



POINT VIEW SCHOOL
LEARNING TOGETHER

Year 6 School Camp 2021

18 February 2021

Dear Parents

The Year 6 camp will be held at Finlay Park, Cambridge from *Monday 29 March to Thursday 1 April*. This is a catered campsite with dormitory blocks, cabins, rec centre, dining room, lounge, gymnasium, spa pool, swimming pool and excellent outdoor facilities.

We have planned an interesting, challenging, fun and safe programme for the students. Students will participate in a number of outdoor activities including kayaking, go karting, bush hiking, raft building, sports, waterslides, problem solving, confidence course and a wonderful indoor climbing course.

This camp will be an outstanding experience and wonderful opportunity for your child. All activities will have high levels of supervision and the risk factors involved have been carefully considered.

Qualified instructors from the camp will assist us at kayaking, raft building, wall climbing, top town games, driving the barge and the go karts.

The cost per student is **\$355.00**, this covers the accommodation, food, catering service, travel, activities, instructors, equipment and adult supervision.

If your child requires a gluten free, dairy free or vegetarian diet this is an additional cost of **\$30.00**.

We would like to encourage all children to earn some of their camp fees themselves to raise their appreciation of this experience. Fees need to be paid Monday 22 March unless other arrangements have been made with Robyn Hibberd.

We will be having a camp parent meeting on Wednesday 24 March at 7:30pm in the hall to explain the programme, organisation and to coordinate our parent helpers. All parents are welcome to attend. Parents attending camp are required to stay after this meeting.

A list of clothing and equipment required for camp is attached. Please ensure all items are named. Please complete the permission and health form by Monday 1 March.

On Monday 29 March children will need to arrive at school by 8:30am, deliver their bags to the school entrance, before assembling in their classroom.

We leave for camp at 9:00am and will return to school on Thursday 1 April by 2:45pm.

A major learning experience such as this is not possible without considerable teacher and parent input.

We wish to thank the many parents who have offered their involvement at camp.

Regards, Karyn Bower, Chris Coomes, Lisa Firth, Robyn Hibberd, Tania Schlabitiz and Anthony Wright

[Permission and Health Form](#) **ALL PARENTS MUST COMPLETE THIS FORM**

Things to take.....

Sensible camp clothing please

Sleeping bag and pillow

Blanket – optional

Pyjamas

5 sets of underwear

5 pairs of shorts

5 T shirts

2 sets of winter clothes - (track pants, sweatshirts or warm jersey)

Raincoat – **waterproof**- so programme can continue if raining

Shoes - 2 pairs for walking and sports

Old shoes for in the mud

Socks

Aqua shoes - optional

Sunhat

Swimming togs

Wet suit if available

2 towels

2 plastic bags for dirty clothes and wet gear

Soap, face cloth, toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, hairbrush, tissues / hankies

Insect repellent (odourless), sunscreen

Camera (optional)

Torch

Reading book, indoor game, cards

Camp book, pens, pencils, felts

Medication to Mrs Hibberd labelled with name and instructions

1 packet of biscuits - please give to teacher the week before camp

ALL ITEMS MUST BE NAMED

AN AWESOME ATTITUDE!

Take onto bus in small backpack

Packed morning tea and lunch for first day

Drink in plastic refillable bottle

Shoes to be worn

Not to be taken

Lollies, chewing gum, fizzy drink

Electronic games, devices, cell phones, smart watches

Jewellery (except watch), money