

Employee Of the Month

We would like to announce that our Employee of the month of June 2024 is Claire O'Connor! Claire is a highly valued member of our WKC team and is an exemplary employee who always dedicates herself to everything she does, making her extremely deserving of Employee of the month.

Claire consistently demonstrates outstanding workplace culture and teamwork, has extreme success in running activities, building strong relationships with both children and coworkers, and approaches everything with a positive attitude.

Thank you, Claire, for everything you do for our WKC family. We appreciate you!



Our Most Recent Gallery









Dates for your Diary

- 12 Aug: International Youth Day
- 26 July 11 Aug: XXXIII Olympic Games
- 14 Aug: World Lizard Day
- 12 Aug: International Youth Day



Our New Wilston Kids Care Polos!

We are thrilled to introduce our new Wilston Kids Care staff polos! These polos, worn alongside our traditional WKC navy uniform shirt, are designed to promote positivity and awareness. By featuring First Nations art, we invite everyone, regardless of cultural background, to experience and appreciate this unique expression. At Wilston Kids Care, we are committed to fostering awareness, respect, and cultural appreciation for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander perspectives.

The artwork was created by Nathaniel Chapman.

Nathaniel says, 'this piece is a representation of the strength and knowledge that our old people hand down within our communities and the hearts of our little ones". "We call them our Elders, our loved ones, guider of generations and cultural knowledge holders". "Lifting us up when times are low and celebrating us in our highs, they are the teachers, the survivors, the ones that bring tenacity and strength and nurture us into good health and wellbeing". "They keep our bellies full and our culture strong, sharing stories as we draw strength from their knowledge and experience". "We always listen to our Elders, but most of all respect and cherish what they pass down! Our Elders hold a prominent place in our community and family". "These polos aren't just fabric. They reflect a community's history, identity, and values. When people wear significant pieces like these, they often feel a deep sense of emotional and cultural connection, and we can gain a better understanding of the diversity and richness of human culture". "These Polos provide opportunities to spark educational conversation and pay respect to our First Nations People past, present and emerging".



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As an Exceeding service, Wilston Kids Care is proud that we embed First Nations perspectives into our Curriculum and Educational Program. By wearing this shirt alongside our traditional navy uniform, we celebrate First Nations culture within our outside school hours care setting and wider school community.



National OSHC Educators' Day

Celebrating Our Exceptional WKC Team on National OSHC Educators' Day

Today it is National OSHC Educators' Day, Wednesday 31 July 2024.

I want to take a moment to recognise and celebrate the incredible work our Educators do each day. This special day is dedicated to acknowledging the significant impact that OSHC Educators have on the lives of children, young people, and their families.



National OSHC Educators' Day

At Wilston Kids Care, we are fortunate to have a team of dedicated, passionate, and talented Educators who continually go above and beyond to create a nurturing and inspiring environment for our children. Your hard work, creativity, and unwavering commitment to their growth and wellbeing do not go unnoticed. You make a profound difference in their lives, shaping their futures and fostering a sense of wonder and limitless possibilities.

The theme for this year's OSHC Educators' Day is "Limitless Possibilities." This theme beautifully captures the essence of what our Educators bring to our service. Every day, they open doors to new opportunities, encourage exploration, and support our children in reaching their full potential. Their dedication and enthusiasm are the cornerstones of the vibrant, caring community we have at Wilston Kids Care.

Let us use this opportunity to reflect on and appreciate the positive impact our Educators have on our children and their families in our WKC community. Their efforts are invaluable, and I and the Management Team are incredibly proud to work alongside such a fantastic team. Together, we create a space where children feel safe, valued, and inspired to dream big.





Enrolments

Our Exceeding rated OSHC service offers high-quality care, providing a range of activities that promote learning, social interaction, and physical activity. We are committed to creating a safe and nurturing environment for your children, especially during those crucial hours before and after school.

Our Before and After School Care program is available every day during term time, Monday to Friday, (BSC 6.30am to 8.30am) and (ASC 3.00pm to 6.00pm). We offer a range of flexible booking options to suit your family's needs. Whether you require care for one day a week or every day, WKC can provide the support and care your child needs to thrive.

During the school holidays, we offer Vacation Care, and we are open from 6.30am - 6.00pm, Monday to Friday. We also offer a range of excursions and special events throughout the year, providing your children with unique and exciting experiences.

Enrolling your child into Wilston Kids Care is easy. Simply visit our <u>website</u> or contact us directly to secure your child's spot. We look forward to welcoming your child into our care and providing them with a safe, supportive, and stimulating environment.

If you have any questions or would like to enrol your child, please do not hesitate to contact our Administration Team on: (07) 3352 6753 or our business mobile on: 0401 059 192.

