Out of School Care







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	Monday 14 December 2026	Tuesday 15 December 2026	Wednesday 16 December 2026	Thursday 17 December 2026	Friday 18 December 2026
	No Programme	No Programme	**MJ** Beat it to the dance floor! Make iconic MJ-inspired crafts, learn cool moves and shine like a true superstar. From $49.50	**TRIP: Movies** Sit back, relax and enjoy the show! We're heading to the movies for a big-screen adventure packed with popcorn and fun (Movie TBC) $72.00	**Sunny Side Up** Breakfast is served! Whip up croffle pops, decorate your own chef hat and create a fun squishy fried egg keepsake. From $49.50



	21 December 2026	22 December 2026	23 December 2026	24 December 2026	25 December 2026
	Candy Cane Kitchen A festive feast of creativity awaits! Decorate gingerbread houses, paint with marshmallows and spread holiday cheer. From $49.50	**Jingle Bell Jamboree** Deck the halls with creativity! Make personalised wrapping paper and festive crackers perfect for the holiday season. From $49.50	**Christmas is loading** Celebrate the season with Grinch cookies, festive ornaments, paper chains and Christmas games full of holiday cheer! From $49.50	**Christmas Eve Chaos** Get Christmas Eve ready! Decorate your own Christmas Eve box, make reindeer food, enjoy hot choc and watch a festive movie. $49.50	**No Programme Merry Christmas**

Please email any booking enquiries to oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz

Book online at ymcanorth.org.nz



Extra Information

Programme activities run from 9.00am-3.00pm.
Full session programme runs 7.30am-5.30pm.
Short session programme runs 8.30am-3.00pm
Early drop off and late pick up fees will incur a charge.

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36 Pembroke Street Hamilton | 07 838 2529 | oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz

Bookings are essential and payment is required upon booking.
Email oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz or call 07 838 2529 (option 3) for absences and cancellations. Terms and conditions apply.

While we aim to deliver the programme as advertised, activities may occasionally change due to weather, staffing, or operational requirements. Any significant changes will be communicated to parents and caregivers as soon as possible.

Children must be signed in and out each day by a parent or authorised guardian. For safety reasons, staff may request photo ID at collection. Please do not be offended—this is for the protection of all children.
If your child will be making their own way to or from the programme, please contact us before the programme begins so the appropriate permission form can be completed.

Please ensure your child's profile is fully up to date, including:
- Emergency contacts
- Authorised pick-ups and drop-offs
- Medical information
- Behaviour notes
- Any additional needs or relevant considerations

Up-to-date information helps us support your child safely and effectively.

If your child requires medication while attending the programme:
- Medication must be signed in with staff each day.
- All medication must be in its original packaging, clearly labelled with the child's name and dosage.
- A Medical Form must be completed before the programme begins.
- Children with ongoing medical conditions (e.g., asthma, allergies, anaphylaxis) must provide a current Medical/Allergy Management Plan.

Children are expected to uphold and demonstrate YMCA values. If a child's behaviour places themselves, others, or staff at risk, parents/caregivers may be contacted to collect them. Ongoing or serious behaviour issues may result in removal from the programme.

Please ensure your child comes prepared each day with:
- Morning tea, lunch, and snacks
- A refillable drink bottle
- Sunhat
- Raincoat
- Appropriate clothing and footwear
- Shoes MUST be worn on trip days

If your child requires specific sunscreen, soap, or hand sanitizer, please clearly label these and send them along each day.

We take due care with children's belongings but cannot accept responsibility for lost or misplaced items. Please label all clothing and items so we can return anything left behind. We prefer that children do not bring electronic devices to the programme. If you need to discuss a specific situation regarding device use, please speak with our team.

WINZ subsidies available
We are MSD approved and registered. To book with the OSCAR subsidy, you will need to contact oscar.waikato@ymcahamilton.org.nz so we can complete part of your subsidy application form. 20% is required to confirm your booking.
For more information on the Work and Income OSCAR Subsidy, visit workandincome.govt.nz

We are proudly New Zealand's first and only Safeguarding accredited organisation. This means we take the rights, safety and wellbeing of children and young people seriously, and are committed to ensuring that everyone can enjoy activities, events or programmes in a safe and positive environment.
For more information visit ymcaauckland.org.nz



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