



# Amaze Active Browns Plains

April 2022

## Vacation Care Pack

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This Pack contains:

- Parent information letter
- Program and activity list
- Booking and permission form
- Excursion and venue information



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**Dear Amaze families,**

Thank you for your interest in our April program for the upcoming school holidays. This pack contains everything you need to know about vacation care here at Amaze so please take your time to have a read through as this could answer some of the questions you may have.

**Centre Info:** We operate out of the OSHC building here at Browns Plains State School and during the School Holidays are open from 6:00am – 6:00pm. Amaze is run by a team of dedicated staff members with varying qualifications who are all extremely passionate about working with children. Our ratios range from 1:10 – 1:15 and all staff have current Blue Cards and Senior First Aid Certificates, including Asthma and Anaphylaxis.

**Bookings & Cancellation:** To book simply return the booking and permission to Amaze Active Boronia Heights You must return the form to secure your child's place. This is essential as not only does this give Amaze permission to transport your child to and from the service it also gives consent for your child to participate in programmed activities. Cancellation is at the discretion of the Centre Director however in most cases a minimum of 7 days' notice is required to cancel a booking. If your child is absent and significant notice has not been given you will be charged for the session.













***Please note that everyday children MUST have hats, lunch unless stated otherwise, drink bottles, closed in shoes and sun smart clothing. No singlets, thongs or sandals. The centre will also provide them with sunscreen; if you do not wish for them to be given sunscreen then you must provide your own and/or sign a waiver.***

**Morning & Afternoon Tea:** We provide Breakfast, Morning and Afternoon tea; however, Lunch is required every day except *those listed below. If your child has allergies or dietary requirements, please speak to a staff member when booking.* Please ensure your child has a substantial amount of food and snacks as for some an Amaze Day is longer than a normal school day. Please note however, nothing that needs to be prepared as our ratios don't allow for a staff member to be off the floor preparing lunches. Your child must also have their own drink bottle (clearly labelled), especially on excursion days as cold water may not always be available. If your child does not have a drink bottle the centre may provide them with one at a cost to you. Please make sure your child has a **HAT!** We are outside a lot and in the interest of sun safety our policy is '**no hat no play**' and they will be restricted to the shaded areas. Children must also wear appropriate footwear such as runners or closed in shoes, so **please no thongs or sandals.** As you will appreciate, you would not like your child to contract any illness whilst in our care and children who attend must not be suffering from any contagious disease or illness. Please refer to our copy of *Staying Healthy in Childcare 5<sup>th</sup> Edition* for further information. Any items brought will be at the child's own risk. DVD/USB movies are welcome but must be rated G/PG only. **Mobile phones, DS's, Computer games and other media devices are banned unless stated on the program.** Any devices brought will be confiscated and returned at the end of the day. Finally, Amaze Education has a zero tolerance 'No Bullying' policy, please refer to your behaviour agreement and our behaviour policy to review centre expectations, as restrictions and refusal may result in severe cases.

**Fees:** Fees are listed against each activity on the program and vary due to transport and activity costs. Child Care Subsidy may assist with the costs of Vacation care, If CCS is not active, please contact the Family Assistance Office on 136150. Not registering for CCS for vacation care will result in full fees per child per day being charged. We charge one week in advance, with fees due by the Friday of each week. Outstanding fees may result in care refusal or restrictions so please ensure your account is up to date. Speak to your Centre Director if you have any questions or concerns.

**Please note you cannot access vacation care with outstanding fees. Please make sure your account is up to date!**

### Activity List

| <b>Monday</b><br><b>4/04/22</b><br><b>In House - \$60</b>   | <b>Tuesday</b><br><b>5/04/22</b><br><b>Excursion - \$70</b>   | <b>Wednesday</b><br><b>6/04/22</b><br><b>In House - \$60</b>  | <b>Thursday</b><br><b>7/04/22</b><br><b>In House - \$60</b>   | <b>Friday</b><br><b>8/04/22</b><br><b>Incurision - \$70</b>   |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| <p><b>Master Chef</b><br/>Today we'll break into teams and compete against each other to see who can make the tastiest dish. We will taste and score each dish to see which team wins!</p>  | <p><b>BIM'BIMBA PARK</b></p> <p>We are off to Bim'Bimba Park for an amazing day of fun, play and Pizza for lunch.</p>                                | <p><b>Sensory Play Day</b></p> <p>Today we will have a messy sensory play day. We will make slime, playdough, and orbies, we'll do taste testing and so much more</p>             | <p><b>WHEELIE FUN</b></p> <p>Today is Wheelie Fun day, bring along your bike, scooter, rollerblades for a fun day scooting around the school. Don't Forget your Helmet</p>   | <p><b>Colour Run</b></p> <p>Wear your white t-shirt and join us for our very own Colour Run. Complete the obstacle course and get as bright and colourful as you can. <i>Remember to pack a towel and change of clothes to change into.</i></p>  |
| <b>Monday</b><br><b>11/04/22</b><br><b>Excursion \$70</b>   | <b>Tuesday</b><br><b>12/04/22</b><br><b>Incurision - \$70</b>   | <b>Wednesday</b><br><b>13/04/22</b><br><b>In House - \$60</b>   | <b>Thursday</b><br><b>14/04/22</b><br><b>In House - \$60</b>  | <b>Friday</b><br><b>15/04/22</b><br><b>Closed</b>   |
| <p><b>Ten Pin Bowling</b></p> <p>We're off to Logan City Bowl for a game of Ten pin and lunch. Challenge your friends and try for a strike.</p>   | <p><b>Technology Day</b></p> <p>Today we'll have BYO device day and Chicken nuggets &amp; chips for lunch. We will also have indoor and outdoor activities, craft, and sport on offer.</p> <p><i>Don't forget your charger.</i></p>  | <p><b>AMAZING RACE</b></p> <p>Compete in challenges and earn as many points as you can. You'll need your wit and the support of your teammate to get through the challenge.</p>  | <p><b>Easter Extravaganza</b></p> <p>Join us for our Easter Celebration we'll have a party, play party games, do Easter craft and have an Easter egg hunt.</p> <p><i>Please bring a plate of food to share!</i></p>   | <p><b>Centre Closed</b></p> <p><b>Good Friday</b></p> <p><b>Public Holiday</b></p>   |



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**Booking and Permission Form**

*Take care when booking days during vacation care, particularly excursion days as maintaining staff to child ratios is essential. Please note absences will be charged if a minimum of 48hours' notice is not given for cancellation. Children must have closed in shoes, hats, drink bottles, lunch & snacks each day as well as any items required to participate in programmed activities. Please note that you can contact the centre any time, during certain activities and transit periods it may be difficult however leave a message and an Amaze staff member will contact you as soon as possible. Any booking changes should be sent via email.*

**To book please enter your Child/ren's name/s on the required dates in the table below**

|  |  |   |   |  |
|--|--|---|---|--|
| <b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup><br/>Master Chef</b> | <b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup><br/>Bim'Bimba Park</b> | <b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup><br/>Messy Play</b>    | <b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup><br/>Wheelie Fun</b>          | <b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup><br/>Colour Run</b>                      |
| <b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup><br/>Ten Pin</b>    | <b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup><br/>BYOD</b>          | <b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup><br/>Amazing Race</b> | <b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup><br/>Easter Extravaganza</b> | <b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup><br/>Public Holiday<br/><br/>CLOSED</b> |

**Please complete permission slip below to confirm booking and consent to attending planned excursions on days booked.**

I, (parent/guardian name) .....Give permission for my child/ren (name of child/ren) ..... to travel to and from Amaze Active OSHC to a destination outlined in their Vacation Care Program to participate in the planned activities. I also understand that by signing the form I am confirming the dates I would like for my child/children to attend and that I must give 7 days' notice for cancellations to avoid being charged.

Signature..... Date.....

**Venue, Transport and Departure Information**

*The table below lists the venue information as well as approx. departure and arrival times for excursions. Please note that your first point of contact should always be with the centre on 0474732540, If you cannot get through we do have a messaging service and we will get back to you as soon as possible however, during transit periods you can appreciate that child safety is our primary concern.*

**We use Logan Coaches for all our transporting needs. Each coach is fitted with seatbelts.**

**Please note our legal ratio of 1:15 will be covered each session however exact ratios will be determined daily based on attendance and communicated via the kiosk upon sign in for you to confirm. It will include venue information, booked numbers, staffing and exact ratio.**

| Date     | Venue & Activity               | Address                               | Phone      | Depart | Arrive |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|--------|--------|
| 5.04.22  | Bim'bimba Park and Pizza Lunch | 188 Gainsborough Dr, Pimpama QLD 4209 | 0474732540 | 09:00  | 15:00  |
| 11.04.22 | Logan City Ten Pin             | 17 Wembley Rd, Logan Central QLD 4114 | 0474732540 | 10:00  | 14:00  |

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### Amaze Device Use Agreement

1. I understand that at any time Amaze staff have the right to look through the contents of my device(s) if/when there is a reasonable concern and will do so in my presence.
2. I will abide by the current school rules about the use of devices while on the school grounds or in any circumstance where I am representing the school.
3. I will not download anything or install apps, games, or other programs on any of my devices.
4. I will not send hurtful, harassing, or threatening texts, photos or videos.
5. I will not post anything on social media or any other online forum
6. I will not take any photos or videos or send any current photos or videos stored on the device(s) to anyone while in the care of Amaze.
7. I agree that the use of my device(s) can be limited by the Amaze staff. And that the device(s) are only to be used when instructed by Amaze staff.
8. I understand that when online I will NOT give out any personal information such as: name, phone number, address, school name, your current location.
9. I agree that the device(s) I bring to Amaze are my responsibility and that I personally need to take care of the device(s). Amaze and it's staff will take no responsibility for damaged/misused device(s).
10. I will not be disruptive in my use of the device(s). If an Amaze staff member or any other adult ask me to end the use of my device(s) I will do so immediately.



### Amaze Device Agreement Permission slip

Please print and sign the below permission and return to an Amaze Team member on or before BYO device day. I hereby understand my obligations and agree to all terms and conditions as outlined in the device agreement and accept all responsibility for my device and media safety whilst in the care of Amaze.

**Child/ren**

Name: .....

Sign: .....

Name: .....

Sign: .....

**Parent**

Name: .....

Sign: .....

Date: ...../...../.....

### Morning & Afternoon Tea Menu

| Monday 4/4            | Tuesday 5/5              | Wednesday 6/4             | Thursday 7/4             | Friday 8/4                 |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Morning Tea</b>    |                          |                           |                          |                            |
| Popcorn & Fruit       | Pikelets<br>Jam/Cream    | Fruit Platter<br>Yoghurt  | Rice Cakes<br>&<br>Fruit | Fairy Bread<br>&<br>Fruit  |
| <b>Afternoon Tea</b>  |                          |                           |                          |                            |
| Cheese toasty         | Wraps                    | Pumpkin Scones            | Assorted Scrolls         | Crackers dip and<br>cheese |
| <b>Monday 11/4</b>    | <b>Tuesday 12/4</b>      | <b>Wednesday 13/4</b>     | <b>Thursday 14/4</b>     | <b>Friday 15/4</b>         |
| <b>Morning Tea</b>    |                          |                           |                          |                            |
| Pikelets<br>Jam/Cream | Fruit Platter<br>Custard | Fairy bread<br>&<br>Fruit | Popcorn<br>&<br>Fruit    |                            |
| <b>Afternoon Tea</b>  |                          |                           |                          |                            |
| Tuna Pasta Bake       | Pop Corn and<br>Fruit    | Rainbow Cake              | Party Food               |                            |

### Covid Safe Plan

**Amaze has implemented the following Covid 19 Screening Methods**

**INDIVIDUALS PRESENTING OR REPORTING THESE SYMPTOMS WILL NOT BE ADMITTED INTO THE CENTRE**

- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fever

#### **Procedures before entering the centre:**

- Children and caregiver must sanitize their hands
- Temperature and wellness checks will be done to ensure that no one entering the building has a temperature above **37.5.0 degrees**.
- Pick up and drop off is limited to one member from each family

You must also notify the service if You or your child have:

- travelled outside of the state of Queensland in the last 14 days?
- been exposed to someone under the investigation (or with) Covid 19 in the past 14 days

### For the Fridge Information Sheet

Each day bring:

- A packed lunch unless state otherwise below (nothing can be cooked or heated)
- A water bottle
- A hat
- Closed in shoes - no thongs or sandals
- Sun smart clothes
- Spare clothes if necessary

| Additional information or requirements for programmed activities |                 |   |
|--|-----------------|---|
| Date   | Activity        | To pack or not to pack...   |
| 5/4/22   | Bim'Bimba Park  | Closed in shoes, sun safe clothes, water bottle.<br><b>PIZZA LUNCH PROVIDED</b> |
| 7/04/22  | Wheels Day      | Helmet, Scooter, Bike or Blades   |
| 8/04/22  | Colour Run      | White shirt, towel, and change of clothes                                       |
| 11/04/22   | Ten Pin Bowling | Bring your own socks  |
| 12/04/22   | Technology Day  | iPad or Tablet, DS, & Charger<br><b>CHICKEN NUGGETS &amp; CHIPS PROVIDED</b>    |
| 14/04/22   | Party day       | Bring a plate of food to share  |

| Vacation Care Routine |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Time                  | Activity  |
| 6:00 – 9:00           | Arrive at Amaze, breakfast, stationed activities, and team building games       |
| 9:00 – 9:30           | Morning tea   |
| 9:30 – 10:00          | Meeting, activity prep, move off to buses or get into groups                    |
| 10:00 – 2:00          | Programmed activity as per program or free play                                 |
| 12:00 – 12:30         | Lunch   |
| 2:00 – 3:00           | Programmed activity as per program or free play                                 |
| 3:00 – 3:30           | Afternoon tea   |
| 3:30 – 5:00           | Stationed activities, team building games and free play both indoor and outdoor |
| 5:00 – 6:00           | Wind down pack up, playground, movie, or quiet activities                       |

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