

## **BROOKFIELD SUMMER HOLIDAY PROGRAM – 2024**

Brookfield is running an 'in house' summer holiday program on weekdays in January.

Program hours will be 10.00 am to 3.00 pm but extra hours can be provided if needed. Overnight care is also available.

Brookfield is a ten-acre farm with lots of animals, a swimming pool, a range of art and craft activities, a quiet room with puzzles, books and games. Other activities include gardening, bush walks, woodwork, photography and cooking. There is no set program as we like individuals to let us know their interests and build the day round them.

A healthy morning tea and lunch is provided. All staff are qualified and have all the required checks and First Aid Level 2.

NDIS participants are eligible to join the program. Children over ten years are accepted into the program and also adults with a range of disabilities. We are unable to support individuals in wheelchairs or with behaviours of concern.

The program cost is \$100 per day which includes activities, resources and catering. If the participant requires 1:3 staff ratio we charge \$22.00 per hour. 1:2 staff ratio is \$33.00 per hour. We are not able to provide 1:1 support as we have only a small team but we are happy for participants to bring their own staff.

We do ask all independent staff working on our property adhere to our guidelines which include no use of mobile phones and an understanding of a person-centred approach to their work.

If participants are staying with us for overnight 24-hour care there is no charge for the holiday program as all costs are covered by the 24 hour STA rate

We like all new participants and families who are interested in the program to visit us prior to starting the holiday program so we can ensure we have the right mix in each group.

If you are interested in the program please call us on 0412 535 435

Diane Gow – Owner/Manager