

# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

## TERM 3 - WEEK 10



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## WHATS ON

### HOLIDAY HQ BOOKINGS

The holidays are next week so please make sure you book your kids in for some holiday HQ Fun. Please note your before and after school care bookings do not count as vacation care bookings!

**Excursions:** 24<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> September.

If your child is attending on these days, please fill out a permission slip

**WED 24 SEP**

**Game On!**  
**Excursion: 10 Pin Bowl**  
**Lunch included!**  
We've hired out 10 Pin Bowl just for Holiday HQ! Enjoy bowling fun with friends, compete for strikes and spares, and experience a high-energy day of laughter and games.

BASE FEE	\$58.35
EXPERIENCE FEE	\$65.20
DAILY TOTAL	\$123.55
FROM AS LOW AS*	\$12.36

**TUE 30 SEP**

**Adventure Quest**  
**Excursion: Aussie World**  
Get ready for Aussie World! Ride thrilling attractions, play carnival games, and enjoy a full day of excitement, laughs, and unforgettable theme park adventures.

BASE FEE	\$58.35
EXPERIENCE FEE	\$64.00
DAILY TOTAL	\$122.35
FROM AS LOW AS*	\$12.23

## HELPING HANDS AWARDS

### KINDNESS & INCLUSION AWARD

For consistently showing empathy, including others in play, and helping create a warm and welcoming environment.

*Nixie Fittler*

### RESPONSIBILITY & LEADERSHIP AWARD

For showing kindness, including others, and helping create a positive OSHC environment.

*Imogen Newsam*

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR AWARD

RECIPIENTS! YOUR EFFORTS HELP MAKE

OSHC A SAFE, FUN AND RESPECTFUL SPACE

FOR EVERYONE.

## OUR HOURS

### RISE AND SHINE

6:30AM - 8:45AM



### STAY AND PLAY

2:55PM - 6:00PM



### HOLIDAY HQ

7:00AM - 6:00PM



# THIS WEEKS REMINDER

## Important Reminder About Bookings

To ensure the safety and wellbeing of all children, please remember that:

- Children **cannot** sign themselves in.
- If your child does not have a booking, they cannot be dropped off without prior confirmation from the service.
- We are reaching capacity quite often, and by law we cannot exceed our licensed numbers.

If children are repeatedly brought to the service without a booking, your account may be suspended. We kindly ask for your cooperation to keep our service safe and compliant.

## Bookings & Absences

We kindly remind all families to **use the Parent Portal to book or cancel** OSHC sessions.

If your child is not attending, please ensure their absence is updated as early as possible before or on the day before the session starts . This helps us manage staffing, keep all children safe, and avoid unnecessary fees.

## Please note:

When a child is booked in but doesn't arrive and we cannot reach a parent or emergency contact, we are required to escalate the situation, which may **involve contacting the police** to ensure the child's safety. We absolutely want to avoid this distressing step — timely updates help us greatly.

# HOLIDAY HQ KIDS FEST

**Brookfield State School**

18 Buscombe Rd, Brookfield, QLD, 4069

Monday 22 September to Friday 03 October 2025

**Ph: 0492 450 427**

BOOK FOR A CHANCE TO WIN THE ULTIMATE KIDS DAY OUT WORTH \$1,000

**7AM TIL 6PM**



Scan to book online!

**Helping Hands Network**

**MON 22 SEP**



**Launch Into Fun!**

**Service Day**  
Let the fun begin! Create your own festival wristband, then work together to build a Kids Fast Photo Frame prop, ready to capture the best holiday moments!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$28.35  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$86.70  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$5.83

**TUE 23 SEP**



**Festival of Colours**

**Bring a change of clothes!**  
Get ready for a colourful day of fun! Dash through our sporty colour relay with rainbow powder and take on exciting challenges!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$24.00  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$82.35  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$6.23

**WED 24 SEP**



**Game On!**

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**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$35.20  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$93.55  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$12.50

**THU 25 SEP**



**Craft Carnival**

**Make & Take: Gear Imaginer**  
Get ready for the Craft Carnival! Create market style goodies, then build a gear-powered stadium or castle with moving parts and characters to take home!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$17.50  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$75.85  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$7.50

**FRI 26 SEP**



**Kids Con**

**Service Day**  
Dress as your favourite heroes and characters for KidsCon! Parade your costumes, then craft glowing kryptonic crystals- the perfect power-up accessory to complete your look!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$28.35  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$86.70  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$5.83

**MON 29 SEP**



**Circus Spectacular**

**Service Day**  
Escape to the circus and enjoy fun balloon games and challenges with your friends, then craft DIY juggling balls to practice and showcase your circus skills!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$28.35  
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**DAILY TOTAL** \$122.35  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$12.23

**WED 01 OCT**



**Fair Fun!**

**Make & Take: Illusion Money Box**  
Make and take home your very own illusion box to amaze your friends and master fun tricks, then mix up some custom funfair popcorn bags to enjoy!

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$18.80  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$77.15  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$7.71

**THU 02 OCT**



**Food Fest**

**Special Event: Culinary Quest**  
**Lunch included!**  
Embark on a food adventure! Make your own tacos for lunch, decorate delicious cookies, and join in fun food-themed games that are sure to delight.

**BASE FEE** \$58.35  
**EXPERIENCE FEE** \$30.00  
**DAILY TOTAL** \$88.35  
**FROM AS LOW AS\*** \$8.84

**FRI 03 OCT**



**Festival Finale**

**Service Day**  
Celebrate the end of Kids Fest with a burst of fun! Play exciting Fun Fest carnival games and create your own colourful face painting designs!

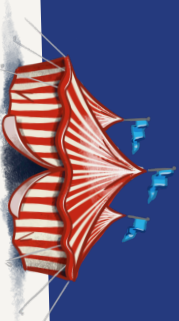
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Competition T&Cs apply. Please ensure all food complies with allergy guidelines. \*Childcare subsidy (CCS) may apply. Please refer to Services Australia Childcare Subsidy for eligibility and entitlement. Please note that programs and surcharges may be subject to change. Visit our website for full terms and the most up-to-date information.

# Holiday HQ Spring Program Planner

Service: Brookfield State School

Week Beginning: 2nd Sep



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
DAILY THEME	Launch into Fun!	Festival of Colour	Game on!	Craft Carnival	Kids Con
MORNING SESSION 1	Kids fest wristband making <i>LO: 4.1</i>	Make it Market <i>LO: 4.1</i>	Soccer on the oval <i>LO:</i>	Paper plate Ferris Wheels <i>LO:</i>	DIY Comic Strips <i>LO: 4.1</i>
	Kids Fest photo Frame Prop <i>LO: 1.4</i>	Colour Hunt Challenge <i>LO: 2.1</i>	Excursion <i>LO: ten pin bowling</i>	Medal Making <i>LO: 1.3</i> Make and Take <i>LO: 2.1</i>	Costume Parade <i>LO: 2.1</i>
MORNING SESSION 2	Water Slide <i>LO: 3.3</i>	Colour Blast <i>LO: incursion</i>	Excursion <i>LO: ten Pin Bowling</i>	Gear Imagineer <i>LO:</i>	Tae Kwon-Do Incursion <i>LO: 3.2</i>
	Water Slide <i>LO: 3.3</i>	Colour Blast <i>LO: incursion</i>	Excursion <i>LO: ten Pin Bowling</i>	Make and Take Gear Imagineer <i>LO:</i>	Tae Kwon-Do Incursion <i>LO: 3.2</i>
AFTERNOON SESSION 1	Water play <i>LO: 2.1</i>	Rainbow Chalk Mandalas <i>LO: incursion</i>	Excursion <i>LO: Ten Pin Bowling</i>	Pom Pom making <i>LO: 1.3</i>	Kids Con Talent Show rehearsals <i>LO: 1.1</i>
	Water play <i>LO: 2.1</i>	Scratch Cards <i>LO: 4.4</i>	Excursion <i>LO: Ten Pin Bowling</i>	Build your own broad game <i>LO: 3.3</i>	Kids Con Talent Show <i>LO: 1.1</i>
AFTERNOON SESSION 2	DIY string spinner <i>LO: 1.1</i>	Festival Bracelet making <i>LO: 4.2</i>	Mini Olympics <i>LO: 2.2</i>	Friendship bracelets <i>LO: 4.2</i>	Kids Con gameshow <i>LO: 2.4</i>
	Banner Painting for Parent area <i>LO: 1.3</i>	Crazy colour trivia <i>LO: 5.2</i>	Game Show <i>LO: 4.3</i>	Build your own Lego town <i>LO: 1.4</i>	Suphero training Academy <i>LO: 3.2</i>
INCURSION/ EXCURSION	Water play Day!	Colour blast Relay	10 Pin bowling excursion	Make and take	Tae Kwon-Do
	Time: 10am	Time: 9am	Time: 11:30	Time:	Time: 10:00am

This week we will focus on the following from My Time, Our Place

## Outcomes

Supporting children in making connections between their world of others

Promoting children's sense of personal wellbeing and optimism

Principles & Practice  
Inclusion and participation

Creativity and learning

Wellbeing and Happiness

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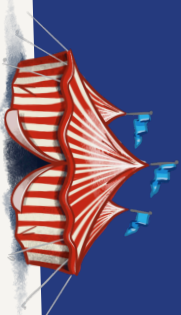
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# Holiday HQ Spring Program Planner

Service: Brookfield State School

Week Beginning: 29/09/25



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
DAILY THEME	Circus Spectacular	Adventure Quest	Funfair Frenzy	Food Fest	Festival Finale
MORNING SESSION 1	Tightrope Walking Challenge LO: 3.3	Trivia showdown LO: 3.2	Fairy Floss Art LO:	Play Dough food creations LO: 4.3	Firework Art LO: 4.1
	Juggling ball craft LO: 4.1 Circus	Excursion LO:	Face Painting LO:	Incursion LO: Culinary Quest	Ringmaster Says LO: 3.2 Carnival
MORNING SESSION 2	Relay Races LO: 3.2	Excursion LO: Aussie World	Make and Take LO:	Incursion LO: Culinary Quest	Games LO: 2.3 Circus
	Mini Circus Performance LO: 5.2	Excursion LO: Aussie World	Make and Take LO: 3.2	Food bingo LO: 2.3	Relay Races LO: 4.1
AFTERNOON SESSION 1	Ballon Bash	Excursion	FunFair Popcorn station	Fruit Kabab Making	Festive Talent show
	LO: 1.2 Hula Hoop Show Down	LO: Aussie World Excursion	Popcorn Taste Test LO: 1.2	Cooking decorating LO:	Rehearsal LO:
AFTERNOON SESSION 2	Clown Face Paint LO: 4.1	Nature Scavenger Hunt LO:	Guess the jelly beans in the Jar LO: 2.4	Blindfolded food guessing LO: 3.3	Circus animal charades LO: 5.1
	Show off your acrobat moves LO: 2.4	card game speed round LO: 1.2	Carnival Dance Party LO: 3.2	Food Trivia LO: 5.1	Clown Hat Craft LO: 1.2
INCURSION/ EXCURSION	Aussie World Excursion Time:	Make and take Illusion Money Box Time:	Culinary Quest Time: 9:00am		

This week we will focus on the following from My Time, Our Place

## Outcomes

*Children and young people are connected with and contribute to their world*

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## Principles & Practice

*Inclusion and participation  
creativity and learning  
Wellbeing and happiness*

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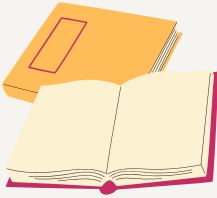
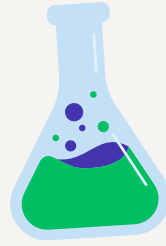
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# WEEKLY CLUBS

## Science Club

Monday Afternoons 4:00-5:00pm  
at CPA2 next to the tuckshop.



## Homework Club and Reading Club

This club will be available in the Library  
on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from  
3:30-4:00pm.

## Dungeons and Dragons Club

Wednesday and Thursday  
Afternoons from 4:00pm-5:00pm  
in the Library



## Senior Club

Thursdays afternoons  
4:00pm-5:00pm  
Year 3,4,5,6

## Sensory Club

Friday Afternoons  
4:00-5:00pm



# DROP OFF & PICK UP REMINDER

## **SIGN IN/OUT PROCESS**

All children are to be brought into the service and signed in/out by **Authorised Nominee(s) only**. Children are **not** to be dropped off and requested to sign themselves into the service without an Authorised Nominee(s) present.

**\*\*NOTE: Authorised Nominee(s) MUST be 18 or over for your child to be released in their care\*\***

## **ADDITIONAL AUTHORISED NOMINEES**

Additional authorised nominees can be added through Parent Portal. If you have difficulties doing this, please contact the service and we will be happy to assist. If you do not wish to list the individual as an authorised nominee for regular pickups; it is your responsibility to ensure you are providing approval, in writing, to the service. The individual **MUST** present Photo ID to ensure your child can be released into their care. The responsible person on site will sign your child out on your behalf after confirming the individual matches the approval provided.

## **\*\* WE CAN BE FLEXIBLE \*\***

There is flexibility in special circumstances when dropping off or collecting your child. Should you require additional support due to unforeseen circumstances, please contact the service and arrangements will be made to ensure the safe delivery of your child to and from our service.

If you have any concerns regarding this process, you can contact us via Parent Portal, Email or Phone.



## ROAD SAFETY

As we strive to create a safe environment for our children at OSHC, we want to remind everyone of the **importance of using the designated pedestrian crossings** when arriving or leaving Helping Hands.

Please **avoid walking down the driveway**, as it poses unnecessary risks. Safety is our top priority, and we encourage you to help us embed these safe practices. By using the crossings, we can ensure a safer experience for everyone.

## ACCOUNTS REMINDER

For all fee inquiries, billing questions, or anything related to your statement, please contact our external accounts team directly. We are unable to view or make changes to accounts on our end.

Thank you for your understanding.

### Contact Information

**E:** [accaccounts@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au](mailto:accaccounts@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au)

**P:** 1300 612 462

## A GENTLE REMINDER OF KINDNESS

We are so proud of the caring community we've built together. Our educators work with dedication and heart each day to create a safe, joyful space for your children. We kindly ask that kindness and respect guide all interactions within our space. Thank you for being part of our supportive community.