

# *School Holiday Program*

Red Hill  
Summer 2023/2024



Woden Community Service acknowledges the Ngunnawal people as the traditional owners and custodians of this land and their continuing connection to land and community. We also acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples who have come from other nations to live on Ngunnawal land. We pay our respects to their cultures, ancestors and Elders past, present and future.

## School Holiday Program

8:00am - 6:00pm

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### Monday | 18/12/23

#### Junior Master Chefs' class

Let us kick off the summer holiday! Get your chef hats on and show your cooking skills to celebrate the end of the year. Get adventurous and prepare some tasty treats to share with your friends and family at home! Cup Cake and Gingerbread man on the menu.

Children's dietary requirements will be catered for.



### Tuesday | 19/12/23

#### Stromlo Swimming pool (Excursion)

We will be spending some quality time at Stromlo swimming Pool to beat the summer and letting our children have some fun. This might be an opportunity to advance or encourage our children's swimming Skills.

**Be at the service by 9am**

**Returning to service**

**Approx 2.15pm**



### Wednesday | 20/12/23

#### Everybody Dance! With Kate (Incursion)

We will be kicking off our 'get active' week with a dance incursion focused on fun and fitness. Zumba is the perfect way to incorporate exercise into children's routines.

**Starting at 10.30am**



### Thursday | 21/12/23

#### Gecko Sports Super-Hero (Incursion)

**Gecko Superhero** Fun. Become a real-life **GeckoSUPERHERO!** What child doesn't like dressing up as their favourite **super hero**? Don't forget to come along dressed as your favourite superhero!

**Starting at 10..00am**



### Friday | 22/12/23

#### End of the year party and sausage sizzle.

What an incredible year it has been for everyone! As we enter a new year, we must remain optimistic, and there is no better way to do so than with a fun party. So come celebrate the last day of our session with a sausage and sizzle party and other activities.

**Dietary requirements for children will be catered.**



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**Monday | 01/01/24**

**Public Holiday**

**Tuesday | 02/01/24**

### Integrity Taekwondo incursion with Master Rob Master (Incursion)

Rob will begin with a discussion about the rich cultural history of Taekwondo and introduce the principles of this Martial Art form. Children will then participate in hands on activities such as: self defence, board breaks and finishing with an epic tug-of-war. Bring your Taekwondo uniform if you have one!

Starting at 1.30pm



**Wednesday | 03/01/24**

### Splish splash day

Be prepared to get wet. Spend your day playing water balloon fights, beach cricket, enjoy water bucket filling games, or simply soak in water. Get involved in water painting or bake yummy cakes in the sand pit.

**Please bring your swimmers and towel for the day!**



**Thursday | 04/01/24**

### Trolls 3 @ Limelight Cinema (Excursion) (G)

When Floyd is kidnapped, Branch and Poppy embark on a journey to reunite his two other brothers and rescue Floyd.. Enjoy the movie along with the popcorn. It's going to be hot so have a paddle pop in the afternoon along with the movie creation session with modelling.

**Please be at the service by 9am/ Returning approx 1pm**



**Friday | 5/01/24**

### WHEEEE IT'S WHEELS DAY

Bring along your scooter or bike and, most importantly, don't forget your helmet and closed-toed shoes! We will be riding around the playground, and around Red-Hill oval

All about Olympics sports with fun games planned for the afternoon. Always ready for a frozen treat.



### Information

### Workshops:

**Tuesday:** MYO Hama beads Chains

**Wednesday:** Scavenger Hunt

**Thursday:** Clay Modelling

**Friday:** DYO Olympics Medal, Jersey and games

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### Monday | 08/01/24

#### Market day

Children will spend the morning making decorations, as well as designing items and experiences to 'sell' at their stall. In the afternoon, the hall will be transformed into a market where children can use paper tokens to buy and sell their wares.

**Real money is not required!**



### Tuesday | 09/01/24

#### Questacon (Excursion)

Have your children had fun at Science time yet? Today will take your child on a journey to engage with science, technology and innovation.

**Leaving at 1.00pm and returning to Service approx 4.30pm.**



### Wednesday | 10/01/24

#### Reptiles Inc (Incursion)

Let's slither into some reptile education. Whether it be learning about life cycles, reptile awareness or living with reptiles, we will become reptile experts while meeting a whole bunch of them!

**Starting at 1.30pm**



### Thursday | 11/01/24

#### Yarralumla Play station (Excursion)

We are off to Yarralumla petting zoo to see Ponies, Sheep, Miniature Pigs, Alpacas, Goats, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, a Miniature Galloway Cow, then have a train ride and more! We will also be having a play at the Yarralumla playground.

**Departure at 11.30am / Returning to service approx. 3:30pm**



### Friday | 12/01/24

#### The 5 Senses

Candle Making! The children will be rounding out their week with a candle making workshop where they will be able to design their own candles to take home and share the wonderful candle they make with their family.



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- **Workshops:**
- **Monday:** Air Dry Clay modelling
- **Tuesday:** Friendship Bracelets
- **Wednesday:** Cooking Club
- **Thursday:** Slime making
- **Friday:** Gardening Care

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### Monday | 15/01/24

#### Rainbow Tie and Dye workshop

Sunshine, tie-dye, and good feelings are back into the program. Bored by your blank t-shirt or socks! Don't worry, we have a solution for it. Use the tie and dye colours to transform your plain t-shirt or socks into rainbow colours.

**Please bring a plain T-Shirt, socks or a cloth from home!**



### Tuesday | 16/01/24

#### VR Canberra (Incursion)

Be amazed by the state-of-the-art virtual reality games and rides.

Kids will be visually, physically and emotionally astonished by new virtual worlds filled with awe-inspiring rides, characters, sights and sounds.

**Starting at 1.00pm**



### Wednesday | 17/01/24

#### Arboretum (Excursion)

Today's adventure takes us to the Arboretum to explore the Banksia pods and giant acorn cubbies of the POD playground! We will soak up the sun with a picnic lunch and the kites we make earlier during the school holidays! Be ready to have a rolling race down a gigantic grassy hill!

**Bus leaving at 10:00am and returning to service by 2:00PM**



### Thursday | 18/01/24

#### Flip Out (Excursion)

Flip out is back, so let's bounce again! It's way more than just a trampoline park and there's loads more to explore! Rain, hail or shine, there's a whole world of fun for everyone to discover.

**Arrive by 9.00am/Returning  
Approx 1.30pm  
Waiver will need to  
be signed  
to attend excursion**



### Friday | 19/01/24

#### Fun Friday

Face painting, Nail polishing, Crazy hair and a bit of pampering activities to end up the week. Enjoy an In-house movie with popcorn and an icy pole.



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#### Workshops:

- **Monday:** Origami Adventures
- **Tuesday:** MYO jewelries
- **Wednesday:** Scavenger Hunt
- **Thursday:** Science Experiments
- **Friday:** Silent Disco

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### Monday | 22/01/24

#### Fashion design and parade

Sewing, knitting and recycled fashion are stars of the show in this dress-up designers' day! Exploring indigenous textiles and design crafts we can't wait to see what everyone comes up with for our fashion parade!



### Tuesday | 23/01/24

#### Bounce Belconnen (Excursion)

Unleash your free spirit!! Through a unique blend of fun, freestyle, progression and development, BOUNCE is a place to develop and harness balance, coordination and agility.

at Be at the service by  
9.00am/Returning to  
the service  
Approx 1.30pm



### Wednesday | 24/01/24

#### Gecko Sports WATER MANIA (Incursion)

Splash, splash, it's time to get wet this summer holidays! Who will duck the lowest, jump the highest, react the quickest, run or dodge the fastest to avoid the SPLAT of a water bomb, ball or giant sponge? Come and join the wet and wild activities and games. it will be the most epic fun ever!

Starting at 10.00am



### Thursday | 25/01/24

#### National Zoo & Aquarium - (Excursion)

We will be exploring the National Zoo and Aquarium, and pointing out all our favourite animals. Come ready with all your animal facts to share. We will have a picnic lunch while we are at the zoo!

Be at service by 9:00am / Return to service: 2:00pm

Note: Don't forget  
a water bottle,  
hat, and running shoes.



### Friday | 26/01/24

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# Weekly Project/Theme

## Week 1-3

### Recycling Arts

Teaching kids about recycling helps them to learn about caring for and respecting their environment, cleaning, and personal responsibility. Recycling doesn't end with recycling plastics and cardboard, but extends to reusing items where possible, repurposing and up-cycling and finding creative ways to reduce waste.



## Week 4-5

### Science Investigatory

Science is the process of learning about the natural world through observation and experimentation.

By simply doing hands-on experiments, children can learn about cause and effect, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills in a fun and exciting way.



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**Please Note:**

- Policies and procedures for transporting children & risk management plans for excursions/incursions are in place and available at the service or by request.
- Families will be emailed asap if a planned activity is unable to go ahead due to unexpected events, or for a change in excursion/incursion schedules.
- Please ensure you arrive to the program with at least 30 minutes before excursion departure times and sign the permission form which will be available upon entry or at the sign in table.
- An Afternoon Tea snack will be provided by the service. Morning Tea and Lunch will need to be brought from home. Please avoid nuts, seafood and fish products if possible as our service may have children anaphylactic to these ingredients attending.
- If an outdoor excursion is postponed due to wet weather, a wet weather plan is in place to ensure sufficient indoor activities are planned for that day.