



Holiday Programme Info Pack

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Starfish Holiday Programme

Where: Matamata Christian School (91A Smith Street)

Age: 5 – 13 years

Times: 7.30am to 6pm

7.30am – 8.30am

\$11 per day

8.30am – 3.00pm

\$37.50 per day

8.30am – 4.00pm

\$42.50 per day

8.30am – 5.00pm

\$47.50 per day

8.30am – 6.00pm

\$52.50 per day

Day trips are every Wednesday and will cost \$10 extra per child per trip. Pool visits are every Tuesday and Friday and will cost \$4 extra per child per trip. All extra costs are to be paid on the day of the trip and to be paid to the organiser

WE ARE OSCAR APPROVED – Work and Income may be able to help with assistance towards childcare costs if (1) you are the main caregiver of the child and (2) your family is on a low or middle income and (3) you are a New Zealand citizen and (4) your child has at least three hours of care a week. The childcare assistance available to you will depend on your individual situation. Please contact WINZ on 0800 559 009 for more information on OSCAR Subsidy's. WINZ forms can be collected at the Starfish office, Afterschool Room (Room 4 of the Matamata Christian School) or at the WINZ office.

WHAT TO BRING

- Suitable Clothing and Footwear
- Lunch
- Drink
- Any medication needed
- Togs and Towel
- Booster seats for all children up to 7 years of age attending day trips

Children can bring electronic gadgets to the holiday programme such as cell phones, iPad's etc. However, Starfish Social Services will not be liable if it is lost, stolen or breaks.

Contact Information

Programme Coordinator

Dwayne Paul

childcare@starfishservices.org.nz

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Starfish Office

Sue Robertson

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WHAT do we do?

The Holiday programme operates during the school holidays from 7.30am to 6.00pm.

Daily Programme:

- Monday – Field Trip
- Tuesday – Swimming
- Wednesday – Entertainment outing
- Thursday – Staying onsite/local
- Friday – Swimming

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OSCAR Subsidy

We are OSCAR approved, so you may qualify for financial support. Please call WINZ on (0800) 559 009 for more information. Steps to follow if you are eligible for the OSCAR subsidy:

1. Collect the relevant form(s) from the WINZ office or Starfish Social Services
2. Complete and sign the form
3. Take the form to the Programme Coordinator to complete the "Supervisor" section of the form
4. Hand into the WINZ office

HOW do I Enrol My Child?

Please follow the following steps to enrol your child:

- 1) Go to our website starfishservices.org.nz
- 2) Click on 'Holiday Programme' under the 'Programmes' tab
- 3) Click on the 'Enrol Now' button
- 4) Follow the prompts

Or:

- 1) Scan this QR code →
- 2) Click on the 'Enrol Now' button
- 3) Follow the prompts



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HOW do I pay?

You will be invoiced in advance each week. Our account details are as follows:

Bank: ASB

Account Name: Starfish Social Services Trust

Account Number: 12-3438-0004712-02

Please use the following for a reference:

Particulars: Childs First Name

Reference: Childs Surname

HOW do I withdraw my child?

If for any reason you wish to withdraw your child from the programme you will need to give us Two Weeks' notice.

Forms can be found on our website or can be collected from the Starfish Office.

Once the form is completed you will need to return it to either the Programme Coordinator or Starfish Office.

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