Weeks 1-2

St Mel's Summer Vacation Care Program

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Before and After School care Available

Tuesday 16 December School Day

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Wednesday 17 December Mexican Fiesta!

Get busy in the kitchen with some Mexican flavours that are guaranteed to delight your taste buds.

We have it all!

Tasty tacos and nutrtious nachos are on the menu for a day of spicy food explorations and kitchen adventures.



Thursday 18 December Wheely Day

Bike, scoot or skate your way through the day at our fun filled wheely day!

Bring your choice of wheels, your helmet and your protective pads for a safe, active day of fun in the sun.

Don't forget your helmet and your comon sense and we will have a wonderful Summer OSHC fun day.

Friday 19 December Weird Science

Mad scientists unite!

Dive into amazing experiments and hands-on science fun.

Create Oobleck and slime and have a messy great time!

Today's all about curiosity, creativity, and hands on inventing!

Monday 22 December

Christmas Baking and Decoration Making

Get into the spirit of Christmas with some Yuletide kitchen adventures and crafting fun.

Make, bake and explore the delicious world of festive baking and make your own Christmas cookies and even make your own Christmas decoration keepsakes.

Tuesday 23 December

Christmas Lunch OSHC Style

Join us for a day of Christmas feasting and celebration as we join with the other Uniting OSHC services around Shepparton for a group banquet and Christmas party celebration!

Treats, fun and a chance to share the magic of Christmas with OSHC friends.

Wednesday 24 December

Christmas Craft Early Finish at Midday

Get into the festive spirit with a day full of Christmas creativity!

We'll be making cards and crafting gifts to take home.

A jolly day of fun, music, and sparkle.

Wear your favourite Christmas shirt or hat for a day of holly jolly fun!

Thursday 25 December **Centre Closed**

The centre will be closed for the Christmas Day public holiday.

Friday 26 December Centre Closed

The centre will be closed for the Boxing Day public holiday.

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Get ready to splash into the Summer fun at our slip and slide day!

Don't forget to bring your bathers, towel and hat as we slip, slop, slap, seek and slide the day away.

Enjoy a day of sunshine and cooling off as you slide your way into summer at St Mel's OSHC.

Monday 12 January

Challenges and Games

Get ready for a day jam packed with

laughter, hands on games and giggles

galore!

Test your skills, develop your team

building and have a blast as you try

your hand at these fun races, cool

challenges and team games that are

fun for kids of very age and ability.

Tuesday 6 January Ten Pin Bowling

Ready, set, roll!

We're heading to the bowling alley for a morning of strikes, spares, and fun with friends.

Whether you're a bowling champion or just learning, everyone's a winner today.

Bus deprarts 10am - returns 12.30pm



Off-site excursion

Wednesday 7 January

Splashin' Around

Time to get wet and have a blast!

Today we will take a trip to the

Benalla Splash Park where we can

play in the water all day!

Don't forget to bring your bathers, a

towel and a hat for a day full of laughs

and splash park fun.

Bus departs at 9.30am - returns 3pm

Thursday 8 January **Bouncing Fun!**

Get ready to jump, slide and climb your way through a giant shark inflatable wonderland packed with obsticle courses, super slides and bounce-tastic fun!

Perfect for kids with big energy and even bigger imaginations.

Friday 9 January Chill Out Friday

Come comfy and cosy in your favourite pyjamas for a day of chillout fun!

Enjoy movies, breakfast treats, and relaxing games.

It's the ultimate lazy day at Vacation Care.



Off-site excursion

Wednesday 14 January

Science Circus

Get ready to be amazed as science and circus collide!

The Science Circus team will dazzle us with interactive experiments, handson demonstrations, and incredible tricks!

Learning about science has never been so spectacularly fun.

Incursion

Thursday 15 January

Lights, Camera, Action!

We're off to the movies for a relaxing

day out at Village Cinemas to see Pets

on a Train.

Sit back with your popcorn and enjoy

a fantastic film with friends.

Bus departs 10am - returns 1pm

Friday 16 January Uniting Has Talent!

Get read to rock, rhyme and shine like a superstar!

Today is an epic talent adventure, so let's pump up the volume for a jam packed day of singing, performing and dancing like no-one is watching!

We are looking for the next big superstar-could it be you?

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Tuesday 13 January Tunzafun Mulwala

Join us for an epic day trip like no other at Tunzafun Amusement Park in Mulwala.

Ride the Bumper Cars, play Mini Golf brave the Chair-o-Plane and tackle the Trampolines. It's a full day of fun exploration and tonnes of excitment that you won't want to miss!

Bus departs 9am - returns 3.30pm

Off-site excursion



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Construction Mayhem -Lego Day

It's Lego Construction day!

So let's stack, snap, build and create something amazing.

Work in teams or build solo, there's plenty of Lego for everyone!

The only limit is your imagination!

Tuesday 20 January

Rebound

Jump into the fun at Rebound!

Spend the day bouncing across trampolines, diving into foam pits, and showing off your best flips and tricks.

A high-energy day full of excitement and movement!

Bus departs 9.30am - returns 12.30pm



Off-site excursion

Wednesday 21 January

Playground, Park and Picnic BBO

We are off to the All-Abilities Park for a day of fun in the sun.

Join us for a BBQ lunch, and a chance to run, climb, swing and slide with your friends in the fresh air.

It's going to be a great day of outdoor fun.

Bus departs 9.45am - returns 2.30pm



Off-site excursion

Thursday 22 January

Pedal Car Racing

Zoom around the track in your very own pedal car, test your speed, steer through twists and turns and race your friends to the finish line.

It's all about fun, friendly, full throttle pedal power!

No fuel, no limits. Just you, the track and the thrill of the race!

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Incursion

Friday 23 January

Tye Dye Colour Explosions

Make a scene with an explosion of colour!

Experiment with patterns, twists, and dyes to create your own unique wearable art.

It's bright, bold, and the perfect creative finish to a fantastic program.

Monday 26 January **Centre Closed**

The centre will be closed for the Australia Day public holiday.

Tuesday 27 January

Mini Masterchefs

Join us for a fun, hands-on cooking adventure!

Kids will mix, measure, and create their own tasty treats while learning new kitchen skills.

A delicious day full of creativity, teamwork, and of course, plenty of yummy bites!

Wednesday 28 January

The Teddy Bear's Plcnic

We're going on a bear hunt, we're gonna catch a big one-I'm not scared!

Bring your teddy bear for a day of fun and outdoor play that includes amazing games and a picnic to share with friends.

It's guarnateed to be a Beary special day that's loads fun for everyone!

Thursday 29 January

Wet and Wild!

It's going to get Wet and WIld at St Mel's OSHC today!

Bring your bathers, hat and a towel and get ready for day of water play fun to end the Summer break.

We've got buckets, sponges, sprinklers and a heaps of water fun challenges to keep you cool for the best Splash-tastic Day ever. Friday 30 January

School Day

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