

# TERM 2

## Newsletter



### Fun times!

What an exciting and busy term we've had at New Lambton District OOSH! Throughout Term 2, our children have enjoyed a variety of fun, creative, and engaging activities while building friendships, learning new skills, and creating wonderful memories together.

### Walkie Talkies

Our walkie-talkies are reserved for emergencies and important staff communication. We kindly ask families not to request their use for calling children to the sign-out area.

Thank you for helping us keep this communication tool available for its intended purpose.

### Events

June 21<sup>st</sup> - World Music Day

June 24<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> Insect week

July- 100 days of School

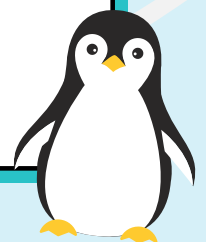
July 1<sup>st</sup> - International Joke Day

6<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> July- NAIDOC week

### Reminders

To help us maintain a safe and respectful environment for all children and families, we kindly remind parents and carers that **mobile phone** use should be kept to a minimum while attending the service.

For the privacy and protection of all children in our care, families are also asked to refrain from taking photos or videos whilst on OOSH premises.



# COMMUNITY EVENTS



## School Holidays

With the school holidays just around the corner, there are plenty of exciting activities and events happening throughout our local community for families to enjoy together. We encourage families to explore what's on offer and make the most of the holiday break by creating special memories with family and friends.

## Events

### Snow Time in the Gardens

- **Date:** Saturday 27 June - Saturday 26 July 2026
- **Time:** Gardens open 9am; Snow Time activities from 9:30am (last entry 3pm)
- **Location:** Hunter Valley Gardens, Pokolbin
- **Age Group:** All ages
- **Cost:** From \$31 child (4 - 15), \$41 adult; family passes available

## Winter Festival

### Port Stephens Winter Festival

**Date:** Friday 10 - Sunday 19 July 2026

**Time:** Various - check website

**Location:** Nelson Bay, Port Stephens

**Age Group:** All ages

**Cost:** Mix of free and paid events

## Winter Market

### Village in the City – Winter Community Showcase

A cosy winter evening in Jesmond with food and market stalls, blankets, warm drinks, soft lighting and an indoor community showcase of music, poetry and short performances.

**Date:** Friday 17 July 2026

**Time:** 4pm - 7.30pm

**Location:** Jesmond Neighbourhood Centre, Jesmond

**Age Group:** All ages

**Cost:** Free

