

OOSH

NEWSLETTER

TERM 2
2025



Our Term in a Snapshot

A Term of Themes

Each term our programing team aims to explore different events and dates for the children to learn about what is going on in the world.

Reconciliation Week and National Sorry Day inspired activities highlighting Australia's indigenous culture and history. Environment Week was our chance to get children interested in the environment and sustainable practices. Some of these activities included emu parades, recycled & nature based craft, terrariums and seedling pots.

Shark Week rounded off our term with a focus on aqua marine life. Rumours are also circulating that OOSH may be getting a new and larger fish tank for our resident goldfish Sushi, and that a friend or two for Sushi may be on the way.

BOOKINGS

We've launched a website!

www.tpsoosh.com.au

Here you can find information on everything Turramurra OOSH including:

- Programs
- Menus
- Vacation Care
- Meet our team
- Parent Handbook & Resources



A reminder that Vacation Care bookings are now locked and any absences will be charged as per our policy.

Reminders

Parent Collection Procedure

As per our policy, when collecting or dropping off your children please ensure you approach out parent sign out table located near the entrance to OOSH. Let our educator know who you're looking for and sign your child out using the QR code or the tablet available. This ensures the safety of all children and that we are meeting legislative requirements.

Upcoming Events

July Vacation Care Dates

Week 1 - Monday 7th - Friday 11th

Week 2 - Monday 14th - Friday 18th

First Day of Term 3 2025

Tuesday 22nd July



EDUCATOR UPDATE

New Faces

We are so excited to welcome a new face to our beautiful team of educators



Ryan

Our Changes

We are very excited to announce our new **Senior Educator.**



Hannah

OUR MENU

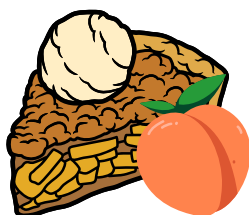
Our menu rotates over a 5 week period.

Week 1-5 Menu Term 3

Coconut and Raspberry Loaf



Peach Crumble & Custard



Clix, Cheese, Dried Fruit & Veggie Sticks



Pasta Bake



Pizza Scrolls



Week 6-10 Menu Term 3

Spring Rolls, Crackers & Dried Fruit



Lemonade Scones



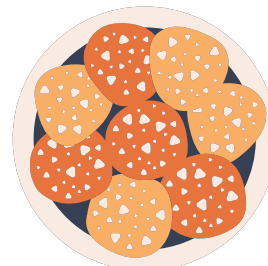
Nachos



Apple & Cinnamon Scrolls



Anzac Slice



Every afternoon tea also has a selection of fresh sandwiches (Jam, Honey, Vegemite & Cheese)

At **4:00pm** seconds of afternoon tea and sandwiches are served out of the kitchen.

At **4:30pm** a selection of freshly cut fruit is available in the kitchen.

We offer a variety of cereals and toast for breakfast each morning. Breakfast closes at 8:15am. Occasionally there will be a special offered.



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT



Zen Gardens

This term we introduced miniature Japanese Rock Gardens (or Zen Gardens) as a new activity that is a hybrid of sensory, nature and artistic play. For this activity children have been filling trays with a thin layer (2-3cm) of white paving sand and placing model trees and smooth rocks in interesting patterns, creating new garden landscapes inspired by what they see in nature. Then they have used miniature sand rakes and brooms to shape and draw patterns in the sand around the rocks. They have also experimented with adding in water, leaves and plants from the natural environment.



Activities like these Zen Gardens give kids at Turramurra OOSH the opportunity to combine their sense of appreciation for natural environments with their artistic impulses from more traditional crafts into unique and interesting creations. This activity has also been great as a space for calm play where kids can explore the value of art and sensory play as a way of regulating their emotions and their frame of mind.

These Zen Gardens have been one part of a larger focus this term on bringing more nature into our service and program. As part of this we've decorated our indoor space with a variety of indoor plants to inspire curiosity about sustainability and an appreciation of the natural environment.



RECIPE OF THE TERM



Lemonade Scones

This Term an absolute hit of an afternoon tea has been our Lemonade Scones!

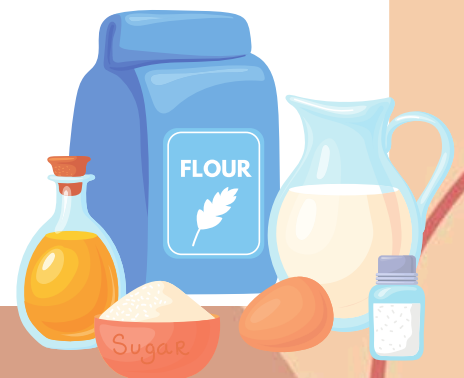
Ingredients

- 525g Self-Raising Flour
- 250ml Lemonade
- 250ml Cream



Method

1. Preheat oven 180°C.
2. Combine flour, cream and lemonade in a bowl and mix until flour is mostly combined. Do not over mix, the dough should be soft and sticky.
3. Turn out onto a floured surface and knead 3-5 times to bring dough together.
4. Roll out until 2.5cm thick and using a cutter, cut into rounds and place on lined baking trays.
5. Lightly brush the top with milk.
6. Bake for 15 minutes until lightly golden.
7. Allow to cool and serve with jam and cream!



VACATION CARE PROGRAM – JULY

Week 1

Monday 7th

NINJA PARC
SOUTH GRANVILLE



Excursion Program

Tuesday 8th

**Splatter
Paint**

In-Centre Program

Wednesday 9th



Incursion Program

Thursday 10th

**THE
AMAZING
RACE**

In-Centre Program

Friday 11th



Excursion Program

Week 2

Monday 14th



Excursion Program

Tuesday 15th



Incursion Program

Wednesday 16th



Incursion Program

Thursday 17th



In-Centre Program

Friday 18th



**BOWLING &
LASER TAG**
Excursion Program

Notes

Please ensure that children are wearing appropriate sun safe clothing, including covered shoulders, enclosed shoes and a hat.

Ensure you complete excursion permission notes & waivers prior to attending the excursion days.

You will need to provide morning tea and lunch for your child each day however Spriggy Schools will also be available Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

SNAP SHOT OF OUR TERM



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Contact information

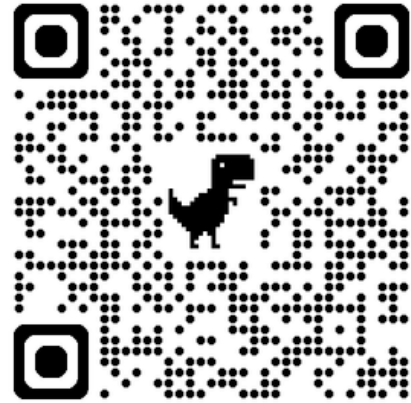
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Our Website



Parent Handbook & Feedback



Parent Handbook



Parent Feedback Survey

Management Team

Director

Scott Everard

Coordinator

Amy Kitto

Educational Leader

Courtney Sparkes

Vacation Care Coordinator

Samuel Marriott

Opening hours

Before School Care Hours

7:00am - 8:40am

After School Care Hours

3:05pm - 6:15pm

Vacation Care Hours

7:00am - 6:15pm

Xplor Home App

