

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are excited to have arranged for our Year 7 students to enjoy the magic of an AQWA Shark Sleepover - a camping experience with a difference! Your child is in for a fun-filled night of discovery as they:

- Explore AQWA after hours on a guided tour of our indoor exhibits,
- Enjoy dinner and breakfast in the AQWA Café
- Take part in crafts & enjoy an ocean-themed movie

• "Camp" out in AQWA's underwater tunnel surrounded by sharks, stingrays, turtles and hundreds of fish!

- Explore AQWA's outdoor exhibits, including;
 - O The famous touch pool where students can interact with living sea creatures O AQWA's coral reef - one of the largest living coral reef displays in the world
 - O See the magical schooling fish at the AQWA Marina

On the following day, students will then travel to Perth Zoo where they will continue their biological extravaganza with guided activities around the zoo and a special education program: Fantastic Beasts and How to Name Them.

Included with this letter are the following documents that need to be completed for each participant:

-Parent/Guardian Consent Form

-Enrolment & Medical Form

-Safety and Behaviour Policy

All documents will need to be provided by the 24th of March. Participants will not be allowed to enter AQWA if these forms aren't received. It is important that you are honest with us about any medical condition or medication requirements your child may have. Your child's health and well-being is our greatest priority but is ultimately your responsibility. If you wish to speak to someone regarding your child's medical condition or requirements before the camp, please contact us on (08) 9293 5333 or heather.hughes@cac.wa.edu.au. Please also be assured that all teachers and AQWA representatives are specially trained and hold as a minimum;

- Current police clearances;
- Working with children certification; and
- First aid certification to the level of Apply First Aid or higher.

PRIMARY CAMPUS (08) 9291 6399

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secondary campus (08) 9293 5333

210 Glenisla Road, Carmel WA 6076 www.carmelcollege.wa.edu.au ABN 53 105 583 935 There will be a supervision ratio of two AQWA staff members and four teachers at the camp.

DETAILS

| Departure/Arrival: | Departure time 12:30 pm on Monday 3 rd of April. Estimated time of return 3:10 pm on 4 th of April. | |
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| Cost: | All camp costs have already been incorporated into the fee structure. No further payment is required. Students are able to bring a maximum of \$20 for spending money. | |
| Notes for Monday | Students are required to wear their PE Uniform on Monday. They will change after swimming on Monday afternoon at Sorrento Beach. | |
| | Lunch, snacks and water must be provided for Monday lunch and recess. | |
| | Luggage needs to be kept to a reasonable amount. | |
| Junk Food and Drinks | Lollies, chips, energy drinks, chewing gum etc. are not permitted and will be confiscated. | |
| Emergency Contact Number: | Heather Hughes 0466 112 254 | |
| Please return the attached | l forms to the Front Office by Friday 24 th March. | |

Regards, Heather Hughes heather.hughes@cac.wa.edu.au

| What to Brin | ig - Ch | ecklist |
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□ Pillow

| □ Single-sized camping mat or air mattress to sleep on – the mat/mattress |
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| must be SINGLE sized. Otherwise, it will not fit in the tunnel. |

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| | Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo etc. – please note there are no |
| | shower facilities available at AQWA, however, students will be able to shower |
| | at Craigie Swimming Pool) |

□ Warm pyjamas to sleep in (the tunnel can be cold) and weather-appropriate clothes for the next day

U Water bottle

Prior to the Sleepover

- \Box Completed medical form
- Completed parental enrolment and consent form
- Competed Safety and Behaviour Policy Form

Year 7 Camp 2023 Itinerary

| | " Monday | Tuesday |
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| RISE & SHINE | | 6:00 am Pack up belongings and bring to the |
| | | entrance |
| BREAKFAST | | 6:30 am Continental Breakfast in the AQWA |
| | | Cafe |
| MORNING | 9:00 am – 12:30pm | 7:00 am Explore AQWA's outdoor exhibits |
| | Chapel | |
| | Cross Country | 8:00 am Morning Worship |
| | | 8:30 am Depart for the Zoo |
| | | 9:30 am Arrive at the Zoo |
| | | 9:30 am – 12:15 pm Students to complete activities in small groups. |
| | | 12:10 pm – Meet for education experience "Fantastic Beasts and How to Name Them." |
| LUNCH | 12:30 pm Lunch at School | 1:30 pm Lunch (provided for students) |
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| AFTERNOON | | 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm Final exploratory session |
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SEA FOR YOURSELF

Shark Sleepover - Enrolment Form

| | Child's Name: Child's Age |
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| | Home Address: |
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| | Emergency Contact Person & Number: |
| (A | EDICAL INFORMATION I information will be treated confidentially- if yes to any of the below questions you will be itacted by an AQWA staff member prior to the sleepover) |
| 1. | Does your child have any specific health problems/conditions? (Eg asthma, epilepsy, autism, migraine, heart condition etc) |
| 2. | Does your child suffer any allergies? (E.g. foods, bites or stings, medications, adhesive plasters etc) |
| 3. | Is your child taking any medication for any health problems? YES / NO If yes – give details. Can your child administer his/her own medication? |
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| 4. | When did your child last have a tetanus booster? |
| 5. | Any other important information? (Please attach) |
| Pa | rent /Guardian Consent |
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I hereby state that my child is in good health and is able to participate in activities associated with AQWA's Shark Sleepover. To the best of my knowledge the above medical information is true and correct.

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Parent/Guardian signature ____



SEA FOR YOURSELF

Shark Sleepover - Parent / Guardian Consent

I,, agree to my child taking part in a

Shark Sleepover at AQWA (The Aquarium of Western Australia) on ____/

1) I consent to my child undergoing any emergency medical treatment required upon the advice of a medical practitioner, and will meet the expenses incurred.

Name of Family Doctor

Family Doctor Telephone no.....

- Name of Emergency Contact.
 Address.
 Contact telephone number (H).
 Relationship of emergency contact.
- 2) I consent to my child being treated by qualified first aid AQWA staff member in the event of a minor or major first aid incident. Please note AQWA staff are unable to administer any medication and can only assist your child. In case of an emergency, 000 will be called.
- 3) I have read and understood the terms and conditions of an AQWA sleepover

WHILE AQWA STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS WILL CLOSELY SUPERVISE ALL ACTIVITIES, I UNDERSTAND THAT AQWA IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INJURIES THAT MAY OCCUR.

Parent/Guardian Signature: ______ Date: ____/ _____

Safety and Behaviour Policy

Considerate and sensible behaviour with due regard for the we-being of others, and respect for the environment, should preclude the need for strict rule enforcement.

There are some areas, as indicated below, about which students need to be aware if a harmonious and worthwhile camp is to be affected.

GENERAL BEHAVIOUR

Students are expected to abide by the Carmel College behavioural expectations as outline on the Carmel College website (and in SEQTA). They are to show respect and show exceptional manners at all times.

SLEEPING

Students are expected to keep their sleeping areas neat and tidy. Girls are not allowed into the boy's sleeping area at any time. The boys are not allowed in the girls' sleeping area at any time. After lights out, silence is expected until morning.

MEALS

Students are expected to use manners at all times. Duties will be given to students who choose not to use correct table etiquette.

CLOTHING

Our camp activities are all active, and students must be prepared with appropriate clothing. Students will be required to wear their PE uniform on Monday whilst participating in the annual cross-country event. They may change into free dress after swimming at the Sorrento Beach. It is important that clothing is modest (particularly swimwear) and does not have inappropriate slogans.

PRIVACY

Students are expected to maintain personal privacy. Appropriate facilities must be used and modesty upheld when using the bathroom and when changing clothes.

DEVICES

Electronic devices are not allowed on camp.

In the event that students need to get in contact with parents or guardians, a teacher will allow supervised access to a telephone.

Students with cameras must ensure that they are using them in a respectful manner.

Photographs should not be taken of students who indicate they are unwilling. Photographs should also not be shared (in either physical or electronic form) without the express consent of the subject **and** their parents/guardians.

SWEETS AND SOFT DRINKS

Any sweets, chips and soft drinks brought on camp will be confiscated.

PUNISHMENT FOR BREACH OF POLICY

Minor breaches will result in extra duties and/or loss of privileges. Major breaches may result in students returning home at their parents' expense.

Remember, a great camp happens when we all: use excellent manners, share, cooperate, think for ourselves, and consider the needs of others!

Camp Organisers realise the responsibility parents give them when allowing their child to attend camp and endeavour to cover all eventualities. The organisers, like parents, place trust in the students to demonstrate sensible behaviour at all times. All camps are an extension of school and carry the same rules and responsibilities. In addition, AQWA has a set of conditions that must be observed. Students failing to comply with this contract may be returned to home/school at their parent's expense.

Parents/Guardians:

I agree to inform the organisers before the scheduled camp departure of any change to my child's health so that appropriate supervision may be arranged. I acknowledge that, in the event of accident or serious illness, the school will take my child for medical assessment/treatment as soon as possible.

I give my son/daughter ______ permission to attend the Year 7 School Camp from 3rd - 4th of April, 2023.

| Parent/Guardian Signature | Date: |
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Student:

I understand and agree to abide by all camp rules and restrictions. I also agree that if I infringe any of the rules and expectations, I may be returned to my home/school at my parent/guardian's expense.

| Student Signature | Date: | |
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