

Monday 22nd July 2019



Dear Parents,
It's now under 2 weeks until Cooriemungle Camp.

As a reminder the dates for camp are **Wednesday 31st July – Friday 02nd August**. We will be leaving from school at 9 am on Wednesday and will be back to Mortlake by 3:00pm Friday for bus travellers.

Attached is the equipment list for this camp and also a proposed itinerary. The equipment list provides a good indication of what students should bring. Clothes, sleeping bags, personal toiletry etc are all listed. Please make sure these are all included. **Please also note students will need to bring their lunch with them on Wednesday 31st July.**

Also students are encouraged to bring some biscuits or a slice to share for supper / snacks and there will be a camp talent show on Thursday night so bring along the things you may need for this.

Can I ask that families finalise any outstanding payments with the office and make sure the consent forms come back to school. All inquiries in relation to payments should be directed to the office.

If you are not intending for your child to come on camp please let us know as soon as possible so that we are able to make arrangements for them at school.

If you have any other questions don't hesitate to contact me via email or phone.

Thanks

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Mortlake College Proposed Program for Cooriemungle

| DAY 1 WED 31/7/19 | DAY 2 THURS 1/8/19 | DAY 3 FRI 2/8/19 |
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| 9:15am Depart school. | 8:00am Breakfast | 8:00am Breakfast • Pack up & clean up |
| Arrive at Camp Cooriemungle Tour of camp. Allocation of rooms. Unpack. Group staff briefing | 9:00am – 10.30am • Commando / Bush Cooking / Low Ropes/Archery | 9:00am – 10:30am. Pack up and clean up. Depart camp with a picnic lunch, visit the Loch Ard Gorge on the way to Port Campbell and the Port Campbell Visitor Information centre for a talk about the region and then tour the 12 Apostles etc |
| 11am – Team Building | 10.30am Morning Tea | 10:30 – 11:00 Bus to Loch Ard Gorge. |
| | 11:00am – 12.30pm • Giant Swing / High Ropes / Canoeing | 11:00 – 11:45 Loch Ard Gorge visit and explore |
| 12.30pm – Lunch | 12:30pm Lunch | 11:45 – 12:00 Drive to Port Campbell |
| 1:30pm – 3.00pm • Commando / Bush Cooking# Low Ropes/Archery# | 1:30pm – 3.00pm • Giant Swing / High Ropes / Canoeing | 12:00 – 12:40 – Lunch at Port Campbell (Kick footy / explore waterfront) |
| 3:00pm Afternoon Tea | 3:00pm Afternoon Tea | 12:45 – 1:45 Visitor Information Centre Port Campbell |
| 3:30pm – 5.00pm • Commando / Bush Cooking# ow Ropes/Archery | 3.30pm – 5.00pm • Giant Swing / High Ropes Canoeing | 1:45 – 2:55 Return bus trip to Mortlake College |
| 5:00pm Free time | 5:00pm Free time | 2:55 – Arrive back at school |
| 6:00pm Dinner | 6:00pm Dinner | |
| 7.30pm Campfire / Movie # | 7:30pm Disco / camp concert | |
| 9:30pm Supper | 9:30pm Supper | |

EQUIPMENT LIST – Cooriemungle Camp

Essentials

- Pillow case
- Sleeping bag (or tightly packed doona) & sheet
- Towel
- Toiletries – personal
- Lightweight, waterproof jacket.
- Sleepwear
- Clothes for three days (remember it's July / August and the weather could do anything)
- T shirts
- Shorts (2)
- Jumpers (2)
- Trackpants
- Sensible footwear for around camp
- Runners
- Togs
- Sunglasses (nothing worse than headaches from the glare)
- Small backpack for daily use
- Plastic bag for dirty / muddy clothes

Optional

- Spending money (we suggest no more than \$20 for souvenirs & snacks) If you have your own keycards you may take those but we cannot guarantee access to ATM's

NB YOU will be responsible for your own money.

Excluded Items

The following items are **NOT** to be taken on camp.

- Chewing/bubble gum
- Ipods, music players, wireless speakers etc.
- Mobile phones (all adults will have phones)
- Energy or caffeinated drinks of any brand