

Carey Park Camp, Term 3 2022

Dear parents and whānau,

This year we are heading to Carey Park Camp, Henderson Valley.

Who and when:

Camp 1: Kea syndicate (rooms 1, 2, 9, 11, 16)- Monday 1 August - Wednesday 3 August

Camp 2: Tui syndicate (rooms 5, 6, 7, 8, 10)- Monday 8 August - Wednesday 10 August

Camp 3: Kakapo syndicate (rooms 3, 4, 13, 14, 15)- Monday 15 August - Wednesday 17 August

Where: Carey Park Camp, 397 Henderson Valley Rd, Waitakere, Auckland

Why: Camp is an important part of our EOTC (Education Outside The Classroom) programme.

Children will experience a range of carefully selected activities that they may not have experienced before, learn to take safe risks, build friendships, problem solve, build resilience, and come back with a sense of personal pride and achievement.

What: The children will be sleeping in dorms (bunk rooms) and will be separated by gender.

Trained instructors along with our teachers and parent helpers will lead the children through a range of team building, cooperative, personally challenging and rewarding activities over the three days.

Cost: The Carey Park experience is \$230, and we would appreciate your contribution to support this EOTC programme. This includes: meals, accommodation, all activities, and covers the trained instructors. The bus cost will be covered by the school.

Parents are welcome to make part-payments throughout the term.

Kindo is our preferred payment method, see our website for more details on this. Payments can also be made to our school account:

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Please use your child's first initial and last name, and 'camp' as the reference.

If you wish to discuss payment arrangements, please contact Kelly Clarke on

kelly.c@teatatu.school.nz

Transport: Children and parent helpers will be transported to and from camp by bus. Buses will depart school as follows:

- Camp 1: Kea syndicate (rooms 1, 2, 9, 11, 16)- depart 9.30am Monday 1 August and return Wednesday 3 August at 1.30pm.

- Camp 2: Tui syndicate (rooms 5, 6, 7, 8, 10)- depart 9.30am Monday 8 August and return Wednesday 10 August at 1.30pm.
- Camp 3: Kakapo syndicate (rooms 3, 4, 13, 14, 15)- depart 9.30am Monday 15 August and return Wednesday 17 August at 1.30pm.

We will be sending home more information regarding student permission, parent help, medical forms and a gear list in the coming weeks.

For now, please complete the confirmation form by clicking this link: [Carey Park Camp Confirmation](#)

Nga mihi

Kelly Clarke