



# Year 5 Camp, 2020

## St Thomas Aquinas West Belconnen

Dear Parents/ Caregivers

The Year 5 camp will be held in Week 5, Term 1, 2020, from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March – Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2020, at Cooba Sport & Education, on the outskirts of Cooma, NSW. Please visit their website: <http://www.cooba.com.au/>

The cost of camp is \$322.00 per child. Payment covers meals (except lunch on Monday), accommodation, resort activities, and transport. Payment must be received in full by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. If payment is not received by this date, your child will not be able to attend. A payment plan, via installments, can be made available to you; please contact Lee Black ASAP to make arrangements if this payment option suits.

Children sleep in single sex, dormitory style accommodation. They will participate in a variety of outdoor activities including ropes courses and water activities. As some of these activities are challenging and will encourage students to work as a team, children's best behaviour is expected, just as it is at school.

The camp will be supervised by Kelly Scanlan, Megan Thomas and 2-3 other members of St Thomas Aquinas staff (with one being an adult male).

Food will be provided on camp however, students are to supply their own recess and lunch for Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2020 and this is to be carried with them in carry-on luggage on the bus. Please ensure that it is not packed in the bag that will be stowed under the bus for the duration of the trip.

We are aware that some children require daily medication. For the safety of all children, teachers will ensure that medications are kept safe and administered at the appropriate times. **All medications must be given to your child's teacher in a clearly labeled snap lock bag or similar packaging with instructions prior to departing school. No child is permitted to self-administer any medications (including Panadol/ Nurofen) other than their asthma puffers.**

Electronic devices are not to be brought to camp, including mobile phones.

If you have any queries please contact Kelly Scanlan or Megan Thomas at school on 6258 4077 or via email;

[Kelly.Scanlan@cg.catholic.edu.au](mailto:Kelly.Scanlan@cg.catholic.edu.au)

[Megan.Thomas@cg.catholic.edu.au](mailto:Megan.Thomas@cg.catholic.edu.au)

Kelly Scanlan and Megan Thomas,  
2020 Year 5 Teachers,  
10<sup>th</sup> December, 2019.

Permission Note – Cooba 2020

**Return forms by Wednesday 18<sup>st</sup> December, 2019.**

I hereby give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the camp at Cooba between Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> to Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2020, and for  
his/her taking part in outdoor activities, including ropes courses and water activities. I  
understand that a bus will transport the children from St Thomas Aquinas Primary School  
to the Cooba Sport and Education Centre at Berrindale and return.

I have included payment. Yes / No

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent / Caregiver)

## **Year 5 Camp - March 2020**

### **What To Bring**

- Please have enough clothes for three days and two nights
- Please label everything clearly

<b>Clothes</b>	<b>Other</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sturdy shoes (Sneakers)</li><li>• Old sneakers for water activity/reef shoes</li><li>• Hat</li><li>• Underwear &amp; Socks</li><li>• Raincoat</li><li>• Jumpers</li><li>• T-shirts (no singlets or midriff tops)</li><li>• Shorts, jeans or tracksuit pants</li><li>• Pyjamas</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sheets &amp; Pillow case</li><li>• Sleeping Bag</li><li>• Water Bottle</li><li>• Toiletries (including soap, but no aerosols)</li><li>• Medication - if necessary</li><li>• Swimmers &amp; Rashie top</li><li>• Swim Towel (&amp; separate bath towel if wished)</li><li>• Plastic Bag for dirty/wet clothes</li><li>• Thongs</li><li>• Insect repellent</li><li>• Paper &amp; pens</li></ul>
<p><u>What not to bring</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lollies &amp; chewing gum</li><li>• Jewellery</li><li>• Mobiles</li></ul>	<p><u>Optional</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Torch</li><li>• Book</li></ul>
<p><u>Monday Morning:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Please supply your child with morning tea and lunch for the bus trip on first day.</li></ul>	