

CLOSING DATE Friday 6th December 2024

COST \$67 per day, per child +
\$55 annual new year membership fee

WHEN 19th - 20th December 2024
7th January - 5th February 2025
CLOSED: 27th January 2025

CWA SENT From week 9 commencing
(booking confirmations) Monday 9th December 2024

MAROUBRA JUNCTION CARE CENTRE

SUMMER 2024/25 VACATION CARE



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OUR PROGRAM:

Our vacation care program will consist of excursions, incursions and theme days that are developed from the children, educators and family suggestions. Each day the children will get the opportunity to explore and participate in tailored programs of craft and physical activities that are linked to the main concept of the day.

The program also ensures that excursions, incursions, activities and games are age appropriate so all skill sets and development can be catered for all ages. This is displayed by having Senior (Y3-6) and Junior (K-2) programs.

Must read information regarding important vacation care procedures, routines, policies and cancellations can be found on our website: <https://www.mjcarecentre.com/our-programs-1>

Risk assessments can be requested by families.

MUST BRING EVERYDAY:



SUMMER PROGRAM

WEEK 1

Thursday 19th
December 2024

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Summer Solstice

Celebrate the Summer Solstice with a day of outdoor fun, sun-themed crafts, and exciting water games to embrace the season!

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: sun catchers, solar crowns, sun mosaic, sunburst painting & water games

SUMMER

EXCURSION SENIORS

Horizon of Khepos @ Homebush

Experience one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World with a virtual immersive journey through the Giza Pyramid, Pharaoh Khufu's 4,500-year-old masterpiece - offering an interactive dive into ancient Egyptian culture.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

Friday 20th
December 2024

IN-HOUSE ALL AGES

Festive Finale

Join us for an end-of-year celebration with fun Christmas crafts, festive activities, and a special Christmas lunch to wrap up the year in style!

LUNCH PROVIDED: BBQ chicken, ham, baked vegetables, salad, dinner rolls and gravy. (dietary and allergy requirements will be provided for)

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: paper plate Santas, elf hats, wreaths, cards, ornament hunt, pass the parcel & musical games

COOKING ACTIVITY: preparation for lunch



Tuesday 7th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE ALL AGES

New Year's Bash

Ring in the New Year with a fun-filled day of games, crafts, music, and exciting activities, plus special surprises to make the day unforgettable!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: new year resolution jar, party hats and glasses, confetti poppers, fireworks art, balloon games, piñata & party dance off.



WEEK 2

Wednesday 8th
January 2025

EXCURSION ALL AGES

Paddington in Peru [PG] @ Moore Park

Classic movie day with popcorn snack provided.

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ACTIVITIES & GAMES: painting, hama beads, finger knitting, teddy bear colouring in, soccer, oz tag & basketball games.



Thursday 9th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE ALL AGES

Splash-tacular Fun Day

Join us for a day of water games, activities, and wet-and-wild adventures to beat the heat and make a splash!

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: watercolour painting, floatable boats, ocean in a bottle, water balloon toss, dunk the cup, water balloon piñata, water gun tag & sponge relay race.



Friday 10th
January 2025

EXCURSION ALL AGES

Federal Park @ Annandale

Federal Park is perfect for children, featuring a skate park for all skill levels, a fun playground with slides and climbing structures, and scenic picnic spots by Rozelle Bay. A great day out for everyone!

SENIORS ONLY TO BRING: scooter/skateboard/ roller blade/skates with protective gear, helmet a MUST!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: magazine collages, squishmellows, junk construction, tennis, bullrush & handball competition.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
MUST ARRIVE BY	9:45am
WILL RETURN BY	3pm
TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 40min
MAX # CHILDREN	70
RATIOS	1:10
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
	WILL RETURN BY
	TRANSPORT DURATION
150	MAX # CHILDREN
1:15	RATIOS
10	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
	WILL RETURN BY
	TRANSPORT DURATION
90	MAX # CHILDREN
1:15	RATIOS
6	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
9am	
	WILL RETURN BY
1:30pm	TRANSPORT DURATION
Hired bus 20min	
80	MAX # CHILDREN
1:10	RATIOS
8	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
10am	
	WILL RETURN BY
3:30pm	TRANSPORT DURATION
Hired bus 30min	
90	MAX # CHILDREN
1:15	RATIOS
6	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
10am	
	WILL RETURN BY
3:30pm	TRANSPORT DURATION
Hired bus 35min	
80	MAX # CHILDREN
1:10	RATIOS
8	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

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SUMMER PROGRAM

WEEK 3

Monday 13th
January 2025

INCURSION ALL AGES

Inflatable Extravaganza

Get ready for an epic Inflatable Day! Bounce, jump, and slide through a variety of exciting inflatables designed for endless fun. From obstacle courses to giant slides, there's something for everyone to enjoy. Don't miss the high-energy action and laughter!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: mix media craft, cork creation, felt pictures, cup stack, iron man, stick it & golden child.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY
--	9:30am
WILL RETURN BY	--
--	3:30pm
TRANSPORT DURATION	--
--	Hired bus 30min
MAX # CHILDREN	105
RATIOS	1:15
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7

Tuesday 14th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Underwater Wonders

Dive into an exciting Under the Sea adventure! Explore the wonders of the ocean with creative crafts, underwater-themed games, and activities inspired by sea creatures. A day of discovery and fun awaits!

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: paper plate jellyfish, egg carton turtles, bubble wrap coral, handprint fish, crab walk relay, ship-shark-shore & water games.

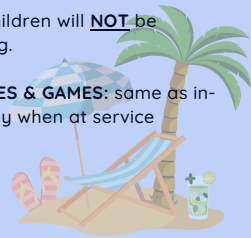
EXCURSION SENIORS

Beachside Bliss @ La Perouse

Enjoy a fun-filled Beach Day with sandcastle building, beach games, and plenty of outdoor activities to soak up the sun and sea breeze!

NOTE: children will **NOT** be swimming.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
--	9:30am	10am
WILL RETURN BY	--	3:30pm
TRANSPORT DURATION	--	Hired bus 30min
MAX # CHILDREN	75	70
RATIOS	1:15	1:10
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	5	7

Wednesday 15th
January 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Koala Park @ Pennant Hills

Experience a wild day out at Koala Park Sanctuary! Get up close with koalas, kangaroos, and other Aussie animals, enjoy interactive encounters, and learn about native wildlife in a fun and engaging way.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



INCURSION SENIORS

Bots and Brains

Join us for a Robotics Incursion where kids will dive into the world of technology! Learn to build and program robots, discover the magic of engineering, and enjoy hands-on activities that bring STEM to life in a fun and interactive way.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: bottle cap gears, lego robot competition, play dough, loom bands, hockey, defy gravity & dodgeball



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9:30am	9:30am	10am
WILL RETURN BY	--	--
3:30pm	3:30pm	--
TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 40min	--
MAX # CHILDREN	70	75
RATIOS	1:10	1:15
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7	5

Thursday 16th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Muffin Magic

Get ready for a fun-filled Muffin Cooking Day! Children will have the opportunity to mix, bake, and decorate their own delicious muffins. From choosing their favourite flavours to adding toppings, it's a tasty day of hands-on fun and creativity in the kitchen!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: cooking sweet and savoury muffins, patty pan flowers, cup cake craft, 44 homes, volleyball & stuck in the mud.

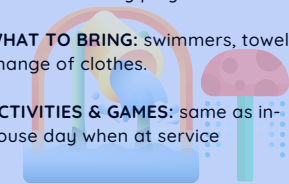
EXCURSION SENIORS

Splash Park @ Greenacre

Greenacre Splash Park is the ultimate water playground, featuring exciting attractions like a Mega Splash bucket, giant slides, and a bespoke play tower. Perfect for kids of all ages, it offers both water play and dry play areas

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
--	9:30am	9:30am
WILL RETURN BY	--	3:30pm
TRANSPORT DURATION	--	Hired bus 40min
MAX # CHILDREN	70	70
RATIOS	1:15	1:10
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	5	7

Friday 17th
January 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Dragon Keeper [PG] @ Moore Park

Classic movie day with popcorn snack provided.

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ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



INCURSION SENIORS

Mosaic Masterpieces

Experience the fun of mosaics with our hands-on incursion! Kids will explore the world of mosaic art, creating their own colourful designs using tiles, stones, and other materials.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: paper mosaics, magazine mosaics, finger painting, badminton, tug-a-war & shadow tag.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
9am	9:30am	10am
WILL RETURN BY	--	--
1:30pm	1:30pm	--
TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 20min	--
MAX # CHILDREN	70	75
RATIOS	1:10	1:15
# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7	5

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SUMMER PROGRAM

WEEK 4

Monday 20th
January 2025

INCURSION JUNIORS

Wild World of Reptiles

Discover the wonders of reptiles with our exciting Reptile IncurSION! Kids will enjoy getting up close with snakes, lizards, and turtles, while learning fun facts about these fascinating creatures in a safe, hands-on environment. It's an engaging way to explore the world of reptiles!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: paper plat snakes, rock geekos, clay lizards, snakes & ladders, poison square & races.

EXCURSION SENIORS

Aquatic Centre @ Ryde

Dive into a day of aquatic adventure with splashing around in the pools, zooming down water slides, and enjoying splash zones.

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

IMPORTANT INFOMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
1:15pm		9:30am
--	WILL RETURN BY	3:30pm
--	TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 35min
75	MAX # CHILDREN	50
1:15	RATIOS	1:5
5	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	10

Tuesday 21st
January 2025

EXCURSION ALL AGES

IMAX Born to be Wild [PG] @ Darling Harbour

Take a trip to the IMAX to watch Born to be Wild! This inspiring documentary follows orphaned elephants and orangutans as they are raised and returned to the wild, offering an educational and heartwarming experience for kids.

NOTE: movie will be in 3D

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: animal puppets, toilet roll owls, button bugs, handprint animals, animal charades, oz tag & line tips.



IMPORTANT INFOMATION

ALL AGES	MUST ARRIVE BY
9am	
2:30pm	WILL RETURN BY
Hired bus 30min	TRANSPORT DURATION
90	MAX # CHILDREN
1:10	RATIOS
9	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

Wednesday 22nd
January 2025

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Ride, Roll, and Race

Join us for Wheels Day! Kids can bring their bikes, scooters, and rollerblades for a day of outdoor fun with races, games, and challenges. It's a great way to get active and enjoy the thrill of wheeled play!

WHAT TO BRING: wheels with helmet and other protective gear.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: cardboard cars, handlebar ribbons, fabric pictures, tricks competition, time trial races & tag it.

EXCURSION SENIORS

Bounce @ Homebush

Get ready for an action-packed day at Bounce Inc! Kids will enjoy endless fun jumping on massive trampolines, tackling obstacle courses, and trying out exciting games. It's a great way to burn energy, improve coordination, and have a blast with friends!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

IMPORTANT INFOMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
--		9:30am
--	WILL RETURN BY	3pm
--	TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 40min
75	MAX # CHILDREN	70
1:15	RATIOS	1:10
5	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7

Thursday 23rd
January 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Water World @ Centennial Park

Explore how animals stay cool in ponds and discover ways to find and conserve water in nature - crucial for survival in the Australian bush. Enjoy two hours of outdoor adventure with games, creative challenges, and nature activities, all while staying cool and having fun!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

IN-HOUSE SENIORS

Mold, Cast, & Create

Get creative with Plaster and Resin Crafts! Kids will paint plaster molds and experiment with resin to make colorful, custom crafts to take home. A fun and hands-on day of artistic expression!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: plaster and resin mold making and designing - coasters, jewellery, key chains, gauntlet run, junk in the trunk, capture the flag & spider web.

IMPORTANT INFOMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
9am		--
3:30pm	WILL RETURN BY	--
Hired bus 20min	TRANSPORT DURATION	--
70	MAX # CHILDREN	75
1:10	RATIOS	1:15
7	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	5

Friday 24th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Carnival Craze

Join us for a carnival-themed day! Kids will enjoy a variety of fun activities, from classic carnival games to face painting and creative crafts. It's a day full of excitement, entertainment, and plenty of prizes for everyone!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: face painting, circus tents, balloon sculptures, ferris wheels, ring toss, balloon pop, duck grab & knock em down.

EXCURSION SENIORS

Sustainability with Banish @ Haymarket

Visit Banish for a hands-on sustainability experience where kids learn eco-friendly practices like recycling and repurposing materials. It's an engaging way to inspire environmental awareness and creativity!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

IMPORTANT INFOMATION

JUNIORS	MUST ARRIVE BY	SENIORS
--		9:30am
--	WILL RETURN BY	3:30pm
--	TRANSPORT DURATION	Hired bus 30min
75	MAX # CHILDREN	70
1:15	RATIOS	1:10
5	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING	7

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WEEK 5

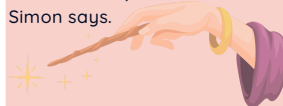
Tuesday 28th
January 2025

INCURSION JUNIORS

Abracadabra Adventure

Get ready for a magical experience! Kids will enjoy a live magic show and then learn some tricks of their own in a fun workshop. It's a day full of wonder and hands-on fun!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: wands, potion bottles, invisible ink, crystal ball, four square, shark and minnows, rob the nest & Simon says.



EXCURSION SENIORS

Lawn Bowl @ North Sydney

Get ready for some barefoot bowling fun! This easy, low-impact game is perfect for all ages. Kids will be rolling strikes in no time, making it a great way to stay active and have fun with friends!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
--	MUST ARRIVE BY 9:45am
--	WILL RETURN BY 3pm
--	TRANSPORT Hired bus
--	DURATION 40min
75	MAX # CHILDREN 70
1:15	RATIOS 1:10
5	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING 7

Wednesday 29th
January 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Blaxland Riverside Park @ Homebush

Offering a fun-filled day for kids with exciting features like a flying fox, water play area, giant treehouse, and climbing walls. It's a great spot for outdoor games and nature exploration.

WHAT TO BRING: swimmers, towel & change of clothes.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service

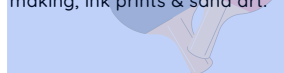


IN-HOUSE SENIORS

Rally Royale

Get ready for an epic table tennis battle! Kids will have a blast challenging friends, showing off their skills, and competing in fast-paced ping-pong matches. Let the fun and friendly competition begin!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: table tennis lesson and competition, ping pong painting, jewellery making, ink prints & sand art.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
9:30am	MUST ARRIVE BY --
3:30pm	WILL RETURN BY --
Hired bus	TRANSPORT --
40min	DURATION --
70	MAX # CHILDREN 75
1:10	RATIOS 1:15
7	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING 5

Thursday 30th
January 2025

IN-HOUSE ALL AGES

The Great Talent Quest

Get ready for a Talent Show extravaganza! Kids can dazzle with singing, dancing, comedy, or unique tricks. It's all about fun, creativity, and cheering each other on as everyone takes the stage to shine!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: face painting, hair designs, dance ribbons, dance and singing classes, set designs, dragon tail, poison ball & classic catches.

IN-HOUSE SENIORS

Friday 31st
January 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Jungle Buddies @ Five Dock

Head to an exciting indoor play centre where kids can enjoy climbing, sliding, and exploring obstacle courses, it's the perfect spot for endless fun and adventure.

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



IN-HOUSE SENIORS

Pasta Palooza

Join us for a pasta-making adventure! Kids will learn to make fresh pasta from scratch, add fun toppings, and enjoy a delicious homemade meal. A tasty and hands-on way to get creative in the kitchen!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: cooking pasta, pasta necklaces, mindfulness colouring in, yoga, gymnastics & cricket.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
9:30am	MUST ARRIVE BY --
3:30pm	WILL RETURN BY --
Hired bus	TRANSPORT --
40min	DURATION --
70	MAX # CHILDREN 75
1:10	RATIOS 1:15
7	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING 5

WEEK 6

Monday 3rd
February 2025

EXCURSION JUNIORS

Depena Reserve @ Dolls Point

The playground is a giant adventure zone! With slides, climbing frames, and tons of space to run wild, kids can challenge themselves, play games, and even try some kite flying. It's the ultimate spot for fun, energy, and imagination!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



INCURSION SENIORS

Boxing Rumble

Get ready for a knockout day with our Boxing Incursion! Kids will dive into fun drills, learn cool moves, and boost their confidence in this high-energy, action-packed adventure!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: stress balls, woodwork, origami, paper flowers, scatterball, survival tag, bowling & target games.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
10am	MUST ARRIVE BY 1pm
3:30pm	WILL RETURN BY --
Hired bus	TRANSPORT --
30min	DURATION --
70	MAX # CHILDREN 75
1:10	RATIOS 1:15
7	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING 5

Tuesday 4th
February 2025

IN-HOUSE JUNIORS

Scavenger Seekers

Race against the clock, solve tricky clues, and hunt for hidden treasures! It's a fast-paced, fun-filled day of teamwork, problem-solving, and adventure. Let the scavenger hunt begin!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: endless scavenger hunts, string painting, boomerangs, beep test, obstacle course, sliding doors & spud.

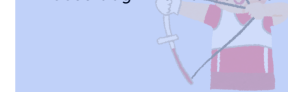


EXCURSION SENIORS

Archery @ Homebush

Get ready to hit the bullseye! Kids will have a blast learning archery, practicing their aim, and competing for fun in this action-packed outing. It's all about focus, fun, and aiming for the perfect shot!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: same as in-house day when at service



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

JUNIORS	SENIORS
--	MUST ARRIVE BY 9:30am
--	WILL RETURN BY 3:30pm
--	TRANSPORT Hired bus
--	DURATION 40min
75	MAX # CHILDREN 70
1:15	RATIOS 1:10
5	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING 7

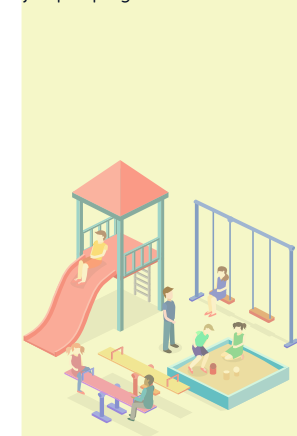
Wednesday 5th
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EXCURSION ALL AGES

Carss Park @ Carss Park

Get ready for an adventure in a nature-themed playground filled with rope bridges, slides, and treehouse structures! Kids can explore, jump, climb, and create their own fun with interactive features like branch drums and nets. It's a day packed with outdoor excitement and discovery!

ACTIVITIES & GAMES: friendship bracelets, drawing & colouring in competitions, scrap booking, sock wrestling, jump rope games & 4 corners.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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9:30am	MUST ARRIVE BY
3:30pm	WILL RETURN BY
Hired bus	TRANSPORT
30min	DURATION
150	MAX # CHILDREN
1:10	RATIOS
10	# EDUCATORS ATTENDING

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