

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

**WINTER PROGRAMME
6 – 17 JULY 2026**



**NATHAN HOMESTEAD
PUKEPUKE**

WEEK ONE: 6 - 10 JUL 2026

ALL SESSIONS RUN
9AM - 3PM

MON 6 JUL

MOVIE MAD MONDAY

Walk the red carpet as we zoom into a day devoted to the silver screen.

Session Code: **A1** Theme Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

THE UNDERCOVER BOSSY BOOTS 4-DAY COMEDY-DRAMA WORKSHOP with Vic Leilua

Take the cue and perform in a short comedy play on Thursday. Experience the thrill of putting on a show and learn some top tips about stagecraft.

When: Mon 6 July, Tue 7 July, Wed 8 July and Thu 9 July.

Session Code: **A2** Arts Class

Suitable for: Ages 8+

Cost: \$168

TUE 7 JUL

GIDDY FOR GAMES

Get active and go for gold with loads of exciting high energy indoor and outdoor games.

Session Code: **B1** Theme Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

GLORIOUS GAME ART with Renee Bevan

Design and build your own unique board game and then unleash your creativity by sculpting custom dice and character tokens from air-dry clay before painting and playing!

Session Code: **B2** Arts Class

Suitable for: Ages 8+

Cost: \$52

WED 8 JUL

MATARIKI: GOLDEN LIGHTS

Celebrate, reflect and embrace the Māori New Year with fabulous Matariki creative arts and crafts.

Session Code: **C1** Theme Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

CLAY 1.0 with Jillian V.

Spend 4 hours designing and creating a majestic Matariki Star Lantern.

Session Code: **C2** Arts Class

Suitable for: Ages 8+

Cost: \$52

THU 9 JUL

CHUCKLESOME

An entertaining day dedicated to making you grin and giggle! In the afternoon you can laugh out loud at the short play *The Undercover Bossy Boots* live on stage.

Session Code: **D1** Fun Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$42

FRI 10 JUL

CLOSED
MATARIKI
PUBLIC HOLIDAY

WEEK TWO: 13 - 17 JUL 2026

ALL SESSIONS RUN
9AM - 3PM

MON

13 JUL

WILDERNESS WONDERS

Explore the amazing African savannah with wild art! You can paint visually striking silhouette dot art or make colourful animal masks.

Session Code: E1 Theme Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

CLAY 2.0

with Siriporn Falcon-Grey

Spend 4 hours designing and creating sleek Safari Cat Piggy Banks.

Session Code: E2 Arts Class

Suitable for: Ages 8+

Cost: \$52

TUE

14 APR

ALL AROUND THE WORLD

Bring a sunny afternoon at David Nathan Park to life with a worldwide adventure. Create a custom passport, and then collect stamps, draw, and learn as you "travel" country by country around the world!

Session Code: F1 Theme Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

WED

15 JUL

SILKY OTTER CINEMAS: MINIONS AND MONSTERS

Journey to Takanini for an animated adventure comedy followed by a picnic in David Nathan Park.

Session Code: G1 Day Trip

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$52

THU

16 JUL

GET ON THE STAGE!

Enjoy theatre-themed playtivities, or if you're older, dive into sensational drama games with our dynamic drama tutor Carolyn Loader.

Session Code: H1 Fun Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32

FRI

17 JUL

HOOT N' HOLLER

Hey, let's twist again with top of the dial get up and go games and activities followed by a supersonic disco full of big and bouncy beats.

Session Code: I1 Fun Day

Suitable for: Ages 5+

Cost: \$32



Nathan Homestead Pukepuke offers fun, active and creative school holiday programme for tamariki aged 5–13 years. Our sessions are designed to inspire curiosity, build confidence, and keep kids engaged through hands-on experiences and exciting adventures.

Our programme features a mix of themed activities, including cooking, sports, arts and crafts, and outdoor play in our beautiful park surroundings. We also offer specialist workshops in visual and performing arts for young creatives aged 8–13, ranging from painting and pottery to drama. These workshops provide high-quality arts tutoring in a supportive and welcoming environment.

The programme is approved by the Ministry of Social Development, and WINZ subsidies are available for up to 50 hours per week.

Keen to enrol in our School Holiday Programme?

Visit us to pick up an enrolment form or scan the QR code, fill it out the form on this page and send back to us.



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FURTHER INFORMATION

Programme: The programmes run Monday to Friday, 9am–3pm (excluding public holidays), for children aged 5–13 unless stated otherwise.

Lunch: All-day bookings include a supervised lunch break from 11:30am–12:30pm, please pack a healthy lunch.

Before & After Care:

Free before care is available from 8–9am.
After care runs 3–5pm at \$5 per hour.

Child Safety: Nathan Homestead Pukepuke provides a safe, high-quality OSCAR approved school holiday programme with experienced staff and tutors. There is a staff/child ratio of 1:10 onsite and 1:8 for day trips.

Accessibility: Most areas are wheelchair accessible.

Payment can be made with cash, eftpos or automatic phone payment. Please email your enrolment forms only if you are making a phone payment.

The full course fee must be paid in advance and at the time of enrolment. Your booking is confirmed once payment is made.

WINZ subsidies are available on application.
