

Monday 3rd March 2025



Year 3 - 6 Pirongia Forest Park Lodge. Term 1, Week 10

Whānau Camp Information Afternoon/Evening

Wednesday, 26th March

(P) 2:00 - 3:00 PM | (1) 5:30 - 6:30 PM



As part of our health and safety preparations for camp, we are holding an information session for whānau.

- The first 30 minutes is for all whānau to receive general camp information.
- The second 30 minutes is specifically for whānau attending camp, where we will go through essential health and safety procedures.

We encourage all whānau to attend to ensure a safe and successful camp experience for our tamariki.

Teachers are completing site visits this week

To ensure the health and safety of our students, the Year 3-6 teachers and school leaders at Deanwell School are conducting site visits for the upcoming camp at Pirongia Forest Park. These visits allow staff to assess facilities, sleeping arrangements, kitchen setup, and planned activities such as climbing, ziplining, orienteering, caving and walking.

Site Visit Schedule:

- Monday, 3rd March at 3:15 pm Teachers will visit Pirongia Forest Park Lodge to review the lodge, parking, sleeping arrangements, kitchen, and activity areas.
- Wednesday, 5th March at 8:15 am Teachers will complete the Kaniwhaniwha Walk + Cave and visit the location of the Karamu Caves.
- Friday, 7th March (9:30 am 2:30 pm) Some Teachers will complete an exploration of the Karamu Caves.

These visits are an important step in ensuring a safe and well-prepared experience for our students.

PLEASE NOTE:

All student consent forms and health profiles should have been returned.

IF NOT please send them in immediately

NEXT WEEK:

We will be sending out the **Gear list/Passenger permission form/EOTC Volunteer Agreement**Police Vet Check results are currently being received, which is fantastic.

