



## Margaret Hendry OSHC School Holiday Program Spring 2022

*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.*



## WEEK 01

## WEEK 02

**MON**

### Makers and Creators' Day (26/09/22)

If you love making things, come and join us for this very special first day of school holidays. This day is for all the creative and curious people to join our workshop that will encompass all aspects of making from sewing, jewellery making to pom poms making. There is something for everyone.

**Have a skill to share? Come and teach us!**

**TUE**

### Giggly Wiggly Balloons Incursion (27/09/2022)

On children's demand we are bringing back our very popular activity of balloons. It's not about the balloons, it's about how they make you feel! It's all about having the opportunity and experience of learning how to twist balloons for yourself to make cool and interesting shapes!

**You will be taking home many of your cool creations!**

**WED**

### Lego Robotics Incursion (28/09/2022)

Inspire your imagination and challenge your mind with the latest LEGO ROBOTICS KITS where you can collaborate with your peers or get involved in your very own style. Also get your magic hats on as we need them to make the Fairy Dust Dough. Say the spell or move your wands to make it right.

**We will have Lego Kits suitable for all age groups.**

**THUR**

### Inflatable World Excursion (29/09/2022)

Time to bounce! Hop on the bus and head to Inflatable world where you can bounce the day away. It's all about having fun for the crazy two hours and we are sure you will be tired by then anyway. Once we are back at the service, experiment with your slimy bouncy balls to see how far they go. **Please wear your socks to participate in the fun.**

**Bus leaving at 10:30 AM and returning back at 2:30 PM**

**FRI**

### Messy Science Day (30/09/2022)

Have you ever wondered how volcanos get irrupted or why Ice floats on top of the water? Get messy while engaging in making the volcanos, or baking soda paintings, experimenting with different objects to see if they float or sink.

**Please bring extra pair of clothes just in case you need them.**

**PUBLIC**

## HOLIDAY (03.10.2022)

### Yarralumla PlayStation Excursion (04.10.2022)

Get prepared to have jam- packed fun at the Yarralumla play station. There is something for everyone from patting the farm animals to riding the mini train. Last but not least you can compete in Mini Golf with your peers he 18-hole mini golf.

**The Bus will leave at 9:30 AM and come back to the service by 1:30 PM**

### WICK'D Candles Incursion (05.10.2022)

If you want to learn to make hand- poured Scented Soy Wax candles from natural resources, then come and join our Wick'd Candle Incursion. You will be able to make and decorate your own candles to take home and light under adult supervision.

**Method does not involve any melting or hot wax**

### Arboretum Excursion (06.10.2022)

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 9:30 and returning to the service by 2:10 PM**

### Fun Food Friday (07.10.2022)

Holidays are for fun and food! We want to make sure that you utilize this day in cooking with the educators, watch movies and pamper yourselves with choice of tattoo or nail art or crazy hairs. Relax and enjoy the day.

**A day full of comfort, fun and enjoyment**

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**26/9/22-07/10/22**  
**Daily 7.00am-6pm**  
**Pre-Yr6**

**SCHOOL**  
**HOLIDAY**  
**PROGRAM**

**Children need to**  
**bring a water**  
**bottle, morning**  
**tea, lunch and a**  
**sun safe hat.**

Please note that activities are subject to change, based on the latest COVID-19 health advice from the ACT Government.





# **LONG TERM PROJECT (Spring Holidays)**

## **Woodworking**

**Woodwork has a significant impact on children's self-esteem and confidence, and it develops a sense of agency – that "can-do" mindset. Woodwork is a medium for children to express their creativity and imagination.**

**Woodworking benefits children in many ways such as :**

- **Eye-hand coordination**
- **Dexterity/fine motor**
- **Problem-solving**
- **Role-playing**
- **Creative thinking**
- **Imagination**
- **Independence/self esteem**
- **Stress reliever (pounding)**
- **Matching/classification**
- **Sorting More items.**

**During our spring school holidays the children will be working collaboratively to learn lifetime skills through involvement with woodworking projects. The children have been showing a great interest in building things from loose parts material and to foster on their interest further we will be introducing woodworking kits to them during the school holidays. Children would be provided with real tools such as hammers, saws and drills (under educators' supervision) to work on their own projects. Educators will give them brief introduction about the safe handling of the tools before every use. The children will be provided with cut wood pieces and other required materials to make their own special creations. There are some very real benefits for children in using the real tools, not only in the practical sense, but also in terms of self-esteem, confidence and other characteristics, such as perseverance.**

**They will also participate in a Woodworking Incursion (05.09.2022) in which they will be able to add further knowledge on woodworking and making their own Led Lanterns or Bird feeders with the educator's support and help.**

## **POLICIES AND GUIDELINES**

### **Please note:**

- Policies and procedures for transporting children are in place and available at the service or by request.
- Risk management plans for excursions and incursions are available at the program or by request.

**SCHOOL  
HOLIDAY  
PROGRAM**

