

# Year 5 Outdoor Education Program Information Booklet

Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre | 2025



June 2025

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

Your son will soon be taking part in the Year 5 Indigenous Perspectives Program at Scotts Creek.

A focus will be learning and interacting with Indigenous culture. Students will visit Ngaut Ngaut Conservation Park, a place of great cultural significance for the first nations people of the Mid Murray, Riverland and Mallee. The boys will take part in discussions about the effects of colonization in Australia, and reconciliation, bridging now to next.

They will be exposed to adventure, exploration and creativity whilst developing skills in paddling and camperaft. The camp will provide opportunities for students to work together in small groups to develop teamwork and leadership skills through engaging outdoor activities.

Class teachers will accompany the students and outdoor education staff from the Scotts Creek Campus will facilitate the program.

To help your son prepare for this program, please read this booklet noting the key information you need for a safe, fun and successful camp. You may also like to watch the Parent Information Video about Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre on YouTube! <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tv7-5uCzkPo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tv7-5uCzkPo</a>

We look forward to a fun and adventurous program that will help boys form and strengthen friendships as well as develop confidence for their future Scotts Creek camps.

If you require any further information, please contact me on 0436 636 565 or dcibich@pac.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

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**Daniel Cibich** 

**Director, Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre** 

### **Camp Information**

#### **Dates and Times**

Year 5B: Tuesday 21 – Friday 25 July 2025 Year 5S: Tuesday 12 – Friday 15 August 2025 Year 5M: Tuesday 26 – Friday 29 August 2025

**Depart:** Arrive at school by 8:40am for 8:55am departure from Dequetteville Terrace.

**Return:** Approximately 2:30pm to PAC.

#### **Consent Forms**

- You will receive excursion information and consent in your **Parent Lounge.**
- Access via Home Page under (Events and Payments). View 'Other Details' and accept T&Cs and advise dietary requirements 2-weeks before the camp date.

#### **Medical and Dietaries**

- Log on to the PAC Parent Lounge and check that the **medical and dietary details** are up to date.
  - o If you have any access issues, please contact ICT Services <a href="mailto:ictservices@pac.edu.au">ictservices@pac.edu.au</a>
- Pack any specialist and prescription medication e.g. Ventolin, EpiPen etc.
- Inform the class teacher and Daniel Cibich of any current medication or special concerns
- ALL medication (prescription and over the counter, e.g. Panadol), must be accompanied by a completed, signed by a GP HSP151 Medication Agreement (copy at the back of this booklet).

#### **Packing List**

Refer to the enclosed gear and equipment list. Make sure to include clothing which can get wet or dirty. Please see that all items listed are brought along and named.

#### **Accommodation**

During the camp the students will sleep in a tent and dorm style accommodation.

#### Food

Students will be required to bring morning tea and lunch for day 1 of the program. Please do not bring any fruit or vegetable items to the Riverland region.

All food will be provided from afternoon tea on day. Please ensure your sons dietary information is updated through the camp consent on the parent lounge.

#### COVID-19

If your son has tested positive for Covid in the 7-days prior to the start date, please do not send him on camp. Please do not send your son if he is unwell, displaying symptoms of Covid-19 OR is being tested for Covid-19.

## **Intended program**

Year 5 – 2025					
	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
AM					
	Depart PAC				
	8:45am	Treasure			
		Hunt		Bushwalk	
	Arrive Ngaut		Canoeing		
	Ngaut Caves	Shelter	Skills session		
		Building			
	Camp			Camp	
	Introduction	Nature Art		reflection	
	and				
	Welcome				
PM					
	Ngaut Ngaut				
	Caves tour	Campfire	Canoeing	Depart	
		and Cooking	journey	SCOC	
	Travel to				
	Scotts Creek			Arrive PAC	
				approx.	
	Evening	Evening	Evening	2:30pm	
	activity	activity	activity		
Sleeping	Dorms	Dorms	Tents		

## **Gear and Equipment List**

Quantity	Item	Notes
1	Small backpack	
1	Broad brimmed hat	
1	Water Bottle	
2	Pairs of shoes	1 x old pair for aquatic activities (these will get wet)
		1 x comfortable pair for around the campsite
2	Pairs of shorts	
3	T-shirts	
1	Bathers and swimming clothes	Rash top or t-shirt for swimming + Board shorts
2	Long pair of pants	For warmth at night
2	Jumper	
1	Towel	Shower towel
4	Sets of underwear	
4	Pairs of socks	
1	Pyjamas	
1	Beanie	
1	Rain Jacket	
1	Folk, Spoon and Knife	
1	Plate, Bowl and Cup	
1	Torch	Ensure has working batteries
1	Fitted single bed sheet	Optional for dorm mattress comfort
1	Sleeping bag	
1	Pillow	
2	Garbage bags	To put wet clothes in
1	Personal toiletries	Soap, toothbrush and toothpaste.
1	Insect Repellent	
1	Sunscreen + Lip balm	
	Food	- Day 1 Morning Tea
		- Day 1 Lunch

<sup>\*</sup>Please ensure all items are labeled with student name

#### Items we encourage you to bring...

- ✓ Musical Instrument
- ✓ Book
- ✓ Notepad and pen
- ✓ Small card games

#### Items to leave at home...

- \* Mobile phones and any electronic equipment
- Smart Watches
- × Over the Counter medication unless accompanied by a medication agreement
- Junk food (chips, soft drink, lollies etc)
- Fruit and Veg the Scotts Creek is in a fruit fly restriction zone
- **✗** No money is required during the program



# Medication Agreement

This form is developed in partnership and has co-ownership with the South Australian

for education and care



This information is confidential and will be available only to relevant staff and emergency medical personnel. Medication Agreements that are modified, overwritten or

The legal guardian or adult student can complete the medication agreement authorising education and care staff to administer medication as instructed. All sections of the 'Authorisation' section must be checked to confirm authorisation to administer in an education or care service by the legal guardian or adult student. A treating health professional may assist the legal guardian or adult student to complete this form.

A registered health professional (ie medical consultant, specialist nurse, GP, Dentist) must complete the 'Agreement' section for any Controlled Drug (S8) (including morphine, dexamphetamine and codeine), where oxygen or insulin is required to be administered in education or care, or where pain relievers (paracetamol or ibuprofen) are required to be administered regularly or for more than 72 continuous hours, Where midazolam is prescribed this must be documented on an INM Medication Agreement HSP153 form.

#### PARENT/GUARDIAN OR ADULT STUDENT TO COMPLETE:

Education or care service email: (if known)						
Name of child or young person:						
Date of birth:	Date of next review:					
Allergies:						
MEDICATION INSTRUCTIONS						
The medication instructions must match EXACTLY the pharmacy label on the medication or medication will not be administered						
Medication name	TIME(S)  To be administered within ½ hour of specified time(s):					
Form ( liquid, tablet, capsule, lotion, oxygen, inhaler, injection) Route (skin, oral, ir subcutaneous)						
Strength (mg or mg/ml)  Dose (the number of be written)	of tablets or mls must Start date					
Other instructions for administration (when not appropriate to administer; how to food; any changes to medication prior to administration i.e. crushing)	administer i.e. with  End date  Medication Agreement ceases to be valid as at this date. Not required for long term medication.					
AUTHORISATION AND RELEASE						
The medication documented above is required to be administered d	uring attendance at the education or care service.					
The medication documented above is NOT a Controlled Drug (S8), oxygen, insulin or pain relief that requires administration for more than 72 continuous hours (if it is yes, 'Agreement' section must be completed by a health professional).						
Where the medication is a prescription medication; the medication h						
I confirm this medication has been administered to my child previously (a first dose cannot be administered in education or care).						
My child is well enough for school (no active fever, no diarrhea or vomiting, able to eat and drink as per normal, enough energy to participate throughout the day) and if there is a change in my child's health condition I will be called to collect them.						
I understand the medication provided must have a pharmacy label to medication will not be administered.	hat matches the information in the Medication Agreement or the					
I approve the release of this information to supervising staff and emergency personnel (if required).						
I authorise the medication as instructed above to be administered in the education or care setting.						
I certify the above statements are true and correct.						
Legal guardian/ or adult student/client						
First name (please print) Family name (please	print)					
Email address or signature:	Date:					
AGREEMENT: REGISTERED HEALTH PROFESSIONAL TO COMPLETE (must complete for Controlled Drugs (S8), oxygen, insulin or pain relief required to be administered regularly or for more than 72 hours)						
I agree the medication instructions as written above are appropriate for administration in the education or care setting						
I authorise delegation to the WCHN Access Assistant Program/RN I	Delegation of Care Program (if required)					
(print name & practice/hospital or stamp)  Date						
Pro	fessional role					
	ail address or nature					

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