Thursday 2nd May, 2013

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Senior Camp will be held at Sovereign Hill from Wednesday 31st July to Friday 2nd August, 2013. School Council has endorsed this venue so that we can incorporate the camp experience into our curriculum planning and make the most of the learning opportunities available. Students who do not attend the camp are expected to attend school for the duration of camp.

As mentioned in Epsilon in the first week of term two, the dates for the camp have been brought forward slightly due to a change in the accommodation venue. We will now be staying onsite at the Comfort Inn, Sovereign Hill, Ballarat.

During the camp students will require gumboots, specifically knee-high gumboots, for the gold panning activity as this will require them to stand in a creek; mid-calf gumboots will not effectively prevent their legs and feet from getting wet, and it is quite easy for a student to accidentally empty their pan of water into the smaller gumboots. As it will be mid-winter, we do not want students being unnecessarily cold and wet during the activity. Try borrowing a pair of gumboots, or they can be purchased from Target for under $20.

The all-inclusive cost of the Senior Sovereign Hill Camp is $220.00

Payment options are listed on the Payment Notice below. A camp instalment booklet can be obtained from the office, should you wish to pay camp costs in periodic instalments. If however, you need to make special payment arrangements, please contact the Acting Principal, Meriden James or Acting Assistant Principal, Marie Beale.

To enable us to finalise arrangements, please return the attached permission form, along with a deposit of at least $50, to the school by Tuesday, 10th May, 2013. Full payment is required prior to the camp in order for students to attend, and is due by Thursday 27th June, 2013. A reminder notice will be sent home first week of June.

Regards,
Liz Meade
Senior Camp Co-ordinator
Senior Camp at Sovereign Hill - Permission Form
(Please return Permission Form & Payment Notice to classroom teacher)

I give permission for ____________________________  Home Group: ____
to attend the Senior Camp at Sovereign Hill from Wednesday 31st July to Friday 2nd August, 2013.

Signed: ___________________________________

Payment Notice

Please tick below the method of payment that best suits your needs.

Name of Student: Home Group:

I enclose a deposit ($50 minimum) and will pay the remainder by 27th June 2013. ☐

I enclose a deposit ($50 minimum) and require a camp instalment booklet
(Please pick up from school Office) ☐

I enclose full payment of $220.00 ☐

Payment Options

Cash ☐  Cheque ☐

Credit Card ☐  Credit Card Details (Please circle) Visa MasterCard
Credit Card No: - - - - / - - - - / - - - - / - - - - Expiry Date: - - / - -
Name on Card: ______________________ Signature: ______________________

BPay ☐  Biller Code: 87361 Refer No:

Contact the office for bpay reference number.

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