

Year 6's Manjedal Camp

27th-30th August 2019

10th April 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

Students learn in many different ways, from their parents and other people; from books, films, television and from recreation. The experience of living away from home with a group of children their own age provides students with opportunities for the development of independence and self-care skills. The camp to Manjedal Activity Centre (MAC) Karrakup in Week 6 of Term 3 is such an example.

MAC is situated at Karrakup on 184 hectares of jarrah forest midway between Byford and Jarradale, approximately 45 mins drive from Leda.

The total cost for our Year 6 and ESC Year 6 Camp 2019 will be **\$380.00**.

*In order to secure a place for your child at camp, we require a deposit of \$100.00 which must be **paid on or before Friday 17th May 2019 (T2 Wk3)**.*

Payment in full is required by Friday 26th July 2019 (T3 Wk1).

It will not be possible to accept any deposits after **17th May 2019** or book a place for your child, as the camp organisers will have made the necessary arrangements based on the number of deposits received at this time.

****It is possible to pay the deposit (\$100.00) and the balance (\$280.00) in instalments right up until the deadlines stated above. Monies should be paid through your child's classroom teacher, EFT or online utilising QKR.**

Please note: the following conditions will also apply:

- Should you have reason to voluntarily withdraw your child from camp after Friday 17th May 2019, or your child be excluded from the school camp at the discretion of the Principal due to Behaviour Guidelines not being met, money may not be refunded.

There will be a camp meeting prior to camp; however, if you should require further explanation or wish to discuss any other aspect of the Year 6's Camp prior, please contact your child's classroom teacher.

Yours sincerely,
Year 6 Staff

MANJEDAL CAMP ITINERARY

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Day 1: Tuesday 27th August:

Departing school at 8.30am we travel to camp. Unpack, settle in and have morning tea before going through daily routines and expectations. We will then split into our groups to rotate through our activities, having lunch after rotation one.

ART ACTIVITY: Produce artwork that uses the natural bushland to inspire our creativeness.

GEOCACHING: Hunt for 'treasure' in this high-tech adventurous version of hide-and-seek using a GPS, while exploring the outdoors.

Finally, there will be showers, dinner and a game of night time frisbee golf before bed.

Day 2: Wednesday 28th August:

After breakfast we will head off to complete the next four activities combined daily with morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

CLIMBING WALL: Grip and climb a 15 metre rock textured vertical climbing wall with overhanging sections, enabling students to experience the exhilaration of rock climbing, in a structured and safe environment.

CRATE CLIMB: Take the challenge and see how many crates you can stack on top of each other, while climbing the tower you are building. Two towers may be built at the same time.

CONFIDENCE COURSE: Meander your way through an obstacle course in the bush within your team holding on to a pole.

BLIND TRAIL: Blindfold yourself for a 350 metre trail of winding ropes through the bush, over and under logs and obstacles and across a creek bed.

Showers, dinner and our cultural/dreamtime evening activities.

Day 3: Thursday 29th August:

After breakfast we will head off to complete the next four activities combined daily with morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea.

FLYING FOX: Speed along our Aerial Runway, 240 metres of cable from one side of the valley to the other, up to 20 metres above ground.

TUNNEL SYSTEM: Experience the thrill of caving in our underground tunnels. Follow the leader and explore. Who knows you may even find Pirates' Loot!

LASER TAG: Using stealth and mental strategy infiltrate your opponent's base using infrared hand held devices.

SEARCH AND RESCUE: Using team work, map reading, and communication via radios, groups must find all of the articles relating to find the missing aero plane fuselage.

Showers, dinner and a movie.

Day 4: Friday 30th August:

After breakfast, students pack-up, clean and head off to the inflatable obstacle course. This is a 25 metre long inflatable that has over and through obstacles, ending with a slide to the finish. A race can start every 30 seconds making this an upbeat, fast moving activity. We will then have lunch on site before heading back to school arriving **approximately** 2.00-2.15pm.

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