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VACATION CARE PROGRAM
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HOURS

07:00 AM - 06:00 PM

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 28 In Day Nature Nurturers <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> Celebrate Earth Day with nature play, cooking, gardening, and messy activities. Bring old clothes.	TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 29 Excursion Gawler Cinemas <i>Arrive by: 9:00am</i> <i>Return after: 1:00pm</i> Relax in comfort at the cinemas watching SHAUN THE SHEEP: THE BEAST OF MOSSY BOTTOM. Pack some snacks!	WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 30 In Day Sensory Sensation <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> The day focuses on sensory exploration with slime, water play, bubble-blowing, and mystery boxes.	THURSDAY OCTOBER 1 In Day Minute To Win It <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> Minute to Win It challenge with sensory support.	FRIDAY OCTOBER 2 Excursion Humbug Scrub Wildlife Sanctuary <i>Arrive by: 9:00am</i> <i>Return after: 2:30pm</i> Explore nature, meet local wildlife and enjoy a wonderful day outdoors.
				
MONDAY OCTOBER 5 N/A Public Holiday <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> Sorry, we are closed today.	TUESDAY OCTOBER 6 In Day Under The Sea <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> Deep Blue day with ocean-themed crafts and activities.	WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 7 Excursion Coles Healthy Kicks <i>Arrive by: 10:30am</i> <i>Return after: 4:30pm</i> Coles Healthy Kicks Day at Alberton Football Club.	THURSDAY OCTOBER 8 Excursion The Parks Theatre <i>Arrive by: 11:30am</i> <i>Return after: 3:30pm</i> Relax and watch the Matilda Musical Show.	FRIDAY OCTOBER 9 In Day Scavenger Hunters <i>Arrive by: Anytime</i> <i>Return after: Anytime</i> Scavenger Hunt Day with puzzles and adventures.
				

GENERAL INFORMATION	EXCURSIONS AND CANCELLATIONS	CHILD CARE SUBSIDY INFORMATION
Please send your child with a packed recess, lunch, and water bottle each day. All food provided must be ready to eat, as we are unable to cook or heat any food brought from home.	All excursion authority forms are to be completed and signed prior to the excursion. Children are unable to attend excursions without signed authorisation.	
Breakfast is available for children arriving before 8:00am, and an afternoon snack is provided by the service.	Please arrive before scheduled departure time for excursions. Buses will not wait for children who arrive after the listed time.	Please ensure you check your Child Care Subsidy hours of entitlement. Centrelink only provides up to 100 hours of subsidised care per fortnight. Across the Vacation Care period, many families will exceed their approved CCS hours. Once you reach your CCS hourly limit for any given fortnight, all additional hours used in that fortnight will be charged at the full hourly rate with no subsidy applied.
Ensure children wear suitable SunSmart hats, clothing and enclosed shoes appropriate for active play. If a child arrives without a suitable hat, and hats are available, a Happy Haven OSHC hat will be provided and charged to your account. The hat will be labelled with your child's name and kept by your child for future use.	Excursions may be cancelled, postponed, or modified due to circumstances outside of our control, including but not limited to weather conditions, venue closures, safety concerns, or other unforeseen circumstances. Cancelled excursions may be replaced with an incursion or an in-day.	If you have not utilised our services within the last 13 weeks, you will need to ensure that your Child Care Subsidy enrolment is confirmed before your first attendance occur.
All medications needing to be administered during Vacation Care require a current Medication Authority Form completed by a Medical Practitioner.	Families will be notified of any program changes or cancellations as soon as practicable.	Centrelink require families to attend their first and last booked sessions within an enrolment period. If your first or last booked session is not attended, any subsidies paid on these sessions will be reclaimed by Centrelink (up to 13 weeks later) and you will have an amount owing to Happy Haven OSHC.
A carer must sign off on the service's Risk Minimisation and Communication Plan. Medications cannot be administered until all required documentation has been received and approved by the service.	As excursion days do not incur additional fees beyond the standard Vacation Care booking charges, no fee adjustments, credits, or refunds will apply in the event of program changes or cancellations.	If you have a payment cap in place during the school term, this may need to be increased for sessions used during Vacation Care to ensure that your account remains current (you can contact our Head Office to action any changes to your payment caps).
Late pick up fees apply after the closure time. Fees are \$27.50 per family for every 15 minute period after the closing time.	Notification of cancellations for any vacation care days must be made two weeks prior to the booked day. Cancellations after this date incur a full fee. Note: Children are approved up to 42 absence days per financial year; once used, full fees apply.	As part of CCS requirements, children must be signed in and out of care by a parent/carers or an authorised collection authority. Accurate attendance records help ensure CCS can be applied correctly to your account.