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Dear Parents,

Children in Years 3 and 4 will be involved in a camping program this year from Tuesday 30th November to Wednesday 1st December 2021, camping for **one night** at Middle Gully Reserve. The camp will involve the children sleeping in tents in small groups. The school will provide lilos to sleep on. Facilities in the John Curtin Building will be used for food preparation and other activities as required. The children will also be involved in a session with "Wild Action – The Zoo Comes to You" and orienteering at Tony Clarke Reserve. Dinner will be provided on Tuesday night, with breakfast, lunch and snacks provided on Wednesday.

The cost for each child for the camp will be **\$50.00**. **Payment and the accompanying forms are to be returned no later than Friday 26th November 2021.**

If any parents can assist with breakfast food preparation or sleeping overnight if necessary, please indicate on the note below or contact the office.

Please note, volunteers performing work in schools are required to have a current Working with Children Check and also to be fully vaccinated by 29 November (unless a medical exemption applies) to attend on site.

Parents that wish to volunteer on excursions or school activities must supply vaccination information to the school indicating their vaccination status. This can be in the form of the following;

- a letter from a medical practitioner confirming the person's vaccination status or confirming a person is medically exempt.
- A certificate of immunisation
- An immunisation history statement obtained from the Australian Immunisation Register.

The school will maintain a vaccination register for visitors and volunteers.

Parents with any queries about the program are invited to discuss these with the teachers.

M Forrest
Principal

Veronica Wuthrich, Martin Smith, Heather Coates, Belinda Taylor
Year 3/4 Teachers

CLOTHING

- Students do not need to be in school uniform for Tuesday 30th November or Wednesday 1st December
- The children will be storing their clothes in their tents. They will be responsible for unpacking and packing their possessions, being tidy and organised.
- All clothing should be named and stored in a soft bag. Make sure your child is aware of what is in the bag and when they should wear the clothes.
- Children need to wear clothes suitable for environmental activities at Middle Gully.

Children should pack:

- A complete change of clothes, including something warm to wear in the evening
- Spare shoes and socks
- Waterproof coat and hat
- Toilet bag with face washer, soap, comb, brush, toothpaste and toothbrush
- Sunscreen
- Torch
- Sleeping bag and pillow
- Blanket (if required)
- Pyjamas or track suit
- Teddy or soft toy

Parent Assistance Year 3/4 Camp

CHILD'S NAME

Grade

PARENT'S NAME

Working With Children Check

Current WWCC No.

Expiry date

COVID19 Vaccination

I am fully vaccinated or have a medical exemption and can supply the office with evidence of this (please indicate):

YES / NO *(if NO, you will not be able to participate with this school activity)*

Assistance

I can assist with the following:

Session

Parent's Name

Sleepover on Tuesday (limited numbers)

From 7:30pm

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Breakfast on Wednesday

7:30am – 9:00am

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Approximate times are shown and these will be confirmed later

A limited number of parents will be required for each activity and a roster will be prepared. Parents must have a current Working with Children Check.

Helping with breakfast may involve food preparation, cleaning and washing of dishes. Instructions will be posted in the kitchen area of the John Curtin Building.

YEAR 3/4 MIDDLE GULLY CAMP 2021 – PERMISSION / MEDICAL FORM



I give permission for my child in Grade to participate in the camp activities from 30th November – 1st December 2021 and enclose \$50.00.

Please indicate payment method:

CASH	Qkr!	CSEF	BPAY	RECEIPT NUMBER

Confidential Medical Information for School Council approved School Camps/Excursions

This information is intended to assist the school in case of any medical emergency with your child. All information is held in confidence.

Previous Experience - Is this the first time your child has been away from home? YES/NO

Name, Clinic and Contact Number of Family Doctor:

Medicare No:

Medical/Hospital Insurance Fund: Membership No:

Please tick if your child suffers any of the following:

- Bed wetting
- Fits of any type
- Heart condition
- Asthma
- Diabetes
- Dizzy spells
- Sleepwalking
- Blackouts
- Migraine
- Travel sickness
- Other.....

Allergies to:

- Penicillin
- Other medications:.....
- Foods:.....
- Other:

What special care is recommended?

Tetanus Immunisation : Year of last tetanus immunisation

Tetanus immunisation is normally given at five years of age (as Triple Antigen or CDT)

Medication : Is your child presently taking tablets and/or medicine? YES/NO

If YES, please state name of medication, specific dosage, etc

All medication must be handed to the teacher in charge prior to leaving. All containers must be labelled with your child's name, the dose to be taken and when it should be taken. (These will be kept in the first-aid centre and distributed as required). If it is necessary or appropriate for your child to carry their own medication (for example, asthma puffers and insulin for diabetes) it must be with the knowledge and approval of both the teacher in charge and yourself.

Where the teacher in charge of the camp is unable to contact me, or it is otherwise impracticable to contact me, I authorise the teacher in charge to:

- * consent to my child receiving such medical or surgical attention as may be deemed necessary by a medical practitioner,
- * administer such first-aid as the teacher in charge may judge to be reasonably necessary.

Name of Parent/Guardian.....

Signature of Parent/Guardian.....

Contact number/s during the camp.....

The Department of Education and Training requires this consent to be signed for all students attending school camps by the authorised parent/carer prior to their child participating.