

OOSH

NEWSLETTER

TERM 1
2024



Our Term in a Snapshot

RECONCILIATION WEEK

During Reconciliation Week, children have learned about the rich cultural heritage of indigenous communities through traditional crafts and games, fostering a deeper appreciation and respect for their histories and traditions. Engaging in conversations about reconciliation has also helped them understand the importance of mutual respect and the need to address past injustices, promoting a more inclusive and understanding society.

ALL ABOUT SUSTAINABILITY

OOSH aims to embed the knowledge of sustainability in all our young minds. We have created a bin system to teach about recycling, a compost bin and potential for green thumbs in the school garden.

DRAWTASTIC

Drawing has seen a big come back this term and last. The children have dived deep into how to draw books and tested themselves with a couple of drawing challenges.



What's New

KIDS COMMITTEE

This term we saw the creation of our own Kid's Committee. Children's voices and identity form a strong foundation of our program and how OOSH runs. So this term children were voted in by their peers to represent their year in the OOSH committee to provide an additional platform for the children to have a say in matters that affect them.



Reminders

If your child has a diagnosed medical condition such as asthma and anaphylaxis please let us know ASAP if you haven't done so already.

If you have received a Medical Conditions Risk Minimisation and Communication Plan please return it promptly.

Please email any information through to bookings@tpsoosh.com.au



Upcoming Events

- Olympic Games Week - 23 - 26 July
- Science Week - 12-16 August
- Book Week - 19-23 August
- Recycle Awareness Week - 16 September
- Talk like a Pirate Day - 19 September

OUR MENU

Our menu rotates over the 5 week period.

Week 1-5 Menu Term 3

**Apple &
Cinnamon Scrolls**



**Crackers, Cheese
& Veggie Sticks**



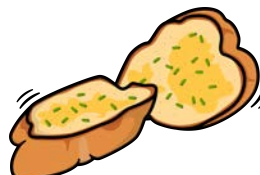
**Coconut
Cake & Peaches**



**Noodle
Soup**



**Garlic
Bread**



Week 6-10 Menu Term 3

**Fruit Salad, Scotch
Finger biscuits &
Yoghurt**



**Cheesy Pasta
Bake**



**Lamington
Slice**



**Spinach & Cheese
Triangle Puffs**



**Lebanese Bread,
Dip & Veggie Sticks**



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

Kid's Committee

We are thrilled to share the exciting progress of our newly established Kids Committee at Turramurra OOSH. With the goal of shaping our OOSH activities around the interests and preferences of our children, while also imparting essential life skills, the committee has quickly become a cornerstone of our community.

Since its inception, the committee has taken on the responsibility of planning upcoming events such as an Olympic Day. It has been truly inspiring to witness the children develop their teamwork skills and confidently express their beautiful, genius, and creative ideas throughout this process.

Learning Outcomes (ACECQA Standards):

1. *Leadership Development:* Through active participation in event planning and decision-making, children are cultivating leadership qualities and gaining confidence in their abilities.
2. *Community Engagement:* By organising events that cater to their peers' interests, children are fostering a sense of belonging and community spirit within Turramurra OOSH.
3. *Critical Thinking and Communication:* The process of planning and executing events requires critical thinking and effective communication, skills that are essential for their future academic and social success.
4. *Personal and Social Responsibility:* Children are learning the importance of reliability, accountability, and cooperation as they fulfil their roles within the committee and the broader OOSH community.

As we continue to refine this program, we are committed to exploring new ways to maximise its impact and ensure it remains a fulfilling and educational experience for all involved.

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VACATION CARE PROGRAM – JULY

Week 1

Monday 8th

ECO Walk
Excursion



Tuesday 9th

Feathered
Friends
In-Centre



Wednesday 10th

Minecraft
Gaming
In-Centre



Thursday 11th

Clay &
Lego
In-Centre



Friday 12th

Blaxland Park
Excursion



Week 2

Monday 15th

Harry Potter
In-Centre



Tuesday 16th

Koori Kinnexion
In-Centre



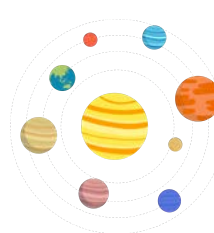
Wednesday 17th

Geologist day
In-Centre



Thursday 18th

Planetarium
In-Centre



Friday 19th

Rock Climbing
Excursion



Notes

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

Ensure you complete all excursion permission notes prior to arrival, including the waiver for rock climbing.

You will need to provide morning tea and lunch for your child each day.

SNAP SHOT OF OUR TERM



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Contact information

Email:

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Helpful Resource



Parent Handbook & Feedback



Parent Handbook



Parent Feedback Survey

Management Team

Director

Scott Everard

Coordinator

Amy Kitto

Educational Leader

Courtney Sparkes

Vacation Care Coordinator

Kathleen Carmichael

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

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