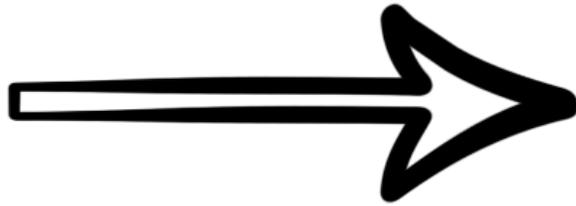


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KOOKABURRA



Thursday 16th Dec,

MESSY DAY

Let's start our holidays with a fun filled messy day! We can place our cars and bugs in taste-safe mud—creating our own mud out of corn flour, water & powered hot chocolate mix! How about making sensory fun fizzy cloud dough, or letting your inner artist out as we explore balloon/glove painting, and window painting with shaving foam!?! Messy fun that we can't do at home!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, change of clothes

Friday 17th Dec,

Ready, Set, Go! It is Sports day!

Join us for a fun, physical day of games. Pick a team and join us on the oval for a game of tee-ball, or maybe basketball is more to your liking. Using our crazy catches and incorporating these into our games to make them more challenging and fun, can you hit or catch the ball your friend threw. Let's head to the big hill and embrace being children and see who can slide down the fastest. Then in the afternoon we will relax under the tree and enjoy an icy pole!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat. Enclosed shoes suitable for sports

Monday 20th Dec,

WHEELS DAY

Bring your bike, scooter, skateboard or roller skates and enjoy the day riding with your friends. With weather permitting Megan will be taking the children for a ride around both the schools grounds. Taking on the challenge of the pump track and testing yourself riding down the big hill. Test yourself on the different jumps that will be offered, in either the courtyard or basketball court.



Please pack:
Lunch, sun hat, water drink bottle, **bike/scooter**, helmet, enclosed shoes

Tuesday 21st Dec,

Wings Wildlife Park

Today we are off to the beautiful Wings Wildlife Park, exploring and meeting all of the different animals, mammals and reptiles.

Let's frolic with the farm animals, mingle with the meerkats, and marmoset monkeys, throw some pellets to the fish, smile with the reptiles!

Bus departing 9am
Returning 5pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes

Wednesday 22nd Dec,

Bush Camp

Let's walk to our bush camp site at the View Rd Reserve and see what we can create out of the natural resources we find. We'll walk further up to the creek area and see if we can discover the tadpoles that live in this habitat. Maybe we could even catch some and bring them back to Kookaburra where we can create our own habitat for the tadpoles and watch them turn into frogs! We will enjoy our lunch under the shade of the trees and see if we can make a slide on the leaf covered ground using some cardboard that we have brought with us... Wheeeeeee!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes suitable for walking

Thursday 23rd Dec,

CREATIVE DAY

We're going to explore our creative sides and see what wonderful master pieces that we can create with 3-D portrait art, and salt water colour designs. Let's explore the wonders of resin and what we can create with this substance, objects like pendants, fridge magnets or key rings to name a few. And of course, tie dying, one of our most requested art experiences, bring along any item that is white e.g. t-shirt, singlet or a pillow case and create your own one of a kind item!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, change of clothes, plain white item to dye

Friday 24th Dec,

Movies & Beach

Join our friends from Milpara in watching a movie and then walk along to the beach for a BBQ lunch. Exploring the rock pools, building sandcastles, games on the grass or playing on the playground equipment.

Whilst there will be no swimming, a change of clothes would be great, in the event of children getting wet whilst exploring the rock pools!

Movie choices will be : *Encanto* or *A boy called Christmas*

Bus departing 10am
Returning 4pm



Please pack:
BBQ Lunch provided, water drink bottle, sun hat, change of clothes



DISCOVERY
EARLY LEARNING CENTRES

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Monday 27th Dec,

Tuesday 28th Dec,

Wednesday 29th Dec,

Thursday 30th Dec,

Friday 31st Dec,

Games Day

Slip 'n Slide

*New Year's Eve
Disco*

CLOSED

For Public Holiday

We're with our Milpara OSHC friends today—drop off and pick up at our Milpara service.

Come along and enjoy participating in some friendly games with your friends and peers. We will have a range of board games, card games, iQ puzzles, sports games outside and other group games.

Big body play spaces will be set up outside where we can explore our strength, and challenge our friends.



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, own sunscreen if required

We're with our Milpara OSHC friends today—drop off and pick up at our Milpara service.

Bring your bathers, towel and water toys and join in the fun! Today we're creating our own waterslide, having a water balloon toss, target water squirting, playing with orbies and slime!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, change of clothes, own sunscreen if required

We're with our Milpara OSHC friends today—drop off and pick up at our Milpara service.

Rock it out with Sing star, Buzz and other games on the PlayStation. You can join in the talent show or challenge a friend to party games and challenges. We will finish off with a dance party in the gym where you will be challenged to come up with some funky dance moves, who will be the dancing champion?



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, own sunscreen if required

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Monday 3rd Jan,

Tuesday 4th Jan,
Science Day

Come join us for a day of wonder and discovery where we explore the magic of science. You can become scientists and amaze your friends with the magic ice experiment. Or make a rainbow in a bottle using water and skittles—how do the colours stay separate? We'll also go fishing for ice - do you think you can make the ice stick to the string without touching it?? And so many more mind blowing experiments through out the day!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat

Wednesday 5th Jan,
Surf's Up

We're heading down to the South Burnie beach to learn the skills of surfing!

While we are there we'll also play a variety of beach games and make a day of it, digging in the sand and making sand castle!

Bus departing 9:15am
Returning 3:45pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **sunscreen**, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, towel, change of clothes

Thursday 6th Jan,
Green Thumbs Day

Today is all about discovering our green thumbs. So bring along a glass jar or vase and create your own terrarium to take home. We will revamp our indoor gardens with new seasonal plants or flowers. We will also create our own mosaic tiles to place in our gardens and maybe you would like to create one for your own garden at home?

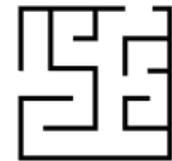


Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **glass jar/vase**

Friday 7th Jan,
Tasmazia

Join us on a road trip to the wonders of the mazes at The Village of Lower Crackpot. Can you beat your friends to the middle of the big maze, or is your sense of direction easily confused? Let's explore and have fun in all of the different mazes at Tasmazia together!

Bus departing 8:30am
Returning 4:30pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **enclosed walking shoes**

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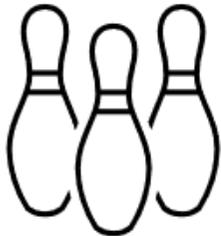
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Monday 10th Jan,

Road Trip

Don't miss out—we're heading to Launceston for an epic day out! First we'll enjoy a game or two of ten pin bowling, then it's onto the Riverbend Park, where we will enjoy our lunch before heading off for a play on all the equipment!

Bus departing 9am
Returning 5pm



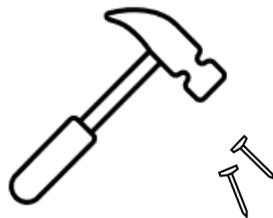
Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes, **sunscreen**

Tuesday 11th Jan,

Let's Build!

Today is about building, either with the hammer and nails, or hot glue gun. With the children welcomed to bring in items from home to turn into something else. Maybe you have a tin that could become a bird house or a bird feeder?

The children will also be able to create their own sign for their bedroom, using wood and the wood burning guns to create designs and write their names. Build a photo frame out of paddle pop sticks and maybe even a phone holder!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **items from home to revamp**

Wednesday 12th Jan,

Fossil Bluff

Today we are off to Fossil Bluff, home of a wide range of fossils captured in the rocks, lets take a walk around the bluff, if its low tide, or if its high tide, challenge ourselves in climbing the different rocks.

Then it's onto the Wynyard Beach and playground area, for a play and exploration on the beach and rocks and searching for hermit crabs.

Bus departing 9:30am
Returning 3pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **sunscreen, enclosed shoes, change of clothes**

Thursday 13th Jan,

Challenge Day

Challenge yourself and your friends! How fast can you make it from one end of the monkey bars to the other end? Are you able to hold onto the bar the longest? Make a team and see if you can complete the obstacle course the fastest. How long can you go through the day, performing everyday tasks with no thumbs? Are your hands the steadiest to build the biggest and highest house of cards?
Challenge ACCEPTED!

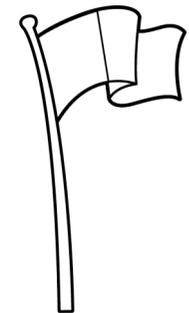


Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat

Friday 14th Jan,

Active Day

Come today ready to participate in some fun active experiences! We'll take a walk to the Burnie Park for lunch, then have a play on the equipment, before walking back and taking in the natural surroundings of the waterfall and bush areas, on our way to Kooaburra. Whilst at Kooka we can join our friends in some fun games of tails, flags or four corners on the oval.



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, **enclosed shoes suitable for sports**

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Monday 17th Jan, Water Play Day

Today is all about having fun with water, bring along your squirters and see how wet you can get your friends! Join us on the hill, as we make our own slip and slide and see how much speed we can get up. Take part in some sponge and balloon throwing and exploring what happens to our chalk drawings when we add water.



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, towel, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, change of clothes, water squirters

Tuesday 18th Jan, Sports Day

Let's get physical, and let's get ready to take on Milpara and Ulverstone in the Discovery Cup tomorrow! Join your friends in three legged races, relay, egg and spoon, tug of war and many more fun running races. Challenge your friends to the race to get ready for school, who can put on the items of clothing the fastest and get to the finish line. Take part in team ball games like basketball, crazy catch or even four square. Plus in the indoor environment we can make a banner, signs and streamers in our team colour of blue!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes

Wednesday 19th Jan, Discovery Cup

Game on!
Which service will win the cup this year, Ulverstone, Milpara or Kookaburra?



*"We are the champions, my friends
And we'll keep on fighting till the end
We are the champions
We are the champions
No time for losers
'Cause we are the champions of the World!"*

- Queen

Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes suitable for running

Thursday 20th Jan, Wheels Day

Today is all about different wheels, bring along your bikes, scooters, skateboards and roller skates. Testing out our skills on the different jumps and taking some controlled risks on the pump track. Make your ride gleam by taking it through the bike wash!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, bike/scooter, helmet, enclosed shoes

Friday 21st Jan, Surfing

Let's head down to the South Burnie Beach and learn the skills of surfing. We will also have heaps of beach games and activities to keep us busy for a day at the beach.

Bus departing 9:15am
Returning 3:45pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, towel, sunscreen, change of clothes

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Monday 24th Jan,

Natural art & Messy play

Let's explore and see what we can create using the natural resources that are surrounding us. We'll take a walk around the vast school grounds and discover what treasures we can use! We can also use the different flowers and leaves in printing on white or coloured paper. How about nature weaving, using these materials in a weaving effect? Or creating mobiles or stick vases for our vacation care room or to take home? We'll also explore the use of clay to sculpt different creations and in the sandpit we'll create a sensory delight by changing the texture of the sand using water!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, change of clothes

Tuesday 25th Jan,

Ulverstone waterslide & Dinosaur Park

Embracing our childhoods and having fun on the waterslide, then onto the Dinosaur Park, joining our friends from Milpara with a BBQ lunch and an afternoon of fun at the park!

Bus departing 9:30am
Returning 4pm



Please pack:
BBQ Lunch provided, water drink bottle, sun hat, sun screen, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, towel, change of clothes

Wednesday 26th Jan,

CLOSED

For Public Holiday

Thursday 27th Jan,

NINJA WARRIOR

Who will be the top Ninja at Kookaburra? Join us today in some fun and challenging Ninja style experiences. Who can make their way across the slack line the fastest, how strong are you and can you make it up the big hill first, carrying some extra weight? The outdoor environment will be set up with a range of courses and we will be running heats throughout the day, before the final race in the afternoon, to find our overall Ninja!



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, enclosed shoes

Friday 28th Jan,

Movies and Beach

First we are off to the cinemas to enjoy a movie and then we'll walk along to the beach for a picnic lunch! Exploring the rock pools, building sandcastles, games on the grass or playing on the playground equipment.

Whilst there will be no swimming, a change of clothes would be great, in the event of children getting wet whilst exploring the rock pools.

Bus departing 10am
Returning 4pm



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Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, sunscreen, change of clothes

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Monday 31st Jan,

Kookaburra's Got Talent

Join in with your friends in a fun filled day of laughter and talent. Are you great at juggling, or maybe you talent is singing? Well today is your chance to share this with your friends! Spend the morning rehearsing and coming up with ideas on what act you would like to do on your own or with your friends, with the option to also create props if needed. Then after lunch its up to the MPR and using the stage to entertain your friends, making sure to cheer each other on!



Please pack:
Lunch, sun hat, water drink bottle, any items needed for your act

Tuesday 1st Feb,

Devonport Pool & Waterslide

Let's head over to Devonport and enjoy the trip down the waterslide, either on the mats or not, seeing how fast we can go! Then after lunch it's into the pool, where we will enjoy a swim and splash.

Bus departing 10:15am
Returning 4pm



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat, sunscreen, bathers with a rash top/t-shirt, towel, change of clothes

Wednesday 2nd Feb,

Mindfulness Day

Time to relax and be mindful before we head off back to school.

Enjoy some yoga with your friends, whilst some calming and relaxing music is playing in the background. Maybe you would like to enjoy a foot soak, with some wonderful smelling bath salts and marbles; or even a refreshing face mask, whilst you lay back and enjoy a manicure or hand massage. Let's enjoy sometime outside and look at the clouds and see what shapes we can see and feel the breeze on our faces.



Please pack:
Lunch, water drink bottle, sun hat

Thursday 3rd Feb,

Back to School AND Looking COOL