# JANUARY EVENTS

### **Public Holidays:**

Monday 1st January
Friday 26th January
Centre Closed

## Thursday 26th January: Australia Day Celebrations

Today we celebrate our Country. Wear green and gold and Be ready for a traditional BBQ sausage sizzle. See individual rooms for activities.

# Tuesday 30th January: Kids on Gallagher's 16th Birthday!

It's been 16 years since Kids on Gallaghers opened. Today we will be celebrating with fun activities, party food and a birthday cake of course!







MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
New Years Day Centre Closed	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	Australia Day Celebrations	Australia Day Centre Closed	27	28
29	KOG 16th Birthday!	31				

# FEBRUARY EVENTS

### Friday 9th February: Chinese New Year

Celebrations for Chinese New Year, 2024 is the year of the Dragon!

Wear Red.

See individual room plans for activities.

# Tuesday 13th February: Pancake Tuesday (Shrove Tuesday)

Marking the start of lent and the lead up to Easter. Today we will be cooking yummy pancakes for afternoon tea!

Wednesday 14th February: Valentine's Day

Celebrating the day of love and friendship.

Wear Red or Pink.



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
				Chinese New		
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12	13 Pancake	14 Valentine's	15	16	17	18
	Tuesday	Day				
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29			

# ARCH EVENTS

### **Public Holidays:**

Monday 11th March Friday 29th March Centre Closed

## Friday 16th March: St. Patrick's Day Celebrations

Celebrate the National Irish Holiday, follow the rainbow to find any cheeky leprechauns!

**Wear Green** 

See individual room plans for activities.

### **Thursday 21st March: Harmony Day**

Today we celebrate and show our support for the country's cultural diversity, we are all different, but we are one!

**Wear Orange** 

See individual room plans for activities.

# Thursday 28th March: Easter Bunny Visit/Easter Egg Hunt

Today we will get a special visit from the Easter Bunny who will have a special surprise for the children. We will also go on a special Easter egg hunt and may just spot him hopping by!

Today we will ask for a gold coin donation to go towards the Good Friday children's hospital.





MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Labour Day Centre Closed	12	13	14	15	St. Patricks Day Celebrations	St. Patricks Day
18	19	20	Harmony Day	22	23	24
25	26	27	Easter bunny visit	Good Friday Centre Closed	30	Easter Sunday

# APRIL EVENTS

### **Public Holidays:**

Monday 1st April
Thursday 25th April
Centre Closed

# Thursday 11th April: Character Dress Up Day!

Calling all superheroes, cartoon characters, animals and fairy-tale creatures. Today is your day to come to KOG dressed up in your favourite costume. We will be collecting a gold coin donation to go towards our 2024 collection for the Royal Children's hospital appeal.

# Wednesday 24th April: Anzac Day Celebrations

A National Day of Remembrance of our brave soldiers, and their sacrifices. See individual room plans for activities.



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Easter Monday Centre Closed	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	Character Dress Up Day	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	Anzac Day Celebrations	25 Anzac Day Centre Closed	26	27	28
29	30					



### Friday 3rd May: Crazy Hair Day!

Get your crazy hair ready for Crazy hair day! We want to see your creativity with some funky hairstyles!

We will be collecting a gold coin donation to go towards our 2024 collection for the Royal Children's hospital appeal.

## Monday 13th May: Mother's Day Afternoon Tea

All mothers, grandmothers, aunties, friends and family are invited to our annual Mother's Day Afternoon Tea. Please join us in the afternoon for something sweet to eat to celebrate you!

### **Tuesday 28th May: Cool Kids First Aid Incursion**

Kinder incursion 10- 11:30am

Children will learn some basic first aid principles and what to do in an emergency including how to call 000.







MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1	2	Grazy hair Day	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	Mother's  Day
Mother's Day Afternoon Tea	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	Cool Kids Isi Aid incursion 10am	29	30	31		

# JUNE EVENTS

### **Public Holiday:**

Monday 10th June
Centre Closed

# Monday 17th - Friday 28th June: Henny Penny Chicken Hatching

Over these two weeks we will be learning about life cycles. All our families will be able to watch how the eggs hatch, and we will then have baby chicks. These will be located in the Kinder Room.

### Friday 21st June: International Day of Yoga

Today we learn about mindfulness and how to relax our bodies.

All rooms will participate in a yoga session together.

# Monday 24th - Friday 28th: Interview Week

Family/educator interviews will be offered throughout this whole week. Families can book a time with their child's Room Leader at an agreed time via phone or in person.







MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
King's Birihday Centre Closed	11	12	13	14	15	16
Henny Penny Chicks Arrive	18	19	20	International Day of Yoga	22	23
Interview Week Begins	25	26	27	Henny Penny Chicks Leave	29	30

# JULY EVENTS

## Monday 8th - Friday 12th July: NAIDOC Week

We will participate in a range of activities to celebrate the history, culture & achievements of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people.

The Kinder room will be participating in an aboriginal incursion from Didgeridoo Australia "Didgeridoo Beats" on Monday 3rd of July Time: 10am.

### **Tuesday 16th Pyjama and Movie Day!**

Come dressed in your pyjamas, dressing gowns and slippers to be all comfy for our movie day! Bring along a blanket, pillow, bean bag and enjoy some yummy popcorn as we watch a G rated movie together.

### Friday 26th July: Olympic Opening Ceremony

Today marks the beginning of the 2024 Olympics!

To celebrate we will have our very own Olympic Opening Ceremony!

The children will make their own torches and flags and we will have a parade!



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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8 NAIDOC WEEK	9 NAIDOC WEEK	NAIDOC WEEK	NAIDOC WEEK	NAIDOC WEEK	13	14
15	PJ& Movie Day	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	Olympic Opening Ceremony	27	28
29	30	31				

# AUGUSTENTS

### Friday 2nd August: National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Children's Day

Today we will have an incursion from Didgeridoo Australia "Song, Dance & Storytelling"

### Friday 9th August: Red Nose Day

Today we wear red to raise money for SIDS 4 KIDS. Wear Red.

We will be collecting gold coin donations for this event.

Wear Red

## Monday 19th - Friday 23rd August: Book Week!

Each year, schools across Australia spend a week celebrating books and Australian authors and illustrators. This year, we are going to celebrate Book Week by dressing up as our favourite book characters. We will also share our favourite story books with our friends at kids on Gallaghers. We will be having a visit from Michelle one of the librarians from Glen Waverley Library on Wednesday 21st at 9:30am.







MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Childrens Day 10am	3	4
5	6	7	8	Red Nose Day	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Book Week	Book Week	Book Week Library Visit	Book Week	Book Week	31	25

# SEPTEMBER EVENTS

#### **Public Holiday**

Friday 27th September
Centre Closed

### Monday 2nd September: Father's Day celebration

All fathers, grandfathers, uncles, friends and family are invited to our annual Father's Day event.

BBQ at 2.00pm.

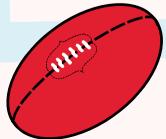
Wild Action Australian animals' incursion 2:30 -3:30pm.

# Wednesday 4th September: Early Childhood Educators Day

It's time to celebrate all the hard work that our wonderful educators at kOG do each and every day. We will be treating our educators to a special lunch and families will be given multiple opportunities to note down words of encouragement, praise and thanks to show our lovely educators that they are appreciated.

### **Thursday 26th September: Footy Colours Day**

Wear your footy gear/colours to show your support for your favourite football clubs. The children and educators will be having a BBQ lunch today.







# OCTOBER EVENTS

### Friday 4th October: Messy Play Day

Today will be all about messy fun and sensory experiences. Please dress your child in clothes that are ok to get a little messy and a spare change of clothes. See individual room plans for experiences.

### **Wednesday 16th October: Teddy Bear Picnic**

Join us on our bear hunt, and our teddy bears picnic. Bring along your favourite teddy for all the fun!

### **Thursday 31st October: Halloween**

Today we celebrate the American tradition of Halloween. Wear a scary cute costume and get ready for some trick or treating!



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	1	2	3	Messy Play Day	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	Teddy bear picnic	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 Halloween			

# NOVEMBER EVENTS

### **Public holiday:**

Tuesday 5th November
Centre Closed

### Friday 1st November: Diwali

Today we will be celebrating a day of colours, light, and food. Please see individual room plans for activities.

The Kinder room will be having a Bollywood education session/dance session 2:30pm

### Tuesday 12th November: Myuna Farm Visit

The Animals are coming to Kids On Gallaghers!

A fun day exploring creatures small and large, we will have a visit from the animal farm so we can meet some cute friends!

### Monday 18th - Friday 22nd: Centre Photo Week

Magic Photography will be taking photos of the children throughout the week. Emails will be sent to sign up children closer to the date.

# Monday 25th - Friday 29th November: Interview Week

Family/educator interviews will be offered throughout this whole week. Families can book a time with their child's room leader at an agreed time.



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
				Diwali	2	3
4	Melbourne Cup Centre Closed	6	7	8	9	10
11	Myuna Farm Visit	13	14	15	16	17
Centre photo week	Centre photo week	Centre photo week	Centre photo week	Centre photo week	23	24
Interview Week begins	26	27	28	29	30	

# DECEMBER EVENTS

### **Public Holidays:**

Wednesday 25th December
Thursday 26th December

**Centre Closed** 

### Centre Closes Early 4pm:

Tuesday 24th December Tuesday 31st December

# **Tuesday 10th December: Christmas Concert & Kinder Graduation**

The children of Kids On Gallaghers have put together a little concert for our parents/family members to celebrate Christmas. Also some of our kinder children that are leaving us to go to school in 2025 will participate in a very special Graduation Ceremony.

### Wednesday 18th December: Santa Visit

Santa Claus will visit KOG and give each child a very special present! We would love it if all children could come dressed in Christmas colours.



MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Kinder Graduation Christmas Concert	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	Santa Visit	19	20	21	22
23	Christmas Eve Centre closes at 4pm	Christmas Centre Closed	26 Boxing Day Centre Closed	27	28	29
30	NYE centre closes at 4pm					
30	NYE centre closes at 4pm					