







RIVERVIEW SCHOOL OSCAR

Christmas

Holiday Programme

Everything Christmas - cards, gifts, wrapping, wreaths and tasty goodies, combined with a couple of adventures close to home.

<p>ALL WEEK: SWIMMING!!! Water games and activities. Paper chain Challenge - Let's Christmas up the place with the longest paper chain and giant paper bows.</p>	<p>MONDAY 19 December</p> 	<p>Christmas Cards, Crafts and decorations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cards with cut-outs, pop ups and more • Plaster decorations to paint • Sparkly pasta creations • Stars, cones, angels and Santas
	<p>TUESDAY 20 December</p>	<p>Christmas Baking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stained glass window biscuits - that you can really see through • Origami – paper cranes and gift boxes • Christmas wreaths
	<p>WEDNESDAY 21 December</p> 	<p>Waipapa River</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore the wildlife in our neighbourhood. Walk to the Waipapa River, picnic, see if there are any hungry eels that we can catch and return.
	<p>THURSDAY 22 December</p> 	<p>Christmas Movie</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It's almost here ... Get into the Christmas spirit with the latest Christmas Movie and soak up the atmosphere with a play in the Domain.
	<p>FRIDAY 23 December</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasure Hunt • Christmas Tree Challenge • Tasty Treats to make • Tree decorations • Gift bags

8.00 am

to

5.30 pm

Based at Riverview School Hall and staffed by Riverview OSCAR's usual experienced staff with some extra helpers for trips.

\$35 per day

Costs for trips and materials are included.

Work and Income subsidies are available as this programme is "Approved" by Child Youth and Family. Collect an application form from OSCAR or Work and Income

Every Day!!! Games, sports gear, construction toys, dress ups, blocks, lego, playdough, art and craft table, Computer games, and **Plenty of time to Play.**

BRING - Togs and towel, sun hat and clothes suitable to protect children from the sun, a big lunch and morning tea.

- We have sunscreen and spare hats. Children without hats will have to play in the shade. We'll provide afternoon tea.
- Transport to the movies will be by bus, and we will walk to Waipapa River.
- Enrolment Forms can be collected from Riverview School Office or directly from OSCAR.
- We reserve the right to make changes to this programme to reflect weather or other circumstances.


Contact **Odette Yates 021 296 4829** if you have any questions.





Sizzling Summer Holiday Programme

ALL WEEK: Swimming!!!! Waterside, water games - Bring your togs and towel!! We've gathered a collection of tyres and other floating goodies to make and remake and perfect rafts in the pool.

MONDAY 16 January	Beach Crafts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beach mobiles, jewellery, weaving. • Driftwood monsters– build and paint. • Sand pit token treasure hunt.
TUESDAY 17 January	Pompellier Mission Station <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A full day outing, travelling by bus and ferry to explore the history of Russell and Pompellier Mission – Plenty of hands on history.
WEDNESDAY 18 January	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design, make and play mini-golf course at OSCAR. Challenge yourself over the next few days. • Make summer creatures from clay –birds, fish or insects. • Wet sponge war and sprinkler games.
THURSDAY 19 January	Fizz, sizzle, slurp and pop! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experiment with some kitchen chemistry – • Volcanoes, gloop, slime, fizzing goodies, and tasty treats.
FRIDAY 20 January	Mix it up Mexican Fiesta! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Music, moustaches, sombreros, slushies, and siestas. Nachos, piñatas, fancy flags and wrestlers

Swing into some sizzling summer fun, games, making projects, swimming and outings
8.00 am to 5.30 pm
\$35 a day

Costs for materials and most trips are included. *An extra cost of \$10 applies for the Adventure Forest trip on 26 January.*

Work and Income subsidies are available as this programme is “Approved” by Child Youth and Family.

BRING togs and towel, sun hat and clothes suitable to protect children from the sun, a big lunch and morning tea.

We have sunscreen and spare hats. Children without hats will have to play in the shade.

Transport will be by bus or walking

Enrolment Forms can be collected from Riverview School Office or directly from OSCAR.

We reserve the right to make changes to this programme if required.

Every Day!!! Games, sports gear, construction toys, dress ups, blocks, lego, playdough, art and craft table, computer games, and **Plenty of time to Play.**

OSCAR will be open on 31 Jan, the teacher's only day before school starts back for 2012.

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ALL WEEK : SWIMMING!!! Water games and water slide – Bring you togs. This week only, **bikes** are welcome at OSCAR – leave them here for the week if you like.

MONDAY 23 January	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire and Ice- • Make your own ice-cream in a ziplock bag • Play ice bowls – slide them before they melt • Ice bergs in the pool. • Create a “wanted” poster or pirate treasure map with ‘olde’ parchment and singed edges.
TUESDAY 24 January	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cars, trains, planes, and rocket ships! • Choose from a selection of materials to build the vehicle of your dreams • Clay, timber off cuts, cardboard, techno trash to assemble • Match box sail cars to race
WEDNESDAY 25 January	Stone Store Basin Fishing Trip <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bring your own fishing gear or borrow a basic line from us. We'll swap around so we can try fishing from the wharf and the rocks. Walking.
THURSDAY 26 January	Adventure Forest EXTRA \$10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A full day outing to Glenbervie Forest for a tree tops adventure with ropes, swings and flying foxes. Different levels of challenge for different ages.
FRIDAY 27 January	Chill Out <p>Finish projects, ride bikes, swim, play and chill out – It's been a busy week!</p>

TRIPS THESE HOLIDAYS

Wednesday 21 December

Walk to Waipapa River



We will walk to the track that leads to Charlie's Rock to a large grass area and some rocks.

We'll try our luck at catching some eels – no hooks, just bait, string and nets then we'll return them to the river. There will be lots of helpers. We'll have an early lunch by the river and head home. This trip is obviously dependent on weather and safe river levels. There will be a wet weather programme if we can't go.

Children will need: Shoes for walking, sunhats, clothing suitable for being out in the sun.

THURSDAY 22 DECEMBER

Christmas Movie in Kerikeri

It's almost here.....Get into the Christmas spirit with the latest **Christmas Movie** and soak up the atmosphere with a play in the Domain. Timing for the day will be finalised when titles and times are available. Travel by bus. *Please do **not** send money for treats.*



TUESDAY 17 JANUARY

Russell and Pompellier Mission

A full day outing, travelling by bus to Paihia, then ferry to explore the history of Russell and Pompellier Mission – Plenty of hands-on history. Children will need footwear for walking, sunhats and clothing suitable for time in the sun and a lunch and drink to take with us – nothing that needs heating please.

WEDNESDAY 25 JANUARY

Stone Store Basin Fishing Trip

Bring your own fishing gear or borrow a basic line from us. We'll swap around so we can try fishing from the wharf and the rocks. Leaving at about 9.30 we will walk to the Stone Store basin, try our luck catching a few sprats. We will organise the bait. There will be lots of helpers. This trip is obviously dependent on weather and safe river levels. There will be a wet weather programme if we can't go.

CHILDREN WILL NEED: Footwear for walking, sunhats and suitable clothes for being outside in the sun, a lunch and drink to take with us.



THURSDAY 26 JANUARY

Adventure Forest

A full day outing to Glenbervie Forest for a tree tops adventure with ropes, swings and flying foxes. Different levels of challenge for different ages and abilities. There are height restrictions for some activities. Adventure Forest's qualified staff provide safety equipment and instructions, then children make their way around rope circuits in the trees, in small supervised groups. Participants are attached to safety lines with double harnesses. Children are expected to follow safety instructions. See their website for more info www.adventureforest.co.nz

Travelling by bus we will be leaving at 9am and be back around 3pm. There will be plenty of helpers. **AN EXTRA COST OF \$10 APPLIES TO THIS ACTIVITY.**

COVERED SHOES ESSENTIAL (not jandals) - NO SHOES NO ACTIVITY!!! Please bring lunch and a big drink and wear shorts and a t-shirt.

First aid kits, your contact details and cell phones will be taken on all trips.

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