

Motu Moana Year 5/6 2008

Year five and six students are off to Motu Moana camp between Tuesday 4 March and Friday 7 March.

Motu Moana camp is a Scout camp situated in Green bay. It is surrounded by bush and has great outdoor facilities.

This experience at the beginning of the year will provide our classes with a great opportunity to get to know one another, provide safe personal challenges and build independence. Activities will include abseiling, water slides, Challenge Valley, cooking over Hobo stoves, Pioneer activities, team building, orienteering and many more.

For health and safety reasons we discourage parents from visiting during camp (as it is important that students be independent) but know that many of you will want to see what we're up to. If you would like to visit, we will have an open morning on Thursday. We suggest a visit between 9:00 a.m. and lunchtime. Please let your class teacher know if you intend to visit.



The cost for the camp is \$160 (we are deducting \$10 from the activity fee, so \$150 is due as soon as possible). This covers accommodation, travel, activities and food. Please send this along as soon as you have recovered from all the other beginning of the year expenses. Permission slips are the most urgent as we need to know numbers.

There will be a camp meeting on Monday 18 February at 7p.m. Please don't hesitate to ask any questions.

I do/ do not give permission for _____ to attend Motu Moana Camp between March 4 and March 7, 2008.

Signed _____

Name _____

We usually have many parents who want to help on our camps. There are a limited number of places available.
Please fill out the form below and send it to school as soon as possible if you wish to accompany us. We need these forms by Wednesday 13 February.

Skills I can use on camp; singing, guitar, first aid, orienteering

Contact Phone Number: _____

I understand that a requirement of being a parent helper is that I must undertake a police check. I also understand that I will need to complete the police check form as part of my application.

Signed _____

Date _____

Equipment List

Please make sure everything is named.

- A packed lunch and morning tea for the first day
- Water bottle
- Torch
- Two "plates" of goodies to share for morning and afternoon teas (and supper)
- Sun block and insect repellent
- Sun hat
- Toiletries (tooth brush, tooth paste, soap, shampoo)
- Raincoat (we will go ahead in the rain unless it is torrential)
- Towel
- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Sheet to cover mattress
- Mug, bowl ,dinner plate, side plate, tea towel x2, cutlery (all named and in a named bag)
- Swimming gear (for water slide)
- Warm sweatshirt
- Shorts (x2)
- T. Shirts (x4)
- Underwear (x4)
- Track pants / longs (x2)
- Pyjamas
- 1B5 writing book for diary entries and photos.