

Year 5 Excursion Birrigai Outdoor School

Dear families,

During this term, year 5 have been learning about the 1800s and the events that have had an impact on Australia. An excursion to Birrigai Outdoor School has been planned to provide an authentic experience of life on the goldfields.

Where: Birrigai Outdoor School

When: Friday 18 June 2021

Transport: QCity Transport

Departing: Farrer Primary School at 9:10am
Arriving Birrigai 9:40am

Program Begins: 10:00am (program duration 4 hours)

Program Ends: 2:00pm

Students will have eating time for lunch and recess

Returning: Leaving Birrigai at 2:00pm
Arriving at Farrer Primary School at 2:30pm

What to bring: Students will need to wear full school uniform and bring their lunch and recess in a labelled paper bag or snap lock bag. Students will need a sun safe hat and a water bottle.

Cost: \$44.00

Please fill in the permission / payment note attached and return to school by **Friday 4 June 2021**.

Should you have any questions, please make contact via the front office.

Regards,

Amy Carr and Andrew Gibson
Year 5 Teachers
13 May 2021

Please return permission notes and payments to the Front Office by
Friday 4 June 2021 (week 7 term 2)

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I give permission for my child _____ in 5CG to attend the excursion to Birrigai Outdoor School on **Friday 18 June 2021**.

- I give my child permission to travel by bus to and from Birrigai Outdoor School.
 I have returned the 2021 Master Medical form for my child. Please inform Front Office if this information is NOT current.

Parent Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

In case of emergency

Contact person on the day: _____

Contact person's best phone number on the day: _____

Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while the students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities.

Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property which may occur on an excursions where, in all circumstances, staff have not been negligent. Parents should warn children of the risk to themselves, to others and to property, of impulsive, wilful or disobedient behaviour.

If students choose to engage in behaviours which are considered inappropriate and harmful to others, they will be returned to their homes and the costs involved will be the responsibility of the parents.

The ACT Education Directorate does not provide any insurance cover for injury, disease or illness to students resulting from school activities or school-organised excursions. Claims for compensation are met where there is a legal liability to do so. Liability is not automatic and depends on the circumstances in which any injury, disease or illness was sustained.

As there is no automatic insurance cover for personal injury if your child is injured at school or during a school organised activity/excursion you should therefore consider whether taking out personal insurance cover for your child is warranted. This insurance might cover contingencies including medical/hospital expenses, ambulance transport outside the ACT, and cancellation of transport/accommodation or loss of/damage to luggage.

*The ACT Ambulance Service provides free ambulance transport for students who are injured or suddenly become ill at school or during an approved school organised activity **within the ACT***

Tick Payment Type for the amount of \$44.00

- Cash
- QUICKWEB (preferred payment method)** by going to **Farrer Primary School's Website** click on the **PAYMENT TAB**, you will be redirected to our Westpac Bank account, (this is a secure page). Enter the requested information when prompted.

Fee Code: GOLD

- EFTPOS at the front office

Front office use only

Date payment was completed: _____

Staff member _____