

# LADY GOWRIE TASMANIA

Brighton Vacation Care Program

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## Vacation Care Program

Winter 2024

MONDAY 08/07/2024	TUESDAY 09/07/2024	WEDNESDAY 10/07/2024	THURSDAY 11/07/2024	FRIDAY 12/07/2024
<p><b>WINTER WONDERLAND AND ST ANN'S VISIT</b></p> <p>Today will be a day for sharing and creating some delicious recipes and cooking our favourite treats to share with our friends from St Anns, including sweet and savory scrolls for afternoon tea. We can't wait to smell the deliciousness coming from the oven!</p>	<p><b>SILENT DISCO</b></p> <p>Today we will be celebrating our very own mini Festival party with our friends from other LGT services.</p> <p>We will be enjoying the day with Kombi Krew and also enjoying other activities such as face painting and balloon making.</p>	<p><b>LET'S GET CREATIVE</b></p> <p>This will be a fun filled day with assorted resources available to be creative and 'make it' yourself.</p> <p>Experiences will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slime</li> <li>• Hama beads</li> <li>• Box creations</li> <li>• Jewellery making</li> <li>• Badge machine &amp;</li> <li>• Rock painting and much more!</li> </ul>	<p><b>SCIENCE DAY</b></p> <p>Come along and bring your science coat! We will be having fun taking part in multiple experiments.</p>	<p><b>VILLAGE CINEMAS, MT WELLINGTON AND BENJAFIELD PARK</b></p> <p>Today we are heading to village cinemas to watch Inside Out 2! Afterwards we will be going Mt. Wellington in search of some snow!! Afterwards we will head to Benjafield Park.</p> <p>Please remember to pack warm clothes and suitable walking shoes.</p> <p>Departing at 9:30am and returning by 3:00pm.</p> <p>\$15.00 excursion fee will be added to your account.</p>
MONDAY 15/07/2024	TUESDAY 16/07/2024	WEDNESDAY 17/07/2024	THURSDAY 18/07/2024	FRIDAY 19/07/2024
<p><b>BRIGHTON POOL DAY</b></p> <p>We will be walking to the Brighton Swim Centre for a swim in the pool. Children will swim in small groups across two sessions.</p> <p>Departing at 10:00am and returning at 12:00pm.</p> <p>\$5.00 excursion fee will be added to your account.</p>	<p><b>WOODWORK DAY</b></p> <p>Today we will be putting our muscles to use, and we will be creating wooden pallet furniture to use at our service while learning some new skills with tools.</p> <p>What skills do you have? Will you be using the hammer and nails or be busy using the saw?</p>	<p><b>WHEELS &amp; BBQ AT BRIGHTON PARK DAY</b></p> <p>Children are encouraged to bring along their bikes today and enjoy riding around the school grounds.</p> <p>They will also be enjoying a BBQ lunch together.</p> <p>Please remember - NO HELMET, NO RIDING!</p>	<p><b>ROCK IT AND BRIDGEWATER PARK</b></p> <p>Come along for a day of fun, while we head to Rock It Climbing Centre to practice the art of rock climbing, afterwards we will be stopping at Bridgewater park for some lunch and a play.</p> <p>Leaving at 9:00am and returning at 3:00pm.</p> <p>An additional charge of \$15.00 will be added to your account.</p>	<p><b>MOVIE, PJ, AND PIZZA DAY</b></p> <p>Today is the last day of our vacation care program so let's sit back and relax with a movie and spend the day in our pyjamas.</p> <p>If you have any 'G' rated movies you would like to share with your friends, please feel free to bring them along.</p>

## 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 Vacation Care Program enrolments and bookings must now be made using the casual bookings section of My Family Lounge. To sign in or register to My Family Lounge, please follow this link <https://gowrie-tas.com.au/outside-school-hours-care/>

For further information about the program, please email [clusteradmin@gowrie-tas.com.au](mailto:clusteradmin@gowrie-tas.com.au) or phone the Outside School Hours Care office on [6230 6806](tel:62306806) or [6230 6805](tel:62306805).

### LOCATION

Lady Gowrie Tasmania's Brighton Vacation Care is located at Brighton Primary School, Downie Street, Brighton. The program operates from the Brighton Primary School Outside School Hours Care room.

### OPENING HOURS AND AGE RANGE

The program is open from 6.30am 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](tel:136150). 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

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](tel:62306806) 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 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.

## 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 30 (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
12/07/2024	Depart: 9:30am Return: 3:00pm	<b>MT WELLINGTON AND BENJA FIELD PARK</b> Directions: Get on National Highway 1 in Bridgewater from Brighton Rd/C195, Head west on Downie St towards Bemlena Place, Turn left onto Brighton Road/C195, At the roundabout, take the 1st exit onto the National Highway 1 ramp, Take the ramp onto National Highway 1, At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit and stay on National Highway 1, At the roundabout, take the 1st exit and stay on National Highway 1, Keep left to continue towards National Highway 1, Merge onto Brooker Highway/National Highway, Keep left to stay on National Highway 1 At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit and stay on National Highway 1, Use any lane to turn right onto Davey Street/A6, Use the right 3 lanes to turn slightly right to stay on Davey Street/A6, Drive to C616 in Wellington Park.	BUS
15/07/2024	Depart: 10:00am Return: 12:00pm	<b>BRIGHTON POOL DAY</b> Directions: We will walk through the school grounds to Jubilee Avenue crossing the road to the swim centre.  To return to Lady Gowrie Brighton Vacation Care we will cross the road at Jubilee Avenue, walking through the school to return to the service.	WALKING
18/07/2024	Depart: 9:00am Return: 3:00pm	<b>ROCK IT AND BRIDGEWATER PARK</b> Directions: Get on National Highway 1 in Bridgewater from Brighton Rd/C195, Head west on Downie St towards Bemlena Place, Turn left onto Brighton Rd/C195, At the roundabout, take the 1st exit onto the National Highway 1 ramp, Take the ramp onto National Highway 1, follow National Highway 1 to Brisbane St in Glebe, Merge onto National Highway 1, At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit and stay on National Highway 1, At the roundabout, take the 1st exit and stay on National Highway 1, Keep left to continue towards National Highway 1, Merge onto National Highway 1, Slight right onto Brooker Highway, Merge onto Brooker Highway/National Highway 1, keep left to stay on National Highway 1, Continue on Brisbane Street. Drive to Bathurst Street in Hobart, Turn right onto Brisbane St, Turn left onto Elizabeth St, Turn left onto Bathurst Street.	BUS