

APRIL VACATION CARE 2025

A big shout out to our wonderful OSHC Staff Team who worked over the seven days in April.

Thank you to Scott, Nichola, Janine, Sarah, Nick J, Natasha, Hannah, Ashleigh, Will, Mitchell and Katy.

MONDAY 14TH APRIL

Dog man

We had a great time at Dogman. We had a lot of children doing their first day at Vacation care today, luckily, we had lots of experienced children to help them while out on excursion.

'The funniest bit was the fish crying' -Archie

'My favourite part was everything' -Harper S

'I like the little kitten' -Lincoln S

Dog Man Kahoot

After lunch today, we had everyone join in a game of Kahoot led by Angelique and Harper. It was Dog Man themed, after having seen the movie this morning! The first one was really enjoyed by a large group of children, that they continued to play more Kahoot games on other topics. The children worked well in their teams, with older children supporting and encouraging younger children.



TUESDAY 15TH APRIL

Prospect Railway Park 🚂

Before heading off on our trip to the Railway Park at Prospect, children spent the morning engaging in train track building, helping cook snack, ladybug searching, and learning all about trains from Scott. At the miniature train line in Prospect children had a blast spending the afternoon riding laps of the track on mini trains led by the volunteer conductors. In between train rides they completed booklets about their time at the Railway Park.



WEDNESDAY 16TH APRIL

Interactive games

Today at OSHC, our sessions were filled with excitement and adventure! The children were treated to a fantastic incursion featuring large screen games, where they immersed themselves in interactive fun. Scott then led them in real-life versions of classic games, including a lively round of "Snake," inspired by the old Nokia game. The children showcased their skills in engaging quizzes and played "Guess That Game," prompting laughter and friendly competition.

After the screen activities, the kids ventured outdoors, embracing nature as they explored the garden. They delighted in catching ladybugs and gently placing them on nearby plants.



THURSDAY 17TH APRIL

Wheelie day was "Wheelie" good

The children all brought in their wheels from home and had a great time racing around the school. Michael from Novita came out and spoke to the children about life in a wheelchair and how everyday tasks are quite difficult. The children then were able to ride on their own wheelchairs playing chasey, basketball and football. Mainly they had fun free riding and experiencing how to manoeuvre a wheelchair. Leading up to Easter this weekend the children made Easter biscuits and cards for their families.



TUESDAY 22nd APRIL

Easter egg hunt and more by Nichola

Today we finished off. Celebrating Easter with the making of Easter baskets Easter headbands and Painting Eggs. The older kids helped with an Easter egg hunt.



Movie Making Fun

This afternoon the children used the iPads to film movies and trailers. Children used dress ups, toys and some even made their own props out of paper. Children really enjoyed being able to be creative and expressive them self through in their movies.

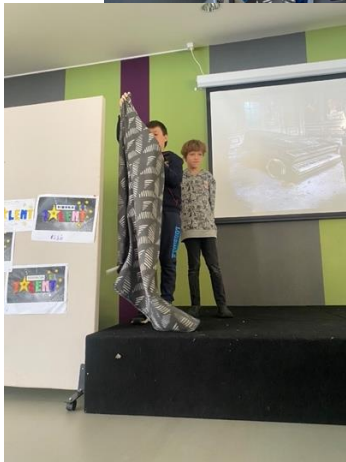


WEDNESDAY 23rd APRIL

Dominicans got Talent 🤩

This morning at OSHC was Dominicans got talent, the children had time to plan their act and then got to present in front of the group on the stage. It was a super fun morning which got everyone involved and got some out of there comfort zones. This afternoon the children enjoyed some free play, playing with toys, the iPads and groups outside enjoying the sunshine 🌞. This afternoon we also played some Kahoot's, the children had a fun time working in groups and answering questions.





THURSDAY 24TH APRIL

ANZAC Day Activities

This morning, the children learned about Anzac Day during a conversation with Scott, followed by an informative Australian video that explained the significance of the day, including the meaning of the poppy and the history behind Anzac biscuits. Afterward, the children created poppies with Nicola using patty pans, pipe cleaners, and black sticky dots.

