



Grade 4 Camp 2026

Queenscliff
YMCA Camp

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Group 1: 19th-21st October

Group 2: 21st-23rd October

Camp Wyuna
YMCA



Purpose and Expectations

- Develop independence
- Outdoor experiences
- Foster existing friendships
- Develop skills for initiating and building new friendships
- Interpersonal skills
- Safe risk taking with the support of friends and staff
- A willingness to take part with enthusiasm

Supervision

- School Staff (including a First Aid Officer)
- Teaching staff as well as at least one member from the Leadership Team
- Fully trained camp staff
- We will send forms out for parents to express interests in volunteering.

Food

- All dietary requirements will be catered for. Please clearly specify any requirements when answering questions on the deposit compass event.
- The kitchen is a nut aware environment.
- There is no need for students to pack additional food except for their snack and lunch on the first day.

Sleeping Arrangements

- Each room holds 4 students with 2 rooms sharing a bathroom.
- Accommodation will be allocated taking into consideration student preferences
- Bunk beds: Australian Standards for bunk beds includes the guidelines that sleep walkers and bed wetters must not use top bunks.
- All rooms are comfortable for students. There is heating and cooling
- Students/adults will be grouped based on gender



Medical

- There will be a First Aid officer from KCPS at camp, alongside camp staff.
- Any students with **Asthma or Anaphylaxis** will be required to fill out an additional form. This will be sent home.
- Paracetamol, ibuprofen and antihistamine will be provided by the school.
- If your child requires any additional medication, you'll need to fill out the medication authority form.
- Only prescribed and additional medications will need to be provided.

What to Bring

- Suggested packing list will be posted on compass
- Majority of the time is OUTDOORS—hats, sunscreen, insect repellent, appropriate clothing for weather and purpose
- Morning Tea and Lunch for the first day. All other food will be provided

What not to Bring

- Electronics including Nintendo switch, mobile phones, iPads or iPods, smartwatches. If these are brought they will be kept with the teachers
- Cameras
- Any valuable clothing or items
- Any form of food (including lollies, chips, chocolates etc.) There is plenty of food provided and we do NOT want any sick children from overeating



Communication

- If there is a need for any parent to be called, we will immediately call the school who will in turn call any relevant parents or nominated emergency contacts
- Any parents who need to contact the camp should call the school, who will call staff at the camp.
- There will be a mobile number sent to parents to contact, in case of an emergency for outside school hours.
- Staff will carry mobile phones at all times
- Students will not require mobile phones. If these are taken to camp they will be held onto by staff until students return to school
- To ensure all students have the greatest opportunity to participate effectively in the program, the Student Code of Conduct (available on the school's website) will apply at all times. Any child not complying with the Code of Conduct will be returned to school and the cost of the camp forfeited.

Activities

The campsite has a range of activities:

- Canoeing
- Nature's pizza oven
- Boogie boarding
- Beach games
- Photo trail hunt
- Sand sculpture competition



Wet Weather

- The YMCA Camp staff along with KCPS staff will decide to cease outdoor activities depending on the extent of the weather conditions.
- In the case of lightning, all outdoor activities will cease immediately.
- The Camp has indoor activity rooms available

COVID Safe plans

Physical Distancing Requirements

A distance of 1.5m between people throughout our facilities and programs where possible.

All INDOOR spaces have been measured and 4m² capacity restrictions are in place for all facilities and spaces.

All OUTDOOR spaces have been measured and 2m² capacity restrictions are in place for all facilities and spaces INDOORS. Staff, visitors and customers will be counted as they enter and exit facilities

Removal of seats and equipment has occurred to ensure social distancing. High traffic areas such as the dining room will have separate entry and exit doors

Signage & Instruction

Throughout each Facility you will find signage and instructions on how staff and customers can be COVIDSafe.

Indoor and Outdoor spaces - density Quotient must be adhered to

Hygiene signage and floor, seat and bench decals have been installed to assist with distancing.

Hygiene & Cleaning

Each facility has hand sanitiser stations at entry/exit, in high touch point areas and areas of high traffic.

Cleaning has been increased with regular touch point cleans, 24-hour facility cleans and ready for decontamination cleans in the event of a confirmed case of COVID-19

Training for Staff

All staff have completed online DHHS approved Infection Control Training/or NSW Food Handlers COVID SAFE Training.

Staff have also undergone Y Geelong training and signed a commitment to being COVIDSafe.

Role specific training has also been completed to ensure all programs the Y offers within our facilities are COVIDSafe. Designated COVID MARSHAL training has been provided to authorized officers.

Process for a confirmed COVID case or close contact

In the event of a confirmed case of COVID-19 or a staff member, guest of the Y has been a close contact of a COVID 19 case. Refer to YMCA Geelong COVID Safe Plan Pages 12-15

This procedure ensures isolation, reporting, tracing and cleaning occurs before an area or facility can reopen.

Everyone who enters our facilities will have their details recorded to assist with case tracing.

Payment

- The camp will cost approximately \$414.
- \$80 non-refundable deposit is required to secure your child's place. This will be due on Compass by the 7/08/2026. **NO PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.**
- The final balance will be due 11/09/2026.
- Use of CSEF money can be arranged through the front office. In case of financial hardship, please contact Karen at the front office.
- No refunds will be offered if your child is sent home from camp due to misconduct or if activities are missed due to wet weather.
- If you have any concerns about payments please let your child's classroom teacher or the office staff know.
- Camp is a great opportunity which we encourage all children to participate in.

Questions?