LADY GOWRIE TASMANIA

Albuera Street Vacation Care Program





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Autumn 2024

MONDAY 15/04/2024	TUESDAY 16/04/2024	WEDNESDAY 17/04/2024	THURSDAY 18/04/2024	FRIDAY 19/04/2024
SENSORY SCIENCES AND THE SCIENCE OF SLIME DAY	LETTER "B" DAY!	MARTIAL ARTS INCURSION AND SURVIVAL DAY	PARK HOP BUS EXCURSION	RECYCLING DIY DAY
Slime and goop and all things 'ewwy' and sticky will be made and played with today. Please wear old clothes and prepare to get messy and slimy.	Come and join us as we explore fun things beginning with the letter "B"! Bikes Board games Ball games Badge making Bubbles Badminton Please remember - NO HELMET, NO RIDING!	Today, we will have a visit from a Martial Arts Instructor to talk about martial arts and allow children to practice basic movements. Session will run from 10:00am until 12:00pm. \$8 incursion fee will be added to your account. Today we will also practice some survival basics, we will set up a tent, create some obstacle courses, and practice some mock emergencies.	Today we are hopping on a bus to explore our community with a visit to the fabulous Bellerive Beach Playground and Simmons Park in Lindisfarne! Departing at 9:30am and returning by 12:00pm. \$15 excursion fee will be added to your account.	Let's get creative and see what we can make out of recycled materials! Will it be a cereal box monster? Or a city of tall towers? We will also try our hand a making paper.
MONDAY 22/04/2024	TUESDAY 23/04/2024	WEDNESDAY 24/04/2024	THURSDAY 25/04/2024	FRIDAY 26/04/2024
HENNA INCURSION AND QUIRKY SCIENCE DAY	BOUNCE EXCURSION	PLASTER MANIACS INCURSION AND CELEBRATING THE ANZACS	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	FINAL FUN DAY!
Snap, crackle, fizz, and pop! Let's see how many amazing science experiments we can try! In the afternoon, join Jasmeet as she creates a range of art designs on your bodies by using the traditional India technique of Henna art. The session will run from 2:00pm until 4:00pm. \$8.00 incursion fee will be added to your account.	Let's have fun at BOUNCE with jumping, balancing, and climbing activities. Enjoy lunch at Cornelian Bay Park after challenging your physical skills. We will be leaving the service at 9:30am and returning by 3:00pm. \$15.00 excursion fee will be added to your account.	Michelle from Plaster Maniacs will be popping in with her range of ceramics to paint. I wonder what you will design. Session will run from 10.00am until 12.00pm. \$8.00 incursion fee will be added to your account. With ANZAC day tomorrow we will be remembering our fallen Soldiers through making Anzac biscuits to share with our families and we will also be creating poppies and damper.	Lady Gowrie Tasmania Vacation Care Programs are closed today.	Today is the last day so let's have some fun! We will be getting crafty making friendships bracelets and sewing some great felt creations. We will also enjoy playing some football and frisbee.





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Additional Information

BOOKINGS

Please note that this Vacation Care Program can fill up quickly, especially on excursion days, so we recommend booking as soon as possible. Lady Gowrie Tasmania online enrolments and bookings must now be made using the casual bookings section of My Family Lounge. If you do not have a My Family Lounge account, please register by clicking on this link https://gowrie-tas.com.au/outside-school-hours-care/

For further information about the program, please email <u>clusteradmin@gowrie-tas.com.au</u> or phone the Outside School Hours Care office on <u>6230 6806</u> or <u>6230 6805</u>.

LOCATION

Lady Gowrie Tasmania's Albuera Street Vacation Care is located at Albuera Street Primary School in Albuera Street, Battery Point. The program operates from the school's art and multipurpose rooms. The best entrance to use is from Albuera Street, down the stairs and then enter through the glass doors leading to the art area.

OPENING HOURS AND AGE RANGE

The program is open from 8.00am to 6.00pm. We cater for children from 4 to 12 years of age. 4 year old children must be enrolled in Kindergarten in 2024 to use this program.

FEES AND CHARGING PRACTICES

For daily fee please refer to the current Fee Schedule displayed at the service. The Child Care Subsidy is available for all eligible families by contacting the Department of Human Services on 136 150. Families will be emailed an invoice from Lady Gowrie Tasmania each fortnight. Payments can only be made by using the Debit Success system which automatically deducts all monies owing on a set Friday on a fortnightly basis from your nominated bank account or credit card. Debit Success charges a \$19.95 overdue fee for all overdue accounts. The daily session fee may vary as indicated on the program and will still be charged if you child is absent from the program. A late collection fee of \$20 per 10 minutes or part thereof will be charged for children who are not collected by close of the service.

CANCELLATIONS AND BOOKINGS

Bookings made online are immediately confirmed but may be cancelled by the service manager at their discretion if the day is oversubscribed or your account is in arrears. In this case you will be advised as soon as practical. If your child is absent on their booked day, please inform the OSHC Managers by phoning 6230 6806 or by using the My Family Lounge app. An absence will be charged unless 7 days notice is provided as described in the Contract of Care. Under national law, if your child is absent on the first or last day of a booking Child Care Subsidy cannot be provided and therefore full fees will apply.

SIGNING CHILDREN IN AND OUT

Children must be signed in and out each day by a parent/ guardian or authorised person over the age of 18. If your child/ ren are absent you will be asked to sign for that day to acknowledge they were absent. This is a legal requirement and stipulation for you to receive your Child Care Subsidy entitlements.

WHAT TO BRING

We provide nutritious snacks for morning tea and afternoon tea and the daily menu is on display at the service. Families will need to provide a healthy lunch and drink bottle (water only) for their children. Please do not send any food which requires reheating or refrigeration. We are an allergy aware service so please ensure your child/ren do not bring any foods containing nuts. Please cater for all weather possibilities and provide sensible footwear and clothing. Lady Gowrie Tasmania's Sun Safe Policy applies from September to April each year so during these months please provide sun safe clothing including a broad brimmed or legionnaire style hat for your child/ren. Please note that we do not accept any responsibility for personal belongings children might bring to the service, including electronic devices. We limit the use of electronic items to one hour per day and children must not have internet access on these devices. Excursion costs are covered by the excursion fees (listed in the attached program) so we ask that children do not bring any additional money to the service on excursion days.





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Non-Routine Excursion Additional Information

I understand that a risk assessment has been conducted and written policies and procedures for transporting children are available at the Service upon request. Expected number of children 45 (maximum). Ratios of 1:15 will be maintained at all times. Where risk has been identified in the risk assessment, ratios will be increased to manage the safety and wellbeing of the children.

DATE	TIMES	DESTINATION	TRANSPORT
18/04/2024 Depart: 9:30am		PARK HOP BUS EXCURSION	
	Return: 12:00pm	We will leave Albuera Street Primary School boarding the bus which will take us to Bellerive Park. The bus will depart Albuera Street Primary and travel on Byron Street to Sandy Bay Road, turning left and following the B68 to its junction with Macquarie Street, turning right onto Macquarie Street. We will travel down Macquarie Street towards the Tasman Highway, which we will travel along until we turn off onto the Bellerive exit. We will then travel along Rosny Hill Road, turn onto Cambridge Road, turn left onto Clarnece Street, right onto Douglas Street, continue along through the roundabout, turn left and then right to arrive at Bellerive Park.	
23/04/2024	Depart: 9:30am	BOUNCE EXCURSION	
	Return: 3:00pm	The bus will depart Albuera Street Primary and travel on Byron Street to Sandy Bay Road, turning left and following the B68 to its junction with Macquarie Street (A6), turning right onto Macquarie Street and travelling to the intersection of Macquarie Street and the Brooker Highway, turning left onto the Brooker Highway (Highway 1). We will be travelling on Highway 1 to Derwent Park Road and turning left, we will be travelling on Derwent Park Road until we reach Sunderland Street where we will be turning right, we will be travelling on Sunderland Street until we reach its junction with Linear Court, turning left onto Linear Court to arrive at Bounce.	
		Return route in reverse.	