

2019 Year 6 Camp – Maranatha Boulder Creek

29 July 2019

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

As per previous correspondence, Year 6 camp is at Maranatha Recreation Camp (281 Hill Road, Mothar Mountain, Boulder Creek) in Week 8 of this term, between Wednesday 4 and Friday 6 September.

Reminder - Full payment is due by Wednesday 14 August, 2019.

Attached to this note you will find a camp packing list. If you have any queries regarding items, please direct these to your child's class teacher. Also attached is a student information form which is required back to school by Wednesday 14 August, 2019. Please ensure it is fully completed prior to returning.

If your child requires any form of medication while at camp, please complete an 'Administration of medication' form, available at the front office. This form, along with medication needs to be returned to the office in a clearly labelled (name and class) zip-lock back, no later than Friday 30 August, 2019. Please ensure any medication remains in its original packaging and contains a pharmacy label with your child's name and dosage. Staff will **NOT** administer medication without these requirements.

Please be advised that student activity groups and dormitory groups will be determined closer to the date of camp, with students being informed by camp instructors on arrival.

On the morning of Wednesday 4 September, all students attending camp will be required to place their bag/suitcase in the assigned area outside the hall. They will then proceed to a room for roll marking (keeping their day bag containing sunscreen, water bottle and morning tea with them).

Please note that the bus will depart school promptly at **8:40am**. We will **NOT** be able to wait for late students, please arrive by **8:15am**, in time to avoid disappointment.

Important information for everyone:

- **Wednesday 4 September** - Students depart at 8:40am, we cannot wait for late students. Departing from the bus lane.
- Ensure you have packed **morning tea, a water bottle** and **sunscreen** in your small backpack (name and class clearly labelled).
- Any medication has been handed in to the office prior to departure date (as per above instructions).
- Remember to bring your **school hat**.
- **Friday 6 September** - Students will arrive back at school at approximately 2:15pm in the bus lane. Parents please ensure you leave plenty of space for the students to disembark and collect their belongings.

Thank you for your cooperation and enthusiasm.

Regards,

Joshua Gooderham
Deputy Principal



What to Bring to Camp



Sleeping

- Pillow and pillow slip
- Sleeping Bag OR single bed sheets and blanket

Clothing- Write your name on your clothes

- A set of old clothes for each day plus a spare set. Pyjamas, underwear and socks
- Collared shirts, larger the better to cover bare skin from harnesses
- Knee length shorts or long pants
- Jumper and Raincoat - we continue to run activities in the rain
- School hat (only, no caps)
- Swimmers and Rashie/Sun Safe shirt
- Shoes - two pairs of closed in shoes. Old ones that can get wet for water activities
- Leave your jewellery at home - chains and loose dangly earring are not suitable for rope activities

Toiletries

- Towel/s and face cloth
- Biodegradable soap, toothbrush and toothpaste, hair brush, roll on deodorant. (please don't bring aerosol deodorants or hair products as they trigger the smoke alarms)
- Insect repellent (roll on or cream type)
- Sunscreen

Other Important Things

- Torch
- Water Bottle
- Plastic or garbage bags for dirty/wet clothing

WHAT NOT TO BRING:

Please **DO NOT BRING ANY NUTS**, or products containing nuts to camp. This includes all kinds of nuts, e.g., peanuts, cashews, walnuts, brazil nuts, etc. Maranatha has a strict nut-free-camp policy that must be adhered to.

Please do not pack any nuts or nut products, including muesli bars, to eat on the way to camp as they may be forgotten and accidentally brought on to camp premises.

NOT PERMITTED

Electronic devices including phones, iPads, Cameras
Lollies, snacks, food (except for morning tea on the first day, which cannot include nuts).

RETURN THIS FORM

Year 6 Camp - Maranatha Boulder Creek - Student Information Form

Name: _____ **Class:** _____

Does your child require a special diet for any of the following?

Severe Food Allergy	YES / NO	If YES give details _____
Food Intolerance	YES / NO	If YES give details _____
Religious/Cultural	YES / NO	If YES give details _____
Vegetarian	YES / NO	If YES give details _____

Does your child suffer from any of the following?

- (a) **Asthma** YES / NO
If YES, please ensure an Asthma Management Form signed by your GP is held by school admin.
- (b) **Allergies** (plants, insects, animals) YES / NO
If YES, please provide details: _____
- (c) **Diabetes** YES / NO
If YES, please ensure an *Emergency Health Plan* signed by your GP is held by school admin.
- (d) **Epilepsy** YES / NO
If YES, please ensure an *Emergency Action Plan* signed by your GP is held by school admin.
- (e) **Heart/Circulation Problems** YES / NO
If YES, please provide details: _____

Please give full details of any other issues to be considered for your child whilst at camp. (e.g. recent operations; muscle, joint or bone injuries; bed wetting; phobias; anxiety; conditions; disorders; disabilities etc.)

Please note that all medication required while on camp must have a pharmacy label with student name and dosage (including Panadol). All medication needs to be handed to the office prior to the day of camp departure.

Please indicate your child's swimming ability

Non Swimmer	25m	50m	100m	Strong Swimmer
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PARENT / GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____