



# MERCY COLLEGE MACKAY

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15 August 2017

Parents/Guardians:

RE: PE765 RECREATION CAMP

All PE765 RECREATION students are expected to attend a Camp to be held at 'Seaforth Pines' at Seaforth in Week 11 of Semester 2 from **Thursday 5 to Friday 6 October 2017**.

The purpose of the camp is to allow time for students to challenge themselves and each other in an atmosphere of adventure, fun and healthy risk taking. It is also a time for them to exercise their skills and knowledge of First Aid and orienteering. There are a number of leadership and team building activities that will challenge even the most confident of teenagers.

Travel will be by bus, leaving the College at approximately 7.30am on Thursday 5 October however, if it is more convenient and closer for you to drop off and pick up your child from the Camp, you can do so, after notifying the school in writing.

Accommodation will be in dorms; students are placed in groups and will need to bring sleeping bags and pillows. A full catering service of well balanced and nutritious meals will be provided.

The cost of the camp will be **\$125** which must be paid by **Monday 11 September** - this includes transport, all activities, accommodation and food for the two days. A deposit of **\$60.00** is required by **Monday 28 August**. Please contact the Finance Office if you would like to charge this amount to your school fees.


In an environment of natural beauty, the camp promises to be an enjoyable way of developing cooperation, communication and leadership in the students.


Further details on what to bring, sleeping arrangements and activities to be held, will be forwarded to you as the Term progresses.

Please complete the slip below and the attached forms and return them to the Finance Office by **Monday 28 August**, enclosing the permission/medical forms and \$60.00 in an envelope clearly marked with *PE765 Recreation Camp*, the student's name and Homeroom.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on 4969 4199.

Regards

  
Mr Matthew Paul  
Head of Department, Health & Physical Education

  
Mr Jim Ford  
Principal

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## MERCY COLLEGE MACKAY - Recreation Camp

*Please complete return to the Finance Office by Monday 28 August 2017 - PAL*

I \_\_\_\_\_ give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom  
\_\_\_\_\_ to attend the Recreation Camp at Seaforth Pines from Thursday 5 to Friday 6 October 2017.

\$60.00 deposit enclosed

\$125 full amount enclosed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**\*\* I AM AWARE THAT IT IS MY RESPONSIBILITY TO UPDATE MY CHILD'S MEDICAL INFORMATION THROUGH THE OFFICE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# MERCY COLLEGE MACKAY

## PE765 Recreation Camp

### LIST OF ITEMS REQUIRED ON CAMP

#### Sleeping Gear

- Sleeping bag
- Pillow

#### Daywear

- Broad brimmed hat
- 2 x sun safe shirts
- 2 x comfortable shorts (for physical activities)
- Casual clothes for evenings and travel home
- Togs/bathers
- 2 Pairs of old shoes
- Sun shirt for swimming

#### Personal Items

- 2 X Towels
- Toiletries
- Insect repellent
- Sunscreen

#### Other Items

- Bowl
- Plate
- Cutlery (knife, fork, spoon)
- Cup
- Torch
- Water bottle (personal)
- Tea Towel
- Plain flour/self-raising flour and ingredients for damper supplied by 4 people
- Clipboard/Folder and pencil case
- Morning tea (Thursday only)

All items should be clearly marked with your name