LADY GOWRIE TASMANIA

Taroona 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!	PARK HOP BUS EXCURSION	MARTIAL ARTS INCURSION AND SURVIVAL DAY	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 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.	Today, Seishin Martial Art Judo Academy will visit 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.	Let's get create 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 at 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 This morning, 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 10:00am until 12:00pm. \$8.00 incursion fee will be added to your account. Snap, crackle, fizz, and pop! Let's see how many amazing science experiments we can try in the afternoon!	PLASTER MANIACS INCURSION AND CELEBRATING THE ANZACS PLASTER MANIACS INCURSION 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. Time Morning session. \$8.00 incursion fee will be added to your account. With ANZAC day on Thursday, 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. 'Lest we forget'.	Let's have fun at BOUNCE with jumping, balancing, and climbing activities. Enjoy your packed 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.	PUBLIC HOLIDAY 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 Taroona Vacation Care is located at Taroona Primary School, Channel Highway, Taroona. The program operates from the school hall and the best entrance to use is to turn right before the office door and follow the pathway to the door on the deck.

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 your 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

All bookings will be confirmed by email as soon as possible. Children are unable to attend the program until parents/ guardians have received written confirmation. Bookings received after the closing date will be considered only after all other booking confirmations have been made. If your child is absent on their booked day, please let the OSHC Managers know by phoning 6230 6806. Normal absences are charged unless 7 days notice is provided. Under national law, if your child is absent on the first or last day of a booking the 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
17/04/2024	Depart: 9:30am Return: 12:00pm	PARK HOP BUS EXCURSION We board a bus, which will take us to Bellerive Park first. The bus will depart Taroona Primary turning right onto Channel Highway. We will be heading along the Channel Highway to Sandy Bay Road until we turn left onto Byron Street and then 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. We will be collected from Bellerive Park by the Red Decker Bus and travel along Derwent Street towards Clarence Street,	
		turning onto Cambridge Road where we will continue onto Rosny Hill Road and merge onto the Tasman Highway. We will then use the right lane to take the East Derwent Highway exit towards Lindisfarne and continue along the East Derwent Highway before turning left onto Lenna Street and then right onto the Esplanade where we will arrive at our destination. To return we will head west along the Esplanade and turn left onto Ronnie Street, turn right onto the East Derwent Highway, and continue along until we reach Davey Street until its junction with Molle Street where we will turn left. Molle Street with Transition to Byron Street which we will follow to the end. We will turn right onto Sandy Bay Road which will transition into Channel Hway. We will turn left when we reach Taroona Primary to depart outside the school.	
24/04/2024 De	Depart: 9:30am	BOUNCE EXCURSION	Bus
	Return: 3:00pm	The bus will depart Taroona Primary turning right onto Channel Highway. We will be heading along the Channel Highway to Sandy Bay Road until we turn left onto Byron Street and then right onto Macquarie Street. Turning right onto Macquarie Street and Travelling to the intersection of Macquarie Street and the Brooker Highway, turning left onto the Brooker Highway. 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 we will reach our destination at 1 Linear Court. Return route in reverse.	