

Vacation Care Program

July 2026

7:00AM OPEN
6:00PM CLOSE

PLEASE ARRIVE BY
9AM FOR
EXCURSIONS



IN-HOUSE



WORKSHOP



EXCURSION

Week One

MONDAY, 28 TH SEPTEMBER	TUESDAY 29 TH SEPTEMBER	WEDNESDAY 30 TH SEPTEMBER	THURSDAY 01 ST OCTOBER	FRIDAY 02 ND OCTOBER
MORNING UNDERWORLD LASER	MORNING MINI CHEFS	MORNING EVENT CINEMAS	MORNING REPTILE SHOW	MORNING ZONE BOWLING
Come along for an exciting excursion to Underworld Laser Tag! Experience thrilling battles in a vibrant arena, test your skills, and team up with friends for an unforgettable adventure. Don't miss out on this action packed day of fun!	Our budding young chefs will get hands-on today, learning to prepare healthy, delicious meals from scratch! Mini Chefs educators will guide children through fun, age-appropriate recipes, building skills in food prep, following instructions, and healthy eating	Today we're heading off to Event Cinemas for a movie session watching The Last Whale Singer – an animated adventure following a young humpback whale who must overcome self-doubt to find his voice and protect the ocean he calls home. A heartwarming, ocean-themed film perfect for our vacation care crew!	Get ready to come face-to-face with some scaly, slithery friends! Today, a Reptile Show educator visits us with a range of amazing reptiles for children to see and learn about up close. Kids will discover fascinating facts about reptile habitats, behaviours, and how to care for our scaly friends, all in a safe, hands-on and exciting session!	Zone Bowling + Pizza Day! Strike up some fun! Today we're off to Zone Bowling for an action-packed session of ten-pin bowling, followed by a well-earned pizza lunch. Kids will enjoy friendly competition, teamwork, and turn-taking, all while having a blast with their friends. Time to lace up those bowling shoes!
AFTERNOON SHRINK CHARM STUDIO	AFTERNOON DECORATE YOUR OWN APRON	AFTERNOON SEA CRAFT AND CLAY ANIMALS	AFTERNOON REPTILE CRAFT-A-NOON	AFTERNOON BOARD GAMES AFTERNOON
Watch your artwork magically shrink into a one-of-a-kind keepsake! Children will design and decorate their own personalised keyrings before seeing them transform into colourful mini creations they can take home.	Get ready to dress the part! Children will decorate their very own chef apron using colourful fabric markers, creating a personalised masterpiece to wear during future cooking adventures and take home as a special keepsake.	Dive into a creative afternoon inspired by today's ocean-themed movie! Children will create beautiful sea-inspired crafts and mould their favourite marine animals from clay while exploring the wonders of life beneath the waves.	Slither into an afternoon of reptile-themed creativity! Children will make fun snake-inspired crafts, including colourful pipe cleaner snakes, paper chain snakes and snap band snake bracelets, while celebrating the amazing reptiles they met during today's show.	Unwind after an exciting morning of bowling with a relaxing afternoon of board games! Children can challenge their friends to a variety of classic and modern games, building teamwork, problem-solving skills and good sportsmanship while having fun together.
				
Base Fee	Base Fee	Base Fee	Base Fee	Base Fee
\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20
Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*
\$40.75	\$19.60	\$30.15	\$24.85	\$40.75
Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total
\$126.95	\$105.80	\$116.35	\$111.05	\$126.95
After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*
\$24.44	\$20.37	\$22.40	\$21.38	\$24.44

Week Two

MONDAY 5 TH OCTOBER	TUESDAY 6 TH OCTOBER	WEDNESDAY 7 TH OCTOBER	THURSDAY 8 TH OCTOBER	FRIDAY 9 TH OCTOBER
CLOSED	MORNING CARRS PARK EXCURSION	MORNING VR GAMING	MORNING WILD PLAY GARDEN	MORNING BUBBLE SHOW
Public holiday	Today we're heading to Carrs Park for a special cultural excursion, learning about Aboriginal culture, connection to Country, and traditional practices. Children will take part in engaging, hands-on activities that build understanding and respect for Aboriginal history and culture, all while enjoying time outdoors together.	Get ready to level up! Today we're heading to a VR gaming venue in Miranda, where kids will strap in for an immersive virtual reality experience. From action-packed challenges to interactive games, it's a chance to explore cutting-edge tech and have a blast with friends!	Today we're off to Wild Play Garden for a day of outdoor adventure! Kids will explore nature-based play spaces, climb, balance, and let their imaginations run wild, building confidence, gross motor skills, and a love for the great outdoors.	Get ready to be amazed! Today a Bubble Show performer visits us for a magical session filled with giant bubbles, bubble tricks, and interactive fun. Children will be dazzled by bubble sculptures and effects, all while giggling and getting a little bubbly themselves!
CLOSED	AFTERNOON INDIGENOUS CRAFT	AFTERNOON SC ECS RACE TRACK	AFTERNOON BRACELET BAR	AFTERNOON SC ECS SCIENCE LAB
Public Holiday	Continue today's cultural learning through a hands-on craft inspired by the knowledge shared during our excursion. Children will reflect on Aboriginal culture, connection to Country and the importance of respecting and celebrating Australia's First Nations Peoples.	Get ready to build the ultimate race track! Using race track tape, we'll be turning the centre into one giant course, working together to create the longest track we can. Grab your favourite matchbox car and get set to race, drift and zoom your way around the track!	Unwind with a relaxing afternoon of jewellery making as children create colourful friendship bracelets and personalised accessories. With plenty of beads, charms and designs to choose from, every creation will be uniquely their own.	The fun continues with an afternoon of exciting hands-on science experiments! Children will explore fascinating reactions, make exciting discoveries and spark their curiosity through interactive STEM activities inspired by the wonder and magic of today's Bubble Show.
				
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\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20	\$86.20
Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*	Exp Fee*
\$46.05	\$35.45	\$35.45	\$14.30	\$14.30
Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total	Daily Total
\$132.25	\$121.65	\$121.65	\$100.50	\$100.50
After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*	After Max CCS*
\$20.21	\$25.46	\$23.42	\$19.35	\$19.35

Additional Information



What to Wear

Get ready to embrace adventure with a fun filled day at SCECS. Stay up to date with the weather forecast to dress suitably for the day ahead, comfortable clothes for full participation and enclosed shoes are a must! We recommend dressing in layers so that items can be added or removed. Please ensure all clothing items and belongings are clearly labelled with your child's full name to minimise lost property.



What to Pack

Fuel up for fun-filled days at SCECS vacation care with a healthy lunch! While we'll take care of providing breakfast, afternoon tea and late snack, we kindly ask that parents pack the below items. When preparing your child's lunchbox, please be mindful that we are a nut free service due to allergies and anaphylaxis. Your thoughtful consideration ensures a safe and enjoyable experience for all.

- ☒ Morning Tea/Fruit Break
- ☒ Healthy Lunch
- ☒ Refillable Water Bottle
- ☒ Sun Safe Hat
- ☒ Raincoat or Umbrella
- ☒ Warm Jumper



Medical Information

If your child has Asthma, Anaphylaxis, an Allergy, or any other medical condition, please provide your plans to your child's OSHC Coordinator. Please provide required medications to your OSHC Coordinator on the first day of attendance in their original packaging, clearly labelled with your child's name and a use-by date.



Terms & Conditions

Please refer to the [Family Handbook](#) located on our website. The booking is not confirmed until a confirmation email has been sent from our service. Please note: A Risk Assessment has been prepared for each excursion and is available at each service.



Child Care Subsidy

After your SCECS vacation care booking is placed through XAP, you must log into your MyGov account to check you have a confirmed enrolment.

Example CCS Rates for SCECS FY2026-2027

Vacation Care Fees	Daily Fees Before CCS	50% CCS Out of Pocket Fees	85% CCS Out of Pocket Fees
Base Fee	\$86.20	\$45.26	\$16.59
Base Fee + \$9.00 Activity	\$95.20	\$49.98	\$18.33
Base Fee + \$14.30 Activity	\$100.50	\$52.76	\$19.35
Base Fee + \$19.60 Activity	\$105.80	\$55.55	\$20.37
Base Fee + \$24.85 Activity	\$111.05	\$58.30	\$21.38
Base Fee + \$30.15 Activity	\$116.35	\$61.08	\$22.40
Base Fee + \$35.45 Activity	\$121.65	\$63.87	\$23.42
Base Fee + \$40.75 Activity	\$126.95	\$66.65	\$24.44
Base Fee + \$46.05 Activity	\$132.25	\$69.43	\$25.46



Excursions

Please note a Excursion & Transportation Permission Form must be completed for each excursion. This will be provided to you at the service. Risk assessments available upon request for each venue.



Spending Money

Please ensure that children do not bring any extra spending money unless specifically advised by your OSHC Coordinator.

Personal items are not permitted whilst attending SCECS OSHC. The service cannot be held responsible for them.



Booking & Cancellations

Vacation Care bookings are subject to availability and may be placed/amended via XAP. Seven (7) days written notice is required for cancellations.



Enrol Now

If you need help with enrolling, please contact the OSHC Coordinator, Giulia:



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If the Vacation Care service is not your child's regular OSHC location, bank details will need to be supplied prior to attendance.

