



**Queensland
Lutheran**

Early Childhood and
School-Aged Care Services

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**St Paul's Lutheran
Outside School Hours Care**

**Vacation Care
June-July 2022**

Business Hours: 6:30am – 6:00pm

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Dear Parents,

The holidays are fast approaching, book now and take advantage of our vacation care service over this time. The winter vacation care program will be running from June 27th to July 12th, 2022.

Fees – below shows the full amount before your Child Care Subsidy percentage is applied.

Year	Standard Booking Fee (Prior to 48 hours before start of session)	Late Booking Fee (Within 48 hours before start of session)
2022	\$55.00 + Additional cost if applicable	\$65.00 + Additional cost if applicable

Please return the Booking Form (attached) as early as possible to ensure a place

We are seeking responses from parents as to whether their children will be needing care before the commencement of vacation care. This allows for the planning of activities and staffing arrangements. If you require care for your children through the school holiday period, please let us know by filling out the Booking Form attached. Use this form to indicate the days and times that your child will require care. Day to day bookings can only be accepted if vacancies are available, as we are limited by our child/staff ratios. Bookings can be made on the day but be advised that this will incur a casual booking fee. **Please ensure that all necessary permission forms are signed** (please see back attachments at the end of the booking forms for these).

Cancellations

If you require the cancelling of any bookings, please contact us as soon as possible. Cancellation of care requires notice before the close of business hours (6:00PM) two days prior e.g. cancellation of a Wednesday session will need to be done before close on Monday. Any cancellations made after this cut-off will be charged for session plus any additional costs associated with it.

Dress Code

Please ensure that your child/ren are dressed appropriately while in care at our service. Take note of the following guidelines:

- Bring a broad brim hat or legionnaires cap (NO plain caps)
- Closed in shoes are to be worn at all times (children will not be permitted to take part in special activities, including excursions if wearing thongs or sandals unless otherwise indicated)
- Tops/shirts must have sleeves that cover the shoulders (NO shoe-string straps or singlets)
- Recommended: bring a spare set of clothes and underwear.

We ask parents to consider the clothes that their children are wearing and ensure that they are suitable for physical play and activity, i.e. no high heels/platforms, mini-skirts/shorts, midriff tops, tight or revealing clothes. These types of clothing may limit the activities in which a child can participate. We advise parents to encourage a modest standard of dress to avoid any embarrassment.

Lunches

You must provide ample pre-prepared **morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea**. Occasionally the program includes meals provided by the service, in these cases it is recommended that enough food is supplied for these mealtimes just in case. While water is always available for children, it is recommended that you provide a water bottle for your child as well.



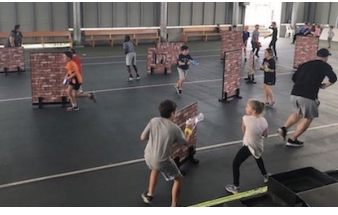


Personal Items

We ask that all personal items that children bring to Vacation Care are clearly labelled. St Pauls Lutheran OSHC takes no responsibility for damaged, lost or stolen items. Also, unless otherwise indicated, any items banned from school (trading cards, mp3 players/iPods, mobile phones, iPads and other IT devices) continue to be banned within the Vacation Care Program and will be confiscated and given to parents at the end of the day.






Thank you for your assistance with our preparations for the Vacation Care Program. Attached is an outline of our Vacation Care Program.

Nicholas Peto, Service Leader



Week 1 of Vacation Care Program – June/July 2022

Week 1			
Monday 27/06/22		Scavenger Hunt This day is about games relating to searching and finding. There will be a number of different puzzling adventures to get you thinking. Work together with your friends and see if you are up for the challenge.	
Tuesday 28/06/22		Educator Workshops Did you know that the educators here at St Paul's OSHC have their own special talents? We will have three special workshops that will run through the day organised by three members of our OSHC team.	
Wednesday 29/06/22		Incursion: G-Force Laser Tag Additional Cost: \$13.00 Starts: 12:45pm Compete against your friends in small groups and show off your skills as a sharpshooter. When you're waiting for your turn, there will be lots of cool gadgets to play with including robotics. This day is sure to be fun and full of thrills.	
Thursday 30/06/22		Rice Paper Roll Workshop Additional Cost: \$5:00 Make your own rice paper rolls full of healthy ingredients! Children get to make their own delicious rolls with a variety of tasty fillings to choose from.	Please bring enough food for the day just in case.
Friday 1/07/22		Incursion: Rhythm and Culture Additional Cost: \$13.00 Starts: 10:00am Can you keep a beat? Come and try out this African drum workshop. You'll learn how to create all sorts of rhythmic beats as part of this fun and musical program.	

Week 2 of Vacation Care Program – June/July 2022

Week 2			
Monday 4/07/22		<p>Slumber Party Snuggle up with a chocolate drink and spend some time with friends. It's our annual slumber party! There are various activities to enjoy together and crafts to bring a smile to everyone's faces.</p>	<p>Wear your PJs and bring along your sleeping bag and pillow. Remember to bring a change of clothes!</p>
Tuesday 5/07/22		<p>Woodcraft: Bird Feeder Additional Cost: \$16.00 Today we will be assembling bird feeders you can hang in your garden to attract birds. We'll also be doing all sorts of other bird related crafts on the day that will help welcome these colourful critters to your home.</p>	
Wednesday 6/07/22		<p>Karaoke Dance Party Get your singing voice ready and perform along to your favourite songs. We'll have the stage prepared and the disco lights shining. There'll be all sorts of party games to play on the day. So come along and have some fun.</p>	
Thursday 7/07/22		<p>Incursion: Flipside Circus Additional Cost: \$18.00 Starts: 10:00am Vacation care can often feel like a circus, so let's actually become one for a day. Flipside Circus is coming to teach us all sorts of skills and tricks to get you performing!</p>	<p>Remember to wear clothes that are suitable for active play.</p>
Friday 8/07/22		<p>Minute to Win it Race against your friends and the clock in various challenges available through the day. We'll have indoor and outdoor games that will challenge your ability to remain cool under pressure.</p>	

Pupil Free Days of Vacation Care Program – June/July 2022

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Monday 11/07/22		<p>Paddle Pop Stick Craft What can you make with a pile of paddle pop sticks and your imagination? We're going to set a whole day aside for you to make some great creations to take home and enjoy.</p>	
Tuesday 12/07/22		<p>Electronics Day School is just around the corner, so let's enjoy some quality time with our favourite electronic games. Bring along your devices and enjoy some of our fun technology activities.</p>	<p>Please ensure that all devices are labelled and then signed in and out on the day.</p>