

19 November , 2019

ADVANCE NOTICE: CAMPS 2020 – YEAR 4-8

CAMP DATES AND PARENT CONTRIBUTIONS:

NB: Please do not pay for camps until the student info packs are sent out in Term 1.

We can offer payment plans and/or hardship assistance. More details next year.

Year 4 Pirongia Either 26-27 February or 27-28 Feb*

*A secure but challenging first camp experience; the programme includes orienteering, confidence course, team building, problem solving, rock climbing wall, flying fox and the tramp to Ruapane Trig. Instructors supervise the rock climbing and flying fox. Contribution towards camp costs **\$105 per student**.*

*PLEASE NOTE: The Yr 4 camp is split over the three days i.e. half will attend Wed-Thurs, the other half, Thurs-Fri. As the classes are not finalised yet, we cannot tell you the exact date your child will be going at this stage.

Year 5/6 Raglan 26-28 February

This is our beach focussed camp and includes a day at the Raglan Surf Club participating in the Beach Ed programme. Staying at CBM Camp Raglan gives us access to a range of fun and challenging activities including bmx bikes, climbing wall, archery, confidence course, flying fox, and swimming pool.

This is a fully catered camp so we are looking forward to lovely meals that we have not had to prepare!

*Contribution towards camp costs **\$185 per student***

Year 7/8 CYC Ngaruawahia 10-13 March

This is our bush centred camp and many of our activities revolve around bush safety and survival. William Pike students will tramp in along the Hakarimata Range from Huntly, the rest from a slightly closer point. Activities over this 4 day camp will include bushcraft, kayaking, mud slide, bush camping, raft building, geocaching, paddleboats, minigolf and more.... This is a fully catered camp so no parent caterers needed.

*We are still waiting confirmation on final costings but anticipate the contribution towards the cost of the 4 day camp will be around **\$240 per student**.*

PARENT HELPERS

As our camps are early in Term 1, we would like to get our camp parents organised before the end of this term. We are always greatly appreciative of the support we get in this area and usually have more parents offer than can be accommodated. Each camp has a defined number of spaces for parents and this is built into the budget so that there is no cost for camp parents.

Below is a link to a google form where you can indicate your willingness to be a camp parent. Forms need to be completed before **FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER**. Please be aware that completing this form does not guarantee you a place. You will be notified of the camp parent teams before the end of the term.

[CAMP PARENT SIGN UP](#)

Thank you,

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