough decision for many. The children had wonderful conversations as they painted their creations, generously sharing their coloured paints. Afterward, we took a break while waiting for the masterpieces to dry.

The rest of the day was filled with anticipation and joy as the children enjoyed the sunny weather on the oval and playground. Optional art activities were available, including oil pastel drawings, salt painting, mask making, and contributing to a special OSHC display canvas. By the end of the day, the little artists were surely exhausted from their creative endeavours.

Thursday

Today, the children were bursting with excitement as they embarked on a wild adventure called the Messy Play Extravaganza! Our first wacky encounter was with rainbow pasta, where vibrant colors danced before our eyes. However, when their tiny fingers met the sticky strands, a surprise awaited us, and the enthusiasm waned.

But fear not! The next messy rendezvous was with cloud dough, and oh boy, did it tickle our fancy! Flour cascaded through the air, adorning our hair and clothes like fluffy clouds. The mess was totally worth it!

Of course, the children had the freedom to choose whether they wanted to dive into the mess or enjoy the sunny day on the playground and the open field. And guess what? We even concocted some slimy green goo that the kids couldn't get enough of—its squishy texture delighted them all.

As the first week of school holidays draws to a close, it's safe to say the children are feeling quite pooped from all the excitement and adventure!

#### Friday









### WEEK TWO

### **GLENN THE JUNKMAN**

Today, OSHC children and educators embarked on an exciting morning to the Nature Playground, a magical realm of recycled treasures and musical wonders, courtesy of Glenn the Junkman! Among mud, rocks, sticks, and recycled loose parts, creativity soared boundlessly.

The adventure was not only fun but also incredibly beneficial, enhancing motor skills, teamwork, and cooperation, while encouraging bravery and safety awareness.

The children's hearts swelled with learning—trust, cooperation, confidence, and resilience flourished like wildflowers in spring. Cubby houses, musical symphonies, and imaginative play left trails of smiles and satisfaction.

Glenn Wagland, the Junkman extraordinaire, sparked sustainable learning and curiosity in every child's heart—a true hero of the day!

The fun-filled incursion was unforgettable, and they eagerly await more adventures with Glenn in the future. Don't miss out





### FUNTOPTIA

Today was a fantastic day! The kids went on an early morning bus adventure to Funtoptia. Once we arrived, Funtoptia unleashed its magic, and the children dove headfirst into an indoor playground wonderland! They raced, they slid, and oh boy, did they laugh! The fearless bunch even conquered the towering rock climbing wall, proving they've got the spirit of true adventurers!

The fun continued with a delicious lunch and outdoor play under the warm sun. Indoors, they got creative with Hama beads, making masterpieces like little geniuses. What a sensational day filled with laughter, adventure, and cherished memories! Here's to more exciting escapades ahead! Woohoo!





### MOVIE DAY AT HOTYS

Children gathered at the Cinemas, excited and filled with anticipation. The theater buzzed with laughter and chatter as they settled into their seats with popcorn. The movie "Elemental" began, drawing them into the enchanting world of four elemental residents. The characters' adventures, mishaps, and heartwarming moments had the kids giggling and cheering throughout.

They related to the characters, seeing parts of themselves in the fiery passion, calm waters, grounded earth, and playful air. The kids realized that together, they formed a fantastic team, just like the elements in the movie.

After the movie, they headed back to Outside School Hours Care (oshc) with energy and excitement. They shared their favorite scenes and pretended to control elemental powers during imaginative play.

ELEMENTAL

Wednesday

### ANIMAL VISIT

Today, the children had a super-duper exciting surprise when Animal Anonymous dropped by with a wild bunch of wildlife animals to meet and greet! It was like a mini zoo just for them, and the kids couldn't contain their enthusiasm to see what was in those mysterious cages.

Giggles and gasps filled the air as a lively lizard, a groovy ganna, and a slippery snake made their grand appearance. And oh boy, the kids were tickled pink by the array of textures they could feel soft, smooth, rough, and hard!

But the real stars of the show were the adorable baby possum and the baby walby. Everyone had to keep their excitement hushed for the teeny possum, who showed off some incredible tricks, like jumping from shoulders to tiny hands! It was like watching a possum acrobat, and the children's eyes were wide with wonder.

Next up, the kids got to rub feathers with a friendly owl! Hoots and hollers of joy echoed through the air as they gently patted the wise owl.

But wait, there's more! They encountered a mini crocodile with its itsy-bitsy teeth that could still snap, making them go "whoa!" And guess what? They even braved it out to meet a big, cool black snake slithering around.

The snake was so huge that it took a team effort to hold it up, and the kids felt like daring animal wranglers!

The Animal Anonymous crew were fantastic guides, sharing fun facts and info about each critter they encountered. Armed with new knowledge, the children's imagination ran wild as they spent the rest of the day playing outdoors and crafting amazing animal-inspired creations.

What an unforgettable day of animal adventures and discovery!

The children couldn't stop chatting about their extraordinary encounters, and they'll cherish these memories forever. Who knows, maybe some future wildlife explorers were born today!

### WEEK TWO







#### Thursday





### PJAYMA DAY

Guess what happened today at OSHC, It was the grand finale of the holidays, and we decided to throw an epic Pyjama Day! All the kids showed up in their most comfortable and stylish PJs, ready to kick back and have a blast.

We transformed the place into a mini-movie theater, complete with popcorn-making magic! Each child crafted their very own popcorn baskets, eager to fill them up with the tastiest, most scrumptious popcorn you can imagine.

But that's not all! After indulging in our delicious popcorn snack, we took the party outside to enjoy the glorious sunshine at the patches. Picture this - happy kiddos sprawled on picnic blankets, feasting on mouthwatering sandwiches and juicy fruit, all under the warm rays of the sun.

It was a day filled with laughter, relaxation, and unforgettable moments. Pyjama Day at OSHC truly rocked our socks off! Who knew having fun in your PJs could be this awesome?

Friday



































