

21st July 2017

Dear Parents / Carers of Area 9, 10, 11 & 12 students,

We are very excited to offer our Year 5/6 students the opportunity to attend a four day camp this year. The camp is planned for the 27-30th November (Week 8, Term 4) and we would like you to consider your interest in allowing your child to attend.

Please:

- read the details below and complete the Expression of Interest form below if you would like your child/children to participate;
- return the completed expression of interest and a **deposit of \$50** to the class teacher by **Friday 11th August 2017 (Friday Week 4)**

EXCURSION TO: Point Walter Recreation Camp, Stock Road Bicton.

PURPOSE OF EXCURSION:

- Students will learn to operate as a team and communicate effectively;
- learn about effective community membership;
- develop independence and interdependence;
- develop skills in outdoor recreation activities.

DATE: Monday 27th November- Thursday 30th November 2017.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES:

Team and individual challenges including, archery, mountain biking, flying fox, climbing, canoeing, rafting, team games, pool activities and orienteering.

TRANSPORT: Bus/coach

COST:

The total cost of the camp is **\$300.00** which includes accommodation, transport, food and activities. The option for part payments and installments will be accepted and can be arranged with our Registrar, Mrs Grindel. Payments are to be finalized by the **3rd November 2017 (the end of Week 4, Term 4)**.

ACCOMODATION AND FOOD

Students will be housed in the Aviary and Osprey dormitory facilities.

This camp will be catered by Accolade Catering who are the nominated caterers for all Department of Sport and Recreation Camps.

Supper is not part of the package so we ask that all students provide either a cake or packet of sweet biscuits. These will be shared on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evening.

The tentative menu is as follows;

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Breakfast		Continental Breakfast including: juices, fresh whole fruit, fruit in natural juice, yoghurts, cereals, muesli, selection of breads and spreads.	Continental Breakfast including: juices, fresh whole fruit, fruit in natural juice, yoghurts, cereals, muesli, selection of breads and spreads.	Continental Breakfast including: juices, fresh whole fruit, fruit in natural juice, yoghurts, cereals, muesli, selection of breads and spreads.
Morning tea	Morning tea at School	Muffins- blueberry, chocolate or savory	Scones with whipped cream and jam	Cut watermelon and icy poles
Lunch	Packed lunch	Open beef burgers served with garden salad	Homemade pizza served with garden salad	Selection of assorted sandwiches
Afternoon tea	Assorted cookies- choc chip, shortbread, Anzac	Fruit and vegetable stix platter	Chocolate cake	
Dinner	Homemade beef lasagna, garden salad, steamed vegetables and bread basket	Roast chicken with seasonal vegetables, salad selections and bread basket	Slow roasted beef, roast potatoes, pumpkin steamed vegetables and gravy	
Desert	Chef's special dessert	Chocolate mousse	Apple crumble and custard	
Supper	Biscuits / cake (provided by students)	Biscuits / cake (provided by students)	Biscuits / cake (provided by students)	

SUPERVISION:

Mr Gillespie, Mrs Shepherd, Mrs Comerford, Mr Chapman, Mrs Lucarelli, Mr Boundary, Mr Gaffney, Ms Rochford, Mrs Woodend, Miss Grieve. Additional Supervisors for camp activities will be provided by the Department of Sport and Recreation

BEHAVIOUR:

Good student behavior will be considered as a prerequisite for attending the camp. Students demonstrating ongoing, poor behavior and attitude choices will be considered for eligibility prior to the camp commencing. The decision about whether a student making unsatisfactory behavior choices will be able to attend the camp will be at the discretion of the attending teachers and the school Administration.

Yours Sincerely,

Callum Gillespie
Area 10 Teacher

Sarah Shepherd
Area 11 Teacher

Kim Comerford
Area 12 Teacher

Toby Chapman
Area 9 Teacher

Carolyn Lucarelli
Principal

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
EAST MADDINGTON YEAR 5/6 CAMP
POINT WALTER RECREATION CAMP**

I,, parent caregiver of
would like my child to participate in the camp. I have enclosed a **deposit of \$50** and understand that the cost will be **\$300** and the final payment will be due on the **3rd November 2017**

I also understand that should my child demonstrate unacceptable behavior in the time leading up to the camp they may not be allowed to participate. Any money paid will be refunded.

Signed

