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YEAR 6 EXCURSION- LAKE KEEPIT

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

The excursion to Lake Keepit Sport and Recreation Camp will be held on Wednesday 2 March to Friday 4 March 2022. The buses will be leaving from the Upper Street bus bay at **8.15am on Wednesday 2 March**. Students will return at **approximately 2pm Friday 4 March** and will need to be collected from the Upper Street bus bay.

To ensure the event is run as safely as possible, it is asked that students are Covid tested (by using your supplied RAT's) prior to attending the excursion. It is recommended that students are then tested upon returning home. Any positive tests should then follow the normal DET procedure and contact the school.

If your child is unwell prior to the excursion, please do not send them. Those students who are unable to attend to excursion due to illness will be eligible for a refund.

A list of what to pack has been attached to this note for your convenience.

If you have any further questions, please contact your classroom teacher via Class Dojo.

Sincerely,

Mr Scott Schmutter
Stage 3 Assistant Principal (rel).

For the Lake Keepit Excursion, please pack:

- Shorts and t-shirts with sleeves (Please pack shorts of a reasonable length due to harness activities.)
- Jeans
- Jumper and tracksuit pants in case of cooler weather
- Raincoat/jacket
- Underwear
- Swimming costume - must include rash shirt or long-sleeved shirt with collar they can out over their swimmers. (Please note: One-piece swimmers, boardshorts and rash shirts for girls are recommended. Boys will need both boardshorts and a rash shirt).
- Two pairs of running shoes (one pair suitable for water activities) or 1 pair of running shoes and 1 pair of water shoes.
- Old jeans/tights/tracksuit and long sleeve shirt that can get dirty.
- Sun hat – bring your school hat as well as a cap for sailing in windy weather
- Sunscreen
- Sunglasses (at your own risk)
- Two towels (One swimming towel and 1 shower towel)
- Single flat sheet, sleeping bag or doona
- Pillowcase if you plan to use a camp pillow. Alternatively, you can bring your own pillow.
- Toiletries (including soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, toothbrush, hairbrush) and insect repellent (non-aerosol). Please pack Deodorant (no aerosols)
- Torch
- Water bottle
- Camera at your own risk (No Phone Cameras)

Please pack a day backpack for the bus including:

- Water bottle
- Light Snack

Suggested bag size: Your child must be able to carry their bag by themselves.

PLEASE NOTE: NO MOBILE PHONES OR ELECTRONICS WILL BE ALLOWED.
THERE ARE ALSO NO SOUVENIRS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.