BENOWA CHILDREN'S CENTRE

SUMMER Vacation Care Program

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Monday 14th December 2026 -
Monday 25th January 2027

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Monday
14th December

Chill Out



To start the school holidays, relax and have a free choice chill out day, choosing from the swimming pool, junior gym, there will be games, craft, and quiet activities available to participate in.

Tye Dying



Rainbows of colour, pencil case, canvas bag or pillowcase we will learn how to design our own item using tie dye. What colours can be mixed, and patterns created?

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Tuesday
15th December

Dreamworld

Dreamworld and White Water World are home to more than 40 rides, slides & attractions!

Dreamworld's Kenny and Belinda's Dreamland is home to a variety of family-friendly rides and attractions, including rides celebrating The Wiggles, Bananas in Pyjamas and Play School.

Dreamworld is also home to Tiger Island, the Gold Coast's only home to tigers. concentrating on tiger conservation, and to native wildlife such as koalas, kangaroos, crocodiles and so much more.

Daily Cost:
$141
Location:
Dreamworld Themepark,
Dreamworld Parkway, Coomera
Queensland 4209
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Wednesday
16th December

Arch M Gaming



Engage with the latest gaming consoles with multiple player capabilities, VR and movies. The children will be comfortable on the air lounges or sofa banks as they test their skills.

Minute To Win It

Minute to Win It – 60 Second Game events all about fun. Our challenges have been specifically designed to test a team's strengths in the fields of creativity, dexterity, lateral thinking, planning and of course, teamwork.

Daily Cost:
$131
Location:
Nerang Scout Den,
1 Hope Street Nerang
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Thursday
17th December

Pool party Water Fun Day



You will have a wide variety of water fun activities to join in with ranging from pool games such as Marco Polo, and swimming races, water balloon pinata's, sponge fights, egg and spoon races with water balloons on a slip n slide. So come on, cool down with some fun in the sun.

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Friday
18th December

Peninsula Playground



Get ready for a day of adventure, laughter and endless fun at the amazing Peninsula Playground at Broadwater Parklands! You will climb, swing, slide and explore one of the Gold Coast's most exciting playgrounds while building confidence and friendships through active outdoor play, With plenty of space to run, play and discover, this exciting excursion encourages teamwork, creativity, problem-solving and physical wellbeing in a safe and inclusive environment. It's the perfect day to enjoy fresh air, challenge yourself!

Daily Cost:
$111
Location:
Marine Parade Southport
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

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Monday
21st December

Xmas shopping at Robina



You will explore the Robina shopping centre in small groups with an educator as you shop for the ultimate gift! You will enjoy a special treat of a McDonald's happy meal for lunch, before returning to the centre where we will wrap your gifts.

Parents are to provide their child with a maximum of $50 shopping money in a named snap lock bag.

Daily Cost:
$111

Location:
Robina Town Centre

Lunch:
McDonald's Happy meal the children can choose from nuggets or burger with a water and chips.

Time:
Depart Centre: 9.00am
Return Centre: 3.30pm

Tuesday
22nd December

Xmas Craft Cooking Day



Get ready for a day packed with Christmas magic! Create your own festive decorations with glitter, sequins and sparkle, then head to the kitchen to make delicious Christmas treats like OREO pops, shortbread and cornflake wreaths. A day full of creativity, yummy goodies and festive fun!

Daily Cost:
$106

Location:
In Centre

Lunch:
In Centre

Time:
9.00am - 3.00pm

Wednesday
23rd December

Sculpt It



Prepare to get your hands messy as you have fun with air dry clay. Create, mould, and sculpt anything your heart desires.



Oh no! Santa needs help getting ready for Christmas, and his cheeky elves are causing mischief instead of working! Can you help build toys, load the sleigh and save Christmas before it's too late? Get ready for a magical day of festive challenges, silly surprises and elf-sized adventures!

Daily Cost:
$121

Location:
In Centre

Lunch:
In Centre

Time:
9.00am - 3.00pm

Thursday
24th December

Putt Putt



Take a putt on the wild side in the tropical Jungle Trail, get amongst colourful characters and tricky motorised obstacles on Fun Run and escape to a tropical oasis playing Waterways.

Daily Cost:
$129

Location:
2492 Gold Coast Highway, Mermaid Beach

Lunch:
At Venue

Time:
Depart Centre: 9.00am
Return Centre: 3.30pm

Friday
25th December

Christmas Day



Centre Closed

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Monday
28th December

Boxing Day



Centre Closed

Tuesday
29th December

Games Day



Select your favourite game, gather your friends and start your games, is it a board, card, electronic, physical or brain game. Who will win?

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Wednesday
30th December

Crazy Candles- Crystal



Pour, cluster, and shine! Transform molten wax and shimmering gel fragments into your very own Crystal Candle. Blend vibrant, jewel-toned colours to craft a realistic amethyst or quartz masterpiece that glows from within.

Daily Cost:
$126
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Thursday
31st December

Movie Marathon



Sit back, relax and enjoy a relaxing day watching our favourite Movies from Netflix and Disney +

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Friday
1st January 2027

New Years Day



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Monday
4th January 2027

Splash & Play at Broadwater Parklands & Rockpools!



Get ready for a day of summer fun! Cool off at the exciting Rockpools, explore awesome playgrounds and enjoy an action-packed day of splashing, laughter and adventure with friends!

Don't forget your swimmers, towel, hat, sunscreen and water bottle for a splashing good time!

Daily Cost:
$111

Location:
Marine Parade Southport

Lunch:
At Venue

Time:
Depart Centre: 9.00am
Return Centre: 3.30pm

Tuesday
5th January 2027

On Belay



Get ready for an adventure with On Belay! Strap into your harness, challenge yourself to climb the walls, then experience the thrill of abseiling back down! It's all about courage, confidence and having a blast as you reach new heights!

Frascott Park



After your abseiling adventure, we'll head to the park to enjoy lunch and some outdoor fun! Explore the playground and burn off some extra energy before we head back.

Daily Cost:
$131

Location:
38 Hutchinson St Burleigh Heads;
23 Yodely St Varsity Lakes

Lunch:
At Venue

Time:
Depart Centre: 9.00am
Return Centre: 3.30pm

Wednesday
6th January 2027

Just Dance



Get ready to bust a move with epic songs, silly moves, and heaps of laughs, it's the ultimate day to dance, shine, and have fun with friends!

Robot Wars



Get ready to code, create, and compete! Customise your Botzee, adding a personal touch to their robotic creation, you will take on a series of fun programming challenges using robot mice and Botzees. A fantastic hands-on experience in creativity, teamwork, and early coding skills!

Daily Cost:
$106

Location:
In Centre

Lunch:
In Centre

Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Thursday
7th January 2027

Currumbin Creek Water activities



Do you have good balance? Try your skills on the Stand-up paddle board, in a kayak or a canoe?

You will be able to learn new water skills with some of the Gold Coast Scouts experienced water activity members.

Daily Cost:
$121

Location:
Palm Beach Scout Den,
8 Sarawak Avenue, Palm Beach
QLD 4221

Lunch:
At Venue

Time:
Depart Centre: 9.00am
Return Centre: 3.30pm

Friday
8th January 2027

Botanical Gardens



Get ready for a nature-filled adventure at Rosser Park Botanical Gardens! Explore the beautiful gardens, discover nature's little wonders and enjoy loads of bubbly fun with friends! Refuel with a yummy picnic lunch before heading back to the centre for a free choice activity afternoon. The perfect mix of nature, bubbles and summer fun!

Daily Cost:
$106

Location:
Benowa Botanical Gardens
Ashmore Rd Benowa

Lunch:
In Centre

Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

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Monday
11th January 2027

Cineplex Australia Fair



Enjoy, sitting back and relaxing whilst watching the latest animated movies on the big screen.

Macintosh Island



To wrap up the day, you will head to Macintosh Island Park for our final stop, where everyone can relax with a picnic lunch, enjoy the playground and open spaces.

Daily Cost:
$123
Location:
Australia Fair Marine Parade Southport
Macintosh Island Gold Coast Hwy Main Beach
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
8.00am – 3.30pm

Tuesday
12th January 2027

Wacky Water Play!



Get ready to splash, squirt and soak up the fun! Enjoy a day packed with wacky water games, silly challenges and splashy team competitions. Bring your adventurous spirit and get ready to cool off, get soaked and make a splash!

Origami & Balloon Twisting!



Get ready for a world of colour, creativity and incredible creations! Fold paper into amazing origami designs and watch ordinary balloons twist and transform into awesome animals, funky shapes and magical creations. Unleash your imagination and discover what you can make!

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Wednesday
13th January 2027

Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary



Get ready for a WILD day out at Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary! Get up close to some of Australia's most amazing animals, discover fascinating wildlife, and explore the sanctuary's incredible natural surroundings. From spotting cuddly koalas and hopping kangaroos to watching exciting animal shows, there's plenty to see, learn and experience. It's an awesome day full of discovery, adventure and unforgettable animal encounters!

Daily Cost:
$131
Location:
Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary
28 Tomewin Street Currumbin
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
8.30am – 3.30pm

Thursday
14th January 2027

Inflatable World



Inflatable World is all about having fun. Test our coordination as we go on the inflatable obstacle course, try to knock our friends with the jousting sticks, race down the slides or climb the wall

Mosaic Madness



You will learn how to arrange, and create vibrant designs with glass mosaic tiles—transforming tiny fragments into colourful art

Daily Cost:
$126
Location:
In Centre
61 Newheath Drive Arundel
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.00pm

Friday
15th January 2027

Benowa Resort Day!



Get ready for a day of summer fun without leaving the centre! On arrival, you'll receive your very own resort wristband and be free to choose your favourite activities throughout the day. Make a splash in our pool and water-play zone, get creative in the craft cabana, challenge your friends in the games lounge, or cool off with a delicious smoothie from our smoothie bar! Show off your best moves in the tropical dance zone, kick back with a movie, or relax in our chill-out zone. With so many exciting activities to choose from, you can create your very own resort adventure!

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
Benowa Botanical Gardens
Ashmore Rd Benowa
Lunch:
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Time:
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Monday
18th January 2027

Go Bowling



Can you get a strike or a spare? Pick your ball and hit the lanes, challenge yourself and have fun with friends as we Tenpin Bowl.

Craft Kit Creative



Are you into woodworking, beads, textiles, painting or collage? Pick your kit and see what you can create.

Daily Cost:
$118
Location:
In Centre
137 Currumburra Rd Ashmore
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Tuesday
19th January 2027

Inflatable Waterslides, and summer fun



Get ready for a day packed with BIG bounces, EPIC splashes and water-filled fun! Jump your way through inflatable castles, zoom down thrilling inflatables waterslides, and launch your very own bottle rockets high into the sky! With loads of water play to keep us cool, it's the ultimate summer adventure filled with laughter, excitement and unforgettable holiday memories. Don't forget your swimmers, towel and biggest smile!

Daily Cost:
$126
Location:
Nerang Scout Den,
1 Hope Street Nerang
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Wednesday
20th January 2027

Brisbane Museum and Spark Lab



Exploring the Queensland Museum exhibits and Spark Lab where they can get hands on with the various science experiments, the children will learn about the world's past, and present and how the activities and resources they enjoy now were discovered.

Daily Cost:
$136
Location:
Queensland Cultural Centre Southbank, Grey Street Brisbane
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
8.30am – 3.30pm

Thursday
21st January 2027

Choose your own adventure



Choose how you would like to spend your day! Arts, crafts, stem, cooking, reading, movies, outdoor play or challenging your friends to a game on the Wii. What will it be? You will have a variety of fun activities to enjoy, with something for everyone. Make new friends, try something new and create your own adventure!

St John's First Aid

First Aid
Schools Program

Become a Little Lifesaver! Our hands-on St John Ambulance experience will teach children how to stay safe, recognise emergencies, call 000 for help and learn important first aid skills.

Daily Cost:
$106
Location:
In Centre
Lunch:
In Centre
Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Friday
22nd January 2027

Timezone



Test your skills as you play the variety of arcade games or challenge your friends on the multiplayer games to see who wins.

Cascade Gardens



You will explore the sensory gardens, walk around the war memorial, observe the flora and fauna and enjoy playing on the playground equipment.

Daily Cost:
$132
Location:
Cavill Mall, Cavill Ave Surfers Paradise, 2690 Gold Coast Highway Broadbeach
Lunch:
At Venue
Time:
8.30am – 3.30pm

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Monday
25th January 2027

Whitewater World



Enjoy a day in the sun, splashing in wiggle bay, riding the waves in the wave cave or racing your friends on the fully 6. Are you a dare devil and willing to try "The green room, The rip or Triple Vortex"?

What a fabulous way to end our Summer Vacation Care program!

Daily Cost:
$132

Location:
Whitewater World Theme park
Dreamworld Parkway, Coomera
QLD 4209

Lunch:
At Venue

Time:
9.00am – 3.30pm

Tuesday
26th January 2027

Australia Day





Wednesday
27th January 2027

School Returns



The holidays are over and it's time to get back to school!

We hope everyone had a fabulous break and are feeling refreshed and ready for another great term!

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28th January 2027

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29th January 2027

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Children from any school welcome!
SCHOOL AGED UP TO 12 YEARS

What's included?

- Excursion entry fees
- All meals – morning tea, lunch & afternoon tea
- Bus transport

What to bring daily:

- Water Bottle
- Hat
- Enclosed Shoes
- Fun Attitude!

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