
THOMAS MITCHELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

18th July 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians of Year 4 students,

YEAR 4 CAMP 2019 – PHILLIP ISLAND ADVENTURE RESORT - WEDNESDAY 6TH NOVEMBER (DAY AFTER MELBOURNE CUP DAY) TO FRIDAY 8TH NOVEMBER

We are once again offering the opportunity for Year 4 students to attend a 3 day, 2 night camp at Phillip Island Adventure Resort from Wednesday 6th November (day after Melbourne Cup Day) to Friday 8th November 2019.

As some of you may already know, the camp is an outstanding facility which has provided our students with the chance to take part in some interesting and challenging activities over the last 6 years.

Accommodation: Accommodation is in rooms of up to 6 students, each room with its own ensuite.

Activities: Some of the activities include: flying fox, crate climb, giant swing and initiative course. The children will also visit the Nobbies Boardwalk and A Maze'N Things.

We estimate the cost of this camp will be around \$320, dependent on the numbers of children participating. To finalise the cost of the camp, we are now asking parents to provide an expression of interest indicating if your child will be attending the camp in 2019, together with a non-refundable \$50.00 deposit. Please do this by completing the form attached, indicating if your child will be participating and returning it to school with the \$50 deposit by Friday 9th August. We hope that all families will provide us with a response so that we can provide adequately for those on camp as well as those participating in school activities. *If your child will not be participating please complete the relevant section for us and return to school.*

Please note: If you are not able to forward the deposit by this date we encourage you to speak with our Business Manager, Tracey Etherington. As we need to confirm our booking numbers and pricing with the camp facility, we cannot guarantee children can be accommodated if payment is received after the deposit closing date.

Upon finalising numbers, we will forward another letter confirming the cost and instalment arrangements late in August. We will also provide further information regarding the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (\$125 per annum, per eligible child) and/or credit held on your account and how to allocate this to your child's camp costs.

Parental assistance may also be required on the camp. Should you be interested in helping, please complete the section attached. Please note if selected to assist on camp you will require a valid Working with Children Check. We will contact you at a later date about your application.

Please contact Narelle Waples, Year 4 Teacher in Room 12 at school if you require further information.

Yours sincerely,

Narelle Waples
Year 4 Camp Coordinator

John Hurley
Principal

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS SECTION TO SCHOOL BY FRIDAY 9TH AUGUST 2019

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My child in class

Will be attending the Year 4 Camp to Phillip Island Adventure Resort. I enclose a (non refundable) deposit of \$50 to secure a place for my child.

OR

Will not be attending the Year 4 Camp to Phillip Island Adventure Resort in 2019.

Signed:

Date:/...../2019

Parent/Guardian Name:

Phone:

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PARENT ASSISTANCE (IF REQUIRED)

I am willing to attend the Year 4 Phillip Island Adventure Resort Camp to assist staff and students throughout the week of Wednesday 6th to Friday 8th November.

I understand I will be required to present a valid Working With Children Check if I am selected to assist. Please note, expression of parental interest does not guarantee attendance. Final selection is made by John Hurley.

If I have a current WWC, I will provide Thomas Mitchell Primary School with evidence (via print out from the Dept of Justice website) that the school has been noted as an 'employer/host'.

Signed:

Date:/...../2019

Parent Assistant's Name:.....

Relationship to Child: Phone Number.....

Child's Name:.....