



Our holiday programme

Please make sure that your children bring togs and a towel every day if they wish to go swimming and ensure they dress for the weather. It is essential to pack a sunhat every day during our holiday programme.

Please provide your child/ren with enough food to fuel them for the entire day.

All activities are subject to weather conditions and may be changed.

Learn to Swim Term Lessons

With so many beaches and pools in Auckland, being able to swim is an essential safety skill.

We think keeping children safer in the water is as important as being able to read and write!

Please contact our Learn to Swim team on birkenheadlearntoswim@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz for more information on lessons for term one, 2025.



Important information

Make sure your children have a fun, safe and exciting break by enrolling them in our holiday programme. Our Auckland Council programmes are inexpensive, varied and heaps of fun. We're MSD approved and registered. Families may be eligible for the WINZ Family Support Subsidy. Go to your nearest Work & Income office or download the application form online at workandincome.govt.nz

- Our structured programme runs from 9am to 3pm each day.
- Complimentary before and after programme care is offered from 8am to 9am and 3pm to 6pm each day.
- All activities are fully supervised by experienced, police vetted and first aid trained staff.
- Bookings are essential and payment is required upon booking.
- There are no refunds after the commencement of the programme. If you cancel before the programme begins, a refund will only be made if the programme is full and your space can be reallocated to someone on the waiting list. If a refund is given, the funds will be transferred by direct credit in to your bank account. You will be required to provide evidence of your bank account number, and refunds can take up to 10 working days. We do not provide cash refunds.
- On trip days (if applicable), please have your child/ren at the centre before the designated departure time (check with staff for details) so they don't miss out.
- We take due care with children's belongings but accept no responsibility for lost or misplaced items.
- Activities and trips may change at short notice and are weather dependent.
- If your child/ren requires any special medications these must be signed in and given to our programme staff.
- Our trained staff will administer any first aid if required.
- We will not tolerate teasing, bullying, offensive language or violence towards others.
- Please make sure your child/ren brings lunch (unless otherwise specified), snacks, water, sunblock, hat and a smile! Also, please ensure your child/ren are dressed in appropriate clothing for the day's activity.
- Please note that we do not take phone bookings.



We welcome all children regardless of ability.



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BIRKENHEAD POOL AND LEISURE CENTRE

December 2024

Wk 1	MONDAY 16 DEC	TUESDAY 17 DEC	WEDNESDAY 18 DEC	THURSDAY 19 DEC	FRIDAY 20 DEC
All ages 5-13yrs	CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS DAY \$38.00 Christmas is almost upon us! Decorate a Christmas ornament to take home and add to your Christmas tree!	BREAK THE ICE DAY \$38.00 We have a big programme ahead of us, let's break the ice by playing some fun team building games together. Team work makes the dream work!	PLAYGROUND HOP \$48.10 Wonder what Tāmaki Makaurau has to offer? Join the team as we move from park to park and let's see where the best park is!	SLIP AND SLIDE WATER DAY \$38.00 It's water slide time! Slip and slide down the bank - who can go the furthest?!	CHRISTMAS CARDS & COOKIES \$38.00 Got more family and friends to give a Christmas card to? We've got you covered! Then we'll finish off by icing some tasty treats.

January 2025

Wk 2	MONDAY 6 JAN	TUESDAY 7 JAN	WEDNESDAY 8 JAN	THURSDAY 9 JAN	FRIDAY 10 JAN
All ages 5-13 yrs	DISCO PARTY \$38.00 Bust out your best dance moves and groove to the music at our holiday disco!	PLANT A SEED DAY \$38.00 Join us in decorating a plant pot and planting a summer seedling!	MOTAT \$48.10 Come explore Auckland's museum of Transport and Technology! Travel through the ages learning awesome science and seeing crazy sets of wheels.	ANIMÉ DAY \$38.00 Dress up as your favourite Animé character. There's loads of prizes to be won!	BIRKENHEAD CARNIVAL DAY \$38.00 It's Carnival day! Let's have an outside party with games and loads of fun!
	TIE-DYE CREATIONS \$38.00 Bring along an old white t-shirt because we are getting creative and designing our very own tie-dye fashion line!	PAINT THE EARTH \$38.00 Let's get creative these holidays with our earth-themed crafts day!	NORTH HEAD \$48.10 Let's explore this historic land and its tunnels. We then will hit the grassy slopes on some cardboard for some slip and slide fun!	HARRY POTTER DAY \$38.00 A day of Magic from the best witches and wizards! Dress up as your favourite character and remember... the wand chooses the wizard.	PIRATE DAY \$38.00 Come dressed in your best costume and help search for some pirate treasure. X marks the spot!
All ages 5-13 yrs	MEDIEVAL MADNESS \$38.00 Knights in shining armour and beautiful princesses, tag along to our medieval day where we will be shooting bows and arrows, crafting tiaras and more!	INFLATABLE POOL PARTY \$38.00 Summer is here and were gonna cool off in the pool! Come join our team as we take on the mighty aqua run and have some fun and games at poolside.	MY WONDERLAND \$48.10 Join us at My Wonderland, an indoor playground filled with awesome slides, tunnels and trampolines! Bring your socks.	DISNEY DAY \$38.00 Dress up as your favourite Disney character! From princesses to Jedi's to superheroes. Win some prizes with our Disney quiz.	BOTTLE ROCKET DAY \$38.00 Partake in team building to get what's required for bottle rockets, and then let's shoot them into the air.
	NO PROGRAMME	BIG BUSH BASH \$38.00 Bring out your inner adventurer - we're going into the wilderness to learn about bivvy building and the native bush!	KAIPĀTIKI PROJECT \$48.10 Come and explore our ngāherehere with the Kaipātiki project and learn about our precious land!	INTERNATIONAL DAY \$38.00 Let's travel and learn about nations of the world! Create flags and learn languages from countries and cultures across our planet.	WATER WARS \$38.00 The challenge is on! Join us for a fun-filled day of water battles. Bring your best water gun, togs and a towel.

