# REDEEMER OSHC APRIL 2025 VACATION CARE

April Vacation Care has arrived at Redeemer OSHC, and we are so ready to spend the holidays with you!

In this Vacation Care package, you will find:

- Vacation Care Information Page
- Junior, Middle & Senior Program Calendars
- Incursion & Excursion Information
- Incursion & Excursion Permission Forms

Our VAC package can appear overwhelming, but each form provides either our families or our service with vital information that ensure your child can have a fun, safe and uninterrupted Vacation Care.

Your diligence when completing any required forms is greatly appreciated and will ensure that all bookings can be confirmed as quickly as possible.

Full program information with documentation links is available on request.

If you have any queries, please feel free to contact us! Email preferred. Email: oshc@redeemer.com.au | Phone: (07) 3340 8899

We look forward to another enjoyable and exciting Vacation Care with all of our families. Thank you for trusting us with your children.

Geena Barnes
OSHC Director

## REDEEMER OSHC VACATION CARE INFORMATION

#### PROGRAM:

Our program consists of themed days which all involve indoor and outdoor play experiences. All days provide children with options for craft creations, language activities, physical challenges, social games, and plenty of child-led, spontaneous play. Fostering children's social and emotional development is as important to us as supporting their cognitive and physical development, so we love to encourage their creative and imaginative learning with free play opportunities.

#### **BOOKINGS:**

All bookings must be made by parents/guardians via the Xplor app. You will not receive any confirmations for standard Vacation Care days but will be able to see your bookings in the app's calendar tab instantly, as noted by a small orange dot on relevant days. Places in additional activities, such as incursions and excursions, will be confirmed via email once forms are received by the service.

#### **INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS:**

A completed authorisation form must be returned to the service with parent/guardian signature prior to all incursions and excursions. Unfortunately, phone, email or verbal permission are not suitable and will not be accepted in replacement of a signed authorisation form.

#### **FOOD & DRINK:**

Our program allows for three food breaks (fruit snack at 9.30am, lunch at 12.00pm, optional afternoon tea at 3.00pm). Our service provides fruit and vegetable platters for both morning and afternoon tea, as well as an afternoon snack, but <u>lunch</u> still needs to be provided by families. Please note we are unable to reheat or refrigerate food. A water bottle is also essential for all days.

#### **ESSENTIALS:**

Enclosed shoes, a wide-brimmed hat <u>(no caps)</u>, and clothing that covers shoulders and upper arms are a must. Children without may be unable to participate in certain activities at the discretion of educators. If attending BCLS, please also bring a basic pencil case and stationery items.

#### **PERSONAL ITEMS:**

Please label all items, including clothing. **Personal phones and/or smart watches are not permitted and will be removed from children.** We strongly discourage children from bringing toys or games from home, and accept no responsibility for any damage, loss, or inappropriate use.

#### **SESSIONS & FEES:**

We offer four sessions for Vacation Care: 11hr with or without BCLS from 7.00am to 6.00pm, or 9hr with or without BCLS from 8.30am to 5.30pm. Bookings made after Friday 28 March will incur additional admin fees of \$5.00 per day. Sessions with BCLS incur an incursion fee of \$5.00. Your child may only attend within booked session hours. Children booked for the 9hr session who attend outside of session time will be moved to the 11hr session with a \$10.00 admin fee charged.

Children collected after 6.00pm will be charged \$20.00 at 6.00pm and \$5.00 per additional 5 minutes thereafter. Failure to sign children in or out correctly is a breach of CCS obligations and will also incur additional admin fees of \$5.00 per child.

Hats may be provided to children that do not have an appropriate hat (ie: no hat or cap only) at an additional fee of \$15.00 per hat.

7 days' notice is required for cancellations, or full fees will be charged. Absences before your child's first attendance or after your child's last attendance may result in CCS being revoked for these bookings, in which case full fees must be settled by the family. If absent for your final day of VAC, please aim to reattend within 12 weeks of your child's last physical attendance to avoid incurring a later debt.

## **APRIL 2025** 07 April - 17 April

#### JUNIORS:

Prep & Year 1

MONDAY **TUESDAY** WEDNESDAY **THURSDAY FRIDAY** 

Mythical and Magical Wonders	STEM-Tacular	OSHC Discovery Centre Walkabout Creek	Under the Sea	Market Day!
<ul><li>potion making</li><li>fairy tale reading</li><li>learning magic tricks</li></ul>	<ul> <li>science experiments</li> <li>beebot STEM         challenges</li> <li>slime creations</li> </ul>	animal musical statues     nature play & crafts	<ul><li>sensory water play</li><li>ocean murals</li><li>sea animal trivia</li></ul>	compete in trivia, physical games, and creative challenges to earn points to spend at this afternoons market!
Heroes and Heroines	Rock Climbing	Imagination Exploration	Easter Eggstravaganza	Good Friday
<ul> <li>save the day team challenges</li> <li>superhero masks</li> <li>everyday hero stories (Police, Firefighters)</li> </ul>	INC: Base Zero Rock Climbing	<ul> <li>child-led play</li> <li>open-ended sensory, physical, and social experiences</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Helping Hands baking</li><li>Easter crafts</li><li>scavenger hunt</li><li>Easter service</li></ul>	

#### **Notes & Optional Programs**



Sport Camp; 9.00am-10.30am, \$30.00/session



STEM; 1.00pm-3.30pm, \$60.00/session



Tennis; 9.00am-12.00pm, \$35.00/session



OPTIONAL EXCURSION +\$35.00 arrive by 8.00am

\*additional permission form required\*



NON-OPTIONAL INCURSION +\$20.00 \*additional permission form required\*

# **APRIL 2025**07 April - 17 April

#### Middles:

Year 2 & Year 3

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

07	08	09	10	11
Friendship Fiesta	The 91- Storey Treehouse  OUT Gardens Theatre	STEM-Tacular	International Explorers	Market Day!
<ul> <li>team building activities</li> <li>friendship bracelets</li> <li>collaborative art project</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>create your own book</li> <li>tree climbing</li> <li>91-storey treehouse activities</li> </ul>	<ul><li>science experiments</li><li>STEM challenges</li><li>DIY lava lamps</li></ul>	<ul> <li>scavenger hunt</li> <li>international cooking</li> <li>virtual tours of famous landmarks</li> </ul>	compete in trivia, physical games, and creative challenges to earn points to spend at this afternoons market!
Minecraft Monday	Rock Climbing	Imagination Exploration	Easter Eggstravaganza	Good Friday
<ul> <li>Minecraft challenges</li> <li>pixel art</li> <li>diamond hunt</li> <li>frozen digs</li> <li>BYO device</li> </ul>	INC: Base Zero Rock Climbing	<ul> <li>child-led play</li> <li>open-ended sensory, physical, and social experiences</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Helping Hands baking</li> <li>Easter crafts</li> <li>scavenger hunt</li> <li>Easter service</li> </ul>	

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NON-OPTIONAL INCURSION +\$20.00 \*additional permission form required\*

## **APRIL 2025** 07 April - 17 April

Seniors:

Year 4+

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY

07	08	09	10	11
Sport or Spa	Baking Bonanza	Colour Craze	Curious Creators	Market Day!
<ul> <li>team sports</li> <li>DIY scrubs &amp; face masks</li> <li>manicures</li> <li>relay races</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>afternoon tea baking</li> <li>food group relay</li> <li>ingredient scavenger hunt</li> </ul>	<ul><li>tie dye activities</li><li>rainbow crafts</li><li>sand wizard art</li></ul>	string art     nature play & craft	team up with your friends and create your own market stalls and products to 'sell' to our Juniors and Middles!
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#### **Notes & Optional Programs**



Sport Camp; 9.00am-10.30am, \$30.00/session



OPTIONAL EXCURSION +\$35.00 arrive by 8.00am

\*additional permission form required\*



Tennis; 9.00am-12.00pm, \$35.00/session



NON-OPTIONAL INCURSION +\$20.00 \*additional permission form required\*

## REDEEMER OSHC PROGRAM INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS

#### **INCURSION DAYS:**

ALL: \$20.00 additional for \$93.00 total daily price. Requires incursion permission form.

#### **Base Zero Rock Climbing**

- Tuesday 15 April for Juniors & Middles (Prep Year 3) with 30-minute sessions, between 10.00am-3.30pm
- Wednesday 16 April for Seniors (Year 4+) with 30-minute sessions, between 9.00am-12.00pm
- Wide-brimmed and fully enclosed shoes required. Children will not be able to participate in this
  experience without these items.

#### **OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS:**

#### ALL: \$35.00 additional for \$108.00 total daily price.

+\$20.00 additional for excursion shirt if not already owned.

Requires excursion permission form. 8.00am recommended arrival time with 8.30am arrival cut-off.

#### **JUNIORS (Prep & Yr 1)**

Walkabout Creek Discovery Centre

- Wednesday 9 April, 10.00am-2.30pm (arrive at 8.00am)
- Wide-brimmed and fully enclosed shoes required. Children will not be able to attend this excursion without these items.

#### MIDDLES (Yr 2 & Yr 3)

QUT Gardens Theatre: The 91-Storey Treehouse

- Tuesday 8 April, 10.30am-2.00pm (arrive at 8.00am)
- Wide-brimmed and fully enclosed shoes required. Children will not be able to attend this excursion without these items.

#### SENIORS (Yr 4+)

Curious Me: Whittling, Fire Starting, and Messy Play

- Thursday 10 April, 9.00am-1.00pm (arrive at 8.00am)
- Full change of clothes, a wide-brimmed hat, and fully enclosed shoes required. **Children will not be** able to attend this excursion without these items.

## REDEEMER OSHC OPTIONAL INCURSION INFORMATION

#### **BCLS (BRISBANE CHINESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL):**

Chinese cultural and language instruction by teachers from Brisbane Chinese Language School. Maximum class size of 25 children with 1 teacher + OSHC educators at 1:15 ratio.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$5.00 per session
- Dates & Times: every day, 9.00am-12.00pm (must arrive by 9.15am)

#### STEM (Prep-Yr 3):

Coding and engineering involving use of iPads and physical materials, taught by Engineering for Kids instructors. Ratio of 20 children with 1 instructor & 1 assistant + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio. Minimum 10 children.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$60.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - Thursday 10 April, 1.00pm-3.30pm
  - Tuesday 15 April, 1.00pm-3.30pm

#### **TENNIS** (all ages):

Tennis camp program, taught by Malpass Tennis coaches. Ratio of 12 children with 1 coach + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$35.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - Monday 14 April to Thursday 17 April, 9.00am-12.00pm

### SPORTS CAMPS (all ages):

Mixed sports camps taught by Redeemer Sport and specialized coaches. Ratio of 20 children with 1 coach + OSHC educators at 1:12 ratio. Minimum 6 children.

- Fees: OSHC daily fee + \$30.00 per session
- Dates & Times:
  - o AFL Tuesday 8 April, 9.00am-10.30am
  - Volleyball Thursday 10 April, 9.00am-10.30am
  - Basketball Monday 14 April, 9.00am-10.30am
  - o Football Wednesday 16 April, 9.00am-10.30am

ADD ON OPTIONAL INCURSIONS HERE: https://forms.gle/pUiAyct3Gvea5Vcy6



**EPP-Incursion Authorisation** 



Name of incursion provider	Base Zero
Description of incursion	Rock climbing & abseiling wall on campus.
ocation of incursion	Redeemer Lutheran College (Chapel Green)
Date of incursion	Juniors & Middles (P-Yr 3): Tuesday 15 April 2025   Seniors (Yr 4+): Wednesday 16 April 2025
ncursion commencement time	Juniors & Middles (P-Yr 3): 9am   Seniors (Yr 4+): 10am
Duration	Juniors & Middles (P-Yr 3): 5 hrs   Seniors (Yr 4+): 3 hrs
Anticipated staff ratio	1:12
Anticipated number of staff/adults attending	g educators as per 1:12 ratio
Anticipated number of children attending	Juniors & Middles (P-Yr 3): 80-100 children   Seniors (Yr 4+): 50 children
The Nominated Supervisor has sighted the i	ncursion provider's risk assessment/s
Activities that will be undertaken during the	incursion and links to the Service program
Rock climbing and abseiling wall by Base Ze Children will climb at their own pace or can WIDE-BRIMMED HAT AND FULLY ENCLOSED	choose to participate in races and challenges on the wall.
WR 20/12/24: CD, SH	
As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nomi participate in the Incursion, as outlined abo	inee named in the child's enrolment record, I provide my authorisation for my child to ve
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date



**EPP-Excursion Authorisation** 



The Education and Care Regulations define an excursion as an outing organised by an education and care service, but does not include an outing organised by an education and care service provided on a school site.

Risk assessments (in accordance with Education and Care Regulation 101) for this excursion have been prepared and are available at the Service

Name of Venue	QUT Gardens Theatre
Description of Venue	Performing arts theatre in QUT parklands.
Address of Venue	2 George Street, Brisbane Queensland 4000
Means of Transport	Mt Gravatt Coach & Travel
Requirements for seat belts or safety restraints (if applicable)	seat belts
Date of Excursion	Tuesday 08 April 2025
Estimated time of departure from Service	10.30am (arrive at 8.00am)
Estimated time of return to Service	2.00pm
Anticipated staff ratio	1:10
Anticipated number of staff/adults attendin	g 3 educators
Anticipated number of children attending	30 Middles (Yr 2 & Yr 3)
Activities that will be undertaken during the	Excursion and links to the Service program
	e of '91 Storey Treehouse' at QUT Gardens Theatre. ic style lunch in the QUT park lands (food provided by families). O SHOES REQUIRED.
	inee named in the child's enrolment record as having authority to authorise an Educator to re service premises, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Excursion as
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date



EPP-Excursion Authorisation



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Risk assessments (in accordance with Education and Care Regulation 101) for this excursion have been prepared and are available at the Service

Name of Venue	Walkabout Creek Discovery Centre
Description of Venue	Bush parklands, nature reserve, and nature discovery centre by Enoggera Reservoir.
Address of Venue	60 Mount Nebo Rd, Enoggera Reservoir QLD 4520
Means of Transport	Mt Gravatt Coach & Travel
Requirements for seat belts or safety restraints (if applicable)	seat belts
Date of Excursion	Wednesday 09 April 2025
Estimated time of departure from Service	10.00am (arrive by 8.00am)
Estimated time of return to Service	2.15pm
Anticipated staff ratio	1:10
Anticipated number of staff/adults attendin	g 5 educators
Anticipated number of children attending	35-40 Juniors (Prep & Yr 1)
Activities that will be undertaken during the	e Excursion and links to the Service program
minute discovery show, showcasing Queen	ploration of the wildlife centre. Children will be engaging in a ranger-led multi-species 30 sland's protected areas (two groups of a maximum of 25). nic style lunch in the wildlife centre picnic area (food provided by families).
WIDE-BRIMMED HAT AND FULLY ENCLOSED	O SHOES REQUIRED.
WR 20/12: VL, SC	
	inee named in the child's enrolment record as having authority to authorise an Educator to re service premises, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Excursion as
Child's Name	
Parent/Guardian/Authorised Nominee Name	
Signature	Date



**EPP-Excursion Authorisation** 

restraints (if applicable)



an outing organised by an education and care service provided on a school site.

Risk assessments (in accordance with Education and Care Regulation 101) for this excursion have been prepared and are available at the Service

Name of Venue

Curious Me

Description of Venue

Sensory learning space focusing on messy play, risky play and sensory play.

Address of Venue

37-51 Pineview Road, Logan Village, QLD, 4207

Means of Transport

Mt Gravatt Coach & Travel

Requirements for seat belts or safety

seat belts

The Education and Care Regulations define an excursion as an outing organised by an education and care service, but does not include

Date of Excursion Thursday 10 April 2025

Estimated time of departure from Service 9.00am (arrive at 8.00am)

Estimated time of return to Service 1.00pm

Anticipated staff ratio 1:12

Anticipated number of staff/adults attending 4 educators

Anticipated number of children attending 30 Seniors (Yr 4+)

Activities that will be undertaken during the Excursion and links to the Service program

Children have the opportunity to engage in fun-filled, child-led sensory play-based learning for a 2hr session. A specific focus will be on messy play involving water and mud.

SPARE CHANGE OF CLOTHES, WIDE-BRIMMED HAT AND FULLY ENCLOSED SHOES REQUIRED.

LS 27/02: JS, MS, JS, AC, TC

As the Parent/Guardian or Authorised Nominee named in the child's enrolment record as having authority to authorise an Educator to take the child outside the education and care service premises, I provide my authorisation for my child to participate in the Excursion as outlined above

Child's Name

Parent/Guardian/Authorised

Nominee Name

Signature Date