Email**paradiseforkids@internode.on.net**

Before School Care – 7:30am – 8:30am

After School Care – 3:10pm – 6:00pm

Vac Care and Pupil Free Days – 7:00am – 6:00pm

Paradise for Kids

Paradise for Kids provides a quality care program for children in an Out of School Hours Care setting. We base our program on the My Time, Our Place learning framework and use it to assist in our activity and experience planning and structuring.

**Session Set Up**Before School Care opens at 7:30 am. Healthy breakfasts are served if the children haven’t had breakfast. If children are unaccompanied on school premises (i.e. no responsible adult with them) they need to make their way to the OSHC building where the Supervising staff member will sign them into BSC until the school bell sounds. Families may be charged OSHC fees if the child is signed into OSHC care due to being unaccompanied on school grounds whether they are enrolled in OSHC or not.

At the closure of the school day (3.10pm) the upper primary children make their way over to OSHC where they are signed in by a staff member. OSHC uses our Peg System to ensure the junior Primary students safely transition between from school to OSHC. Students in years reception to 4 receive a coloured peg with their name on it on days they are booked into After School Care to remind them to gather their things and wait inside. At the bell, an OSHC staff goes to the Junior Primary building with a list of bookings and collects the children.
Arrangements can be made for new students in Upper Primary to be accompanied by a class buddy for their first few visits.

Staff sign children in to care upon arrival. Staff will investigate if children who are booked in for that day do not arrive at OSHC.

**BSC and ASC**

All bookings for OSHC can be made directly to the Director or a senior staff member. You can also book by calling OSHC directly on **7120 7186 or 0478 292 590**. Alternatively, call the school and leaving a message at the front desk. As there are a limited number of vacancies in BSC you must ring in the morning to avoid being turned away upon arrival. Cancellations will be charged if less than 14 days notice is given.

**Vacation Care/PFD**

Children must be booked into vacation care with all the appropriate paperwork completed. If you do not book and arrive on the day you may be turned away as we have specific staff to children ratios.

**Cost:** (Childcare Benefit can reduce fees.)

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|  | Permanent | Casual |
| Before School Care | $14 | $15 |
| After School Care | $22 | $23 |
|  | **Booking Sheet Returned** | **On The Day Booking** |
| Vacation Care / PFD | $49 | $54 |
| Vac care incursion/ excursion | $55 | $60 |

It is the enrolling parents’ responsibility to contact the Family Assistance Office on 13 61 50 and ask to be **“Assessed for Childcare Benefit”**

Full fees apply to any booking cancelled with less than 14 days notice.

If you would like to enroll your child(ren) at OSHC or Vacation Care please collect an enrolment pack from the OSHC office.

We look forward to seeing you at Paradise for Kids!