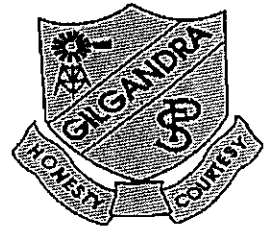




Gilgandra Public School

Honesty & Courtesy



Safe, Respectful, Learners

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Dear Parents/ guardians,

The 2021 Young Leaders Program will involve selected Stage 3 student leaders in a Sustainability Action Plan that not only develops their self-confidence but also enhances the student's voice by building on connections within the school and other student school leaders. The students will complete a water and energy initiative that will contribute to their School Environmental Management Plan, informing Principals with strategies in which to improve and enhance their school environment.

The program involves students attending a leadership camp (Wednesday, 28th April to Friday, 30th April) and is supported by a series of three video conferences.

Cost:

The cost is \$150 per student, which includes all meals, activities and NPWS camping fees.

Travel:

Travel to and from the camp will

The students will be departing from school on Wednesday, 28th April 2021 at approximately and returning on Friday, 30 April 2021 after lunch.

Supervision:

Wes Leedham and Ange Bunner will be the supervising teachers as well as the EEC staff for the entirety of the camp.

Accommodation:

Students and other supervising staff will be staying onsite at the Warrumbungle National Park Environmental Education Centre (WNPEEC).

Venue:

Warrumbungle National Park Environmental Education Centre

Packing List:

Covered in walking shoes

1 litre water bottle or camel pack

old jeans/long pants and long sleeved shirts (for walking through the bush)

comfortable clothes to wear after your shower

underwear

socks

pyjamas

bag for dirty clothes

bag for wet clothes

raincoat

hat

sunscreen

torch

toiletries (including toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, shampoo, conditioner and comb)

bathroom towel and towel (for yoga) or yoga mat

thongs for the shower

sleeping gear - swag or sleeping bag with sleeping mat, pillow

mess kit (including a plate, cutlery and a cup)

money (optional - to purchase souvenirs from the Visitor's Centre)

camera (optional)

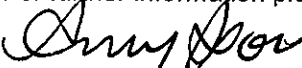
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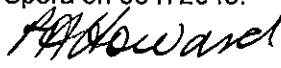
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Food:

The Warrumbungle National Park EEC will provide ALL meals for the duration of the camp. The EEC promotes healthy eating and environmentally friendly food.

For further information please do not hesitate to contact Amy Spora on 68472043.


Classroom Teacher


Principal

Proposed Camp Itinerary

Day 1 - Wednesday 28th April

12.30 - 1.00 pm: Arrive at WNPEEC and Lunch
1.00 - 2.00 pm: Welcome, introduction and ice breaker activities
2.00 - 3.00 pm: What makes a good leader?
3.00 - 4.30 pm: Bush walk and sensory/ trust activities
4.30 - 6.30 pm: Setup camp, showers and camp oven dinner prep.
6.30 - 7.15pm: Dinner and damper cooking for supper
7.15 - 8.30 pm: Guest speaker and aboriginal activities
8.30 - 8.45 pm: Supper and ready for bed
8.45 - 9.00 pm: Bed time
9.00 pm: Lights out

Day 2 - Thursday 29th April

7.15 - 8.00 am: Yoga and wash
7.30 - 8.00 am: Breakfast
8.00 - 9.30 am: Water and Energy & Ipad media skills
9.30 - 2.00 pm: Split Rock walk, morning tea and lunch at summit
2.00 - 3.00 pm: Enviro Art
3.00 - 3.30 pm: Afternoon tea and free time
3.30 - 4.45 pm: Movie making lesson and games
4.45 - 6.00 pm: Showers/ Relax/ games dinner and dessert prep.
6.00 - 6.45 pm: Dinner and camp oven cooking for supper
6.45 - 8.30 pm: Movie
8.30 - 8.45 pm: Supper and ready for bed
8.45 - 9.00 pm: Bed time
9.00 pm: Lights out

Day 3 - Friday 30th April

7.15 - 8.00 am: Yoga and wash
7.30 - 8.00 am: Breakfast
8.00 - 9.30 am: Reflection and debrief
9.30 - 10.15 am: Camp pack up and cleaning
10.15 - 10.30 am: Morning tea
10.30 - 11.45 am: Your school project and a WNPEEC example
11.45 - 12.15 pm: Lunch
12.15 - 12.30 pm: Conclusion

Proposed VC Schedule

VC1

Wednesday 28th April
2:00pm - 2:30pm
Welcome, program introduction, what to bring to camp and what to expect.

VC 2

Friday 29th April
2:00pm - 2:30pm
Project update

VC 3

Friday 30th April
2:00pm - 3:00pm
Project wrap-up

WNPEEC YOUNG LEADERS OF THE WEST CONSENT FORM

I hereby consent to _____ participating in the Young Leaders of the West program.

I understand my child will be travelling in the school car to the WNPEEC. **YES / NO**

I understand that my child will be supervised by WNPEEC. **YES / NO**

I am happy with the accommodation arrangements at the WNPEEC. **YES / NO**

I give permission for my child to receive medical treatment in case of emergency. **YES / NO**

I give permission for my child to have their photo taken and be published by the WNPEEC. **YES / NO**

(Parent/Guardian) Date:

Medical Information

Please complete and return to school ASAP

Privacy Advice

The information provided on this form is being obtained for the purpose of ascertaining relevant medical information, requirements and other health care related needs about your child who may participate in excursions, sporting activities or other educational or school activities conducted by or in conjunction with your school.

The information will be used by officers of the NSW Department of Education and Training to assist planning, to support students, and to minimise risks when conducting school excursions, sporting or other school activities.

Other persons or agencies that may be provided with information include, but are not limited to, volunteers and members of external organisations who join with the school or are otherwise involved in the planning or delivery of the excursion, sporting or other school activity; and persons that may be called upon to provide health care treatment or other assistance during or as a consequence of such excursions or activities.

Provision of this information is not required by law. However a failure to provide the information may mean that your child can not participate in a particular excursion or school activity. In such circumstances the school will make available an alternative educational experience.

Provision of the information will significantly assist the school in planning a safer educational activity.

This information will be stored securely. If you have any concerns about provision of this information, please contact the school principal to discuss further. You may correct any personal information at any time by contacting the school office.

Student Name: _____ **Medicare Number:** __

Parent or caregiver contact details

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home phone: _____

Work phone: _____

Mobile phone: _____

Doctor contact details

Name: _____

Doctor's telephone: _____

Address: _____

Emergency alternative contact/s details

1. **Name:** _____

Phone: _____

2. **Name:** _____

Phone: _____

List existing medical conditions or illnesses (include asthma, diabetes, epilepsy, allergies etc.). Outline treatment for each.

Outline special dietary needs including possible reaction to inappropriate diet.

Medication/s to be administered during the excursion. Include name of medication, instructions for administration, time of administration, and any possible reactions.

Signature of parent or caregiver: _____ Date: _____