

Discovery Early Learning Centres — Vacation Care Program

Lauderdale Vacation Care

**Monday
30th September**

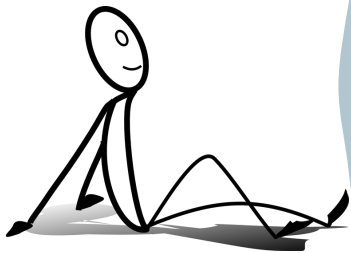
Oodies 'n Chill

We'll be starting off our holidays with a relaxed and calm program.

There'll be tables set with a variety of experiences for everyone to engage with, from board games to jewelry making and more.

There'll also be other fun outdoor experiences to enjoy such as soccer, tie-dying and cubby building.

You are welcome to bring your own white t-shirts or pillow covers to tie-dye!



Pack: Lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather, something white to tie-dye (optional)

Morning and afternoon tea will be provided each day. Please pack a lunch for your child everyday unless otherwise advised. If the day includes an excursion or incursion a fee of \$15.00 will be added to your account.

There will be a number of other experiences on offer each day including: painting, construction, craft activities, ball games, sports activities, outside play, music, board games, jewellery making etc.

**Tuesday
1st October**

International Day Celebrating Africa

The 1st of October commemorates the independence day of Nigeria, therefore, we'll take part in celebrating their culture through story telling, costume dress ups, songs and dancing.

We'll play games and make the famous Nigerian puff puff balls to share as our afternoon tea.

There'll also be other fun outdoor activities for everyone such as a scavenger hunt, soccer, cubby building and painting.

We'll also play the Nigerian version of hide and seek called, 'Boju-Boju'.



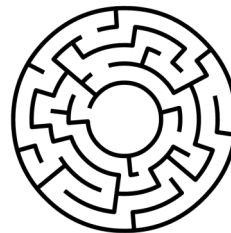
Pack: Chicken fried rice lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

**Wednesday
2nd October**

Amaze Richmond

Don't miss out—we're going on an excursion to Amaze Richmond! We'll start by enjoying our lunches before we get stuck into the Amaze challenges and race!

Afterwards we'll head back to our service to share afternoon tea and have a chill afternoon on the mat sharing stories and playing board games.



**Bus departs 11am
Returning 2:30pm**

Pack: Lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

**Thursday
3rd October**

Science Day

Today we'll be exploring cool science experiments such as Balloon Rocket race, building a volcano, making lava lamps and the cabbage juice experiment! For our friends who would like to burn more energy outside, there'll be fun outdoor experiences available for everyone, such as dodge ball, soccer, the floor is lava and more!



Pack: Lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

**Friday
4th October**

Disco Day

Join us as we explore a fun filled day with a variety of fun games and experiences, including dancing and face painting...

You're even welcomed to make up our own board games as well! There'll be a bingo competition with prizes that will be given out at the end of the day.

Other fun games to learn and play include chess, monopoly and more!

Outdoor experience today will include, a footy game on the oval, dodge ball in the fairy garden, and clay making!



Pack: Chicken and cheese sandwich lunch provided, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

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Monday 7th October **Big Day Out**

Come along for a big day out. First we're off to the Eastside Gymnastics Academy, where we'll be guided by professional gym instructors with a program designed for us to test our gymnastics skills. After our gymnastics sessions we'll head to the Giblins Reserve Park to share a BBQ lunch together and to have more fun and games on the playground equipment and surrounds.

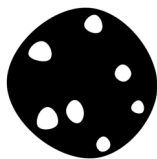


**Bus departs 11:30am
Returning 3pm**

Pack: **BBQ Lunch provided**, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, **appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather and gymnastics**

Tuesday 8th October **National Cookie Month**

Cookie enthusiasts, the month of sweet indulgence has arrived! According to the National Day Food calendar, October is the national Cookie month! Let's embark on a tantalizing trip through the world of cookies, savoring their stories and satisfying our cravings. We'll be celebrating this momentous occasion by baking cookies for our program today, whilst doing all things cookies. Making ginger bread and choc chip ones, as well as cookie monster hats, cardboard cookie crafts and much more!



Pack: Lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

Wednesday 9th October **Mud Modelling**

Today we will have fun playing with and getting creative with mud clay and playdough! Use your imagination to make different mud clay models and sculptures. You can also have fun playing with different colours of playdough and explore colour change as you mix and blend the playdough. It will be a hands on day of exploration it will get messy, so bring spare clothes with be helpful on muddy day!



Pack: Lunch, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear, **wear old clothes and bring spare clothes**

Thursday 10th October **Garden Day**

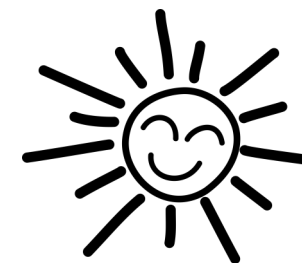
Join us as we enjoy the fresh air and sunshine outside, getting in touch with nature in our Fairy Garden. We will be planting various seedlings in old egg cartons for germination in time for plantation mid Spring. We will undergo some weeding in our garden plot, observing what seasonal fruits and vegetables are growing for us. Bring empty egg cartons for seedling planting to take home! In the later afternoon, we will have indoor crafting and painting on some of our empty egg cartons.



Pack: **Egg cartons, Spaghetti Bolognese lunch provided**, water drink bottle, sun safe hat, appropriate footwear and clothing for the weather

Friday 11th October **Fire Pit Day**

Today we'll be out in the Fairy Garden setting up a fire to cook banana fritters over the hot coals! We'll also have Teepee building and a scavenger hunt outside. Inside we will be making fruit and yogurt icy poles, freezing them through the day for us all to enjoy as our afternoon snack! There'll also be other fun games to enjoy inside such as a dance party, a puppet show using our projector, board games such as chess, jewelry making, Harma beads and more.



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