

Please remember that everyday children should be wearing enclosed shoes and must have a hat and water bottle!

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
23rd December 2024	24th December 2024	25th December 2024	26th December 2024	27th December 2024
 Note: Please bring swimmers and towel		Christmas closed	Boxing day closed	Closed

Closed from 25th December 2024 – Return 2nd January 2025

30th January 2025	31st January 2025	1st January 2025	2nd January 2025	3rd January 2025
Closed	New year's eve closed	New year's day closed	 DIY fidget day	 Incursion
6th January 2025	7th January 2025	8th January 2025	9th January 2025	10th January 2025
	 Excursion Springloaded Bongil Bongil 9:00am- 3:00pm		 Incursion	
13th January 2025	14th January 2025	15th January 2025	16th January 2025	17th January 2025
 Excursion 8:30am – 3:00pm Diggers beach				
20th January 2025	21st January 2025	22nd January 2025	23rd January 2025	24th January 2025
 Incursion The balancing man	Incursion 	 and hair day	 Nambucca Movies & Bellwood Park 9:00am-2:30pm	
27th January 2025	28th January 2025	29th January 2025	30th January 2025	31st January 2025
Public Holidays	 Note: please bring swimmers and towel	 LIDO FUN DAY Morning beach activity playing indigenous games and other fun.	 Note : devices are welcome	Closed



URUNGA VACATION CARE Program Information

23rd December 2024- 30th January 2025

(Please note this page can be kept as a reminder of booked days and activities)

Program Information:

Monday 23rd December 2024: Wacky Water Play: Today we will be enjoying a variety of water activities it will be a day to embrace water and get a little messy.

Tuesday 24th December 2024: Movie Mania: Today we will enjoy a day of kid friendly movies, card games and outside play.

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Thursday 2nd January 2025: DIY Fidget Day: Today we will explore our creativity while making our own fidget toys like spinners, stress balls and sensory jars.

Friday 3rd January 2025: Build a Bear: Today Children will get the opportunity to create and personalise their own bears. They will first engage in a scavenger hunt to find their bear before building.

Monday 6th January 2025: Stem: Today we will get hands on and think critically through interactive experiments and building projects.

Tuesday 7th January 2025: Springloaded & Bongil Bongil: Join us for an excursion to Springloaded before heading to Bongil Bongil for a picnic lunch.

Wednesday 8th January 2025: Ooey Goey: Today's going to be a day full of sensory fun and creative mess-making! We'll kick things off by mixing up some colourful, squishy playdough and then dive into making our own bouncy balls.

Thursday 9th January 2025: Oz Green: Today our friends from Oz Green will be joining us to create a bug hotel and some scarecrows for the school garden.

Friday 10th January 2025: Happy Chinese New Year: We will be celebrating the Chinese New Year and embracing year of the snake.

Monday 13th January 2025: The Big Banana & Diggers Beach: Join us for an excursion to the big banana waterslides before a picnic lunch and exploration at Digger's Beach.

Tuesday 14th January 2025: Messy Madness: Today we dive into messy play where children can enjoy tie dye, slime and messy painting.

Wednesday 15th January 2025: Come Fly with me: Today we will be heading down to the Lido to have a picnic lunch and to test our paper planes with flying challenges and Frisbee decorating.

Thursday 16th January 2025: Fair Day: Today we will be participating in fun fair games before heading inside for a glow disco, face painting and tattoos.

Friday 17th January 2025: Winnie the Pooh: Today we will be having a picnic lunch and doing some Winnie the Pooh themed activities.

Monday 20th January 2025: Balancing Man: Today we will have a visit from the balancing man who will teach us some tricks before putting on a show.

Tuesday 21st January 2025: Laser Tag in a box: Today we will be engaging in laser tag in a box playing multiple games seeing which team can get the highest score and versing friends and educators.

Wednesday 22nd January 2025: Crazy Hair & Sock Day: Today come with your crazy hair and socks. We will have a crazy hair contest to see who has the craziest hair and socks! Make hair accessories, play games and more!

Thursday 23rd January 2025: Nambucca Cinema & Bellwood Park: Join us for an excursion to Nambucca cinema to watch Paddington in Peru, a picnic lunch and explore at Bellwood Park.

Friday 24th January 2025: Board Game Day: Today we will be playing many board games and card games with our friends and educators. Children will get the opportunity to create their own games or see who the champion card game player will be?

Monday 27th January 2025: CLOSED

Tuesday 28th January 2025: Wacky Water Play: Today we will be enjoying a variety of water activities it will be a day to embrace water and get a little messy.

Wednesday 29th January 2025: Lido Fun Day: Come with us to the Urunga Lido to engage in indigenous games and activities on the beach sand. We will be going down in the morning to beat the heat.

Thursday 30th January 2025: Video Game Day: Today we will be bringing in our devices. Children will have the opportunity to play Mario kart and beat their friends and educators while balancing outside play and card games.

Friday 31st January 2025: CLOSED

STANDARD FEES

Max of \$65 day It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to complete and lodge their Child Care Subsidy (CCS) application with Centrelink Human Services to gain access to fee reductions provided by the government **Invoices will be sent out weekly.**
Outstanding invoices will need to be paid before you book your child into vacation care.
No charge if 24 hour advance notice of absence is given.

CHILD CARE SUBSIDY: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Child Care Subsidy (CCS) is a government subsidy offered to eligible families as a reduction on fees. Applications for the CCS are made through your Centrelink online account through **myGov**. Please apply / update details for CCS if you haven't already done so. For more information on this process, visit **education.gov.au/childcare**
PLEASE NOTE: If children have a break between care of more than 14weeks (e.g. during the school term) their enrolment will be ceased. The Service will update enrolment details with Centrelink. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to check their child's enrolment status (notifications) in their myGov account and confirm enrolment details where necessary to access CCS.

DIRECT DEPOSIT INSTRUCTIONS

Bank: Regional Australia Bank, Open Arms Care Incorporated
BSB: 932000
ACC: 100511161
You can also find bank account details on page 1 of your invoices.
Please reference with your child's name and Centre (Urunga)
. E.g. J Smith Urunga.
(if this information is not included we have no way of identifying who made the payment)

OUR PROGRAM

Our program provides children with developmental opportunities that are focussed around the children's interests, abilities and needs. Our daily program also offers creative arts, life skills & physical activities, imaginative play, construction, individual, group activities and lots of fun.

OUR EDUCATORS

The Educators at Open Arms Care Inc. OSHC Services provide a diverse and inclusive environment that fosters all children's developmental abilities and self esteem. Educators are professional and strive for excellence within the service environment, whilst working together as a team. Our accredited services are supported by University and TAFE educated staff.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

PLEASE REMEMBER ON EXCURSION DAYS TO BE AT OSHC 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE DEPARTURE TIME TO FILL OUT PERMISSION NOTES, MEDICAL FORMS ETC

SUN SAFETY: No Hat, No Play (or play in the shade). Educators will endeavour to ensure that all children apply sunscreen although...please remember to apply sunscreen to your child before they arrive, pack a long sleeved rash shirt or a long sleeved shirt for water activities and we recommend a wide brimmed hat for extra sun protection.

FOOD: Nutritious foods are essential for growing, playing and learning. Although we realise its school holidays and that means the occasional special treats, we do ask that parents/carers please provide a healthy and nutritious morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea for their children. Children do burn through a lot of energy in our active program so please ensure that your child has enough healthy food to last the whole day. **We also ask that treats such as chocolates, fizzy drink or lollies be left at home until the evening or weekend.** We are also a nut free zone. Please ensure you child/ren come packed with a water bottle.

CLOTHING GUIDELINES: Children are encouraged to wear comfortable casual clothing when attending Vacation Care. We ask that children wear covered shoes. **Thongs**, strapless shoes, high heels, slip-ons, etc. are considered **unsafe**.

SWIMMING: Please notify the staff about your child's swimming ability if your child is attending on a swimming excursion

MOVIES/DVDS & VIDEO GAMES: Please notify the staff if you do not want your child to view G&PG movies or play video games

BOOKINGS

For existing enrolments please book by the Xplor app. For new enrolments please contact us on 0266552650