

Brigades 17 / 18 Family Holiday Camp

The Boys' Brigades - Waipara Adventure Centre

27th December 2017 - 3rd January 2018



Web site - www.bbcanterbury.org.nz

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 4/12/2017

WHO CAN ATTEND

This is a Christian based camp for adult individuals and families, especially for families of Brigade Boys and Girls and families who enjoy camping in a relaxed atmosphere with other Christian families.

A camp "family" may consist of any parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles or other relatives, in a ratio of at least one parent or caregiver over 20 years old to every 4 Youth / Children.

Come for a few days, or all eight days. Meet new friends and maybe meet friends you haven't chatted with for ages. Enjoy the lovely atmosphere at Waipara, amongst like minded families at a holiday location, which is exclusive to our group.

There will be minimal organisation, but will include optional programmed activities for children, teens and adults. To promote a degree of fellowship and belonging, all campers will meet together for the evening meal.

CAMPSITE ATTRACTIONS

The Boys' Brigade Waipara Adventure Centre is an approx. 6 hectares campsite on the south bank of the Waipara river, where summer daytime temperatures are mostly in the 20 to 35 C range and thus too hot and dry for sand flies.

The camp has formed a 1 hectare aquatic recreational area in the river bank just outside the campsite boundary fence, specifically for water activities including swimming and Canoes/boating activities.

Inside the boundary fence, the campsite has a BMX track, Adventure playground, Sports field, Swings, 9 metre Abseiling wall, Frisbee Golf course, Gaga dodge ball, 4 Trampolines, Mini golf course, Petanque court, Volley ball net - Water slide, Flying fox and Archery range.

Under shelter, there is opportunity for various crafts, computer games, video work (watching and making), etc.

KARAKIA

Each morning a karakia session will be held. During these sessions our relationship with God will be explored through story, teaching, music and activities. There will be two groups, under 10 year olds, and all others. You are strongly encouraged to attend one of these groups.

CAMP NEWSLETTER

An in camp newsletter, Guyrope Gossip, issued daily will be available for all campers. This will give daily information, menus, daily rosters, a prayer or thought for the day, and other various activities throughout the camp.

REMINDER

Feel free to bring your bike, so you can ride it around camp, and remember to wear your helmet.

PROGRAMME

The optional activities programme is run by volunteers. These volunteers are campers like you, in fact it could be you, as you might be asked to run or help out with one of the many activities on offer. Please let Sam Beaumont or Kim van Rijn know, before camp if possible, if you have an activity that you are willing to run or help with. Please e-mail: Sam.beaumont@clear.net.nz or Wendy.warwickanderson@xtra.co.nz

The aim is to provide a varied programme including an orientation activity to get familiar with the campsite, choice days, team challenges, a mission, and a daytrip/picnic. There will also be a concert so please come to camp prepared with a skit or talent to share.

The activities are for all age groups (young and old) except for abseiling and archery where there is a minimum age limit for safety reasons. Please note there is a minimal surcharge for both abseiling and archery, to cover replacement costs of the equipment. On the first day of camp and during camp there will be information about the programme on a whiteboard in the Main building. In the afternoon before each choice day you will be asked to register for the activities you want to do the next day. Please note; register for a different activity in each of the two timeslots (i.e. no repetition), this ensures that everyone will get a turn.

Choice day activities are on average 1-1 ½ hours long. The numbers to each activity will be capped due to supervision and safety issues. Parents, if you would like to do an activity with your child/ren, you will need to register your name for the activity as well.

Possible activities are: (depending on people willing to run these)

Archery	1/2 day walk	Flying kiwi	Beading	Canoeing
Oamaru Stone	Sky sailing	Mountain biking	Card making	Hydraulic rockets
Flying fox		Low ropes course	Bridge Building	Team building
Tree Climbing	Clay modelling	Rock art	Silk Screening	
ATV chariot rides	Mountain biking	Board games	Abseiling/Rock climbing	Gravity Karts

At times there are events/activities in the greater Waipara area which campers might be interested participating in. We will try to advertise these local attractions, however it is the camper's responsibility to organise this themselves, if they would like to participate i.e. .Train trip, winery trip etc.. Any costs associated with these extracurricular activities are the campers own responsibility.

CRECHE

A crèche for the little people may be held in the afternoon from 3.30pm to 5.00pm. If there is a demand for it.

CANTEEN

A canteen will operate during the camp. The terms of trading are by setting up a credit balance, on arrival at camp.

Purchases will be deducted from your account. Any credit balance left on your card at the time of leaving camp, will be refunded.

<u>Tentative camp programme 2017 / 2018-</u> programme may vary due to weather etc.								
	Wednesday 27	Thursday 28	Friday 29	Saturday 30	Sunday 31	Monday 1	Tuesday 2	Wednesday 3
8:15am		Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST	Breakfast call helpers call BREAKFAST
8:20am								
8:30-9:00am								
9:30-10:30am		Karakia	Karakia	Karakia	Karakia	Karakia	Karakia	Karakia
10:30-11:00am		Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
11:00-12:00		Team Activity	Chosen Activity	Team Activity	Chosen Activity	Team Activity	Chosen Activity	11.30-12.00 Scavenger hut
12:15pm		Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH	Lunch helpers call Lunch call LUNCH
12:20pm								
12:30-1:30pm								
2:00-3:00pm	Camp starts	Team Activity	Chosen Activity	Team Activity	Chosen Activity	Team Activity	Chosen Activity	Camp clean-up Camp over
3:00-3:45pm	Break	Break / Canteen	Break / Canteen	Break / Canteen	Break / Canteen	Break / Canteen	Break / Canteen	
3:45-5:00pm	Orientation Activity	Team Activity Challenge	Free time Crèche	Team Activity Challenge	Free time Crèche	Team Activity Challenge	Free time Crèche	
5:15pm	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	Dinner helpers call Dinner call DINNER	
5:20pm								
5:30-7:00pm								
7:30pm	Evening Program Activity - Possible activities during the camp could be, Flag 500, Wide games, Camp concert, Movies etc.							
9:00pm	Supper	Supper	Supper	Supper	Supper	Supper	Supper	
10:00pm	Quiet time	Quiet time	Quiet time	Quiet time	Quiet time	Quiet time	Quiet time	

CATERING

The first catered meal will be dinner on the 27th December and the last will be lunch on the 3rd January.

Evening meals will be cooked for all campers in the main kitchen and eaten in the main dining room and hall.

All bedroom occupants will need to have fully catered meals as there are no food preparation facilities available in the Training Centre. Catered breakfasts and lunches will also be provided for those tent and caravan dwellers, that request them on their registration form. Alternatively breakfasts and lunches may be self catered, using the facilities at Tui kitchen dining room or your own caravan or tent equipment.

ROSTERS

To ease the day to day running of Camp life, adults and teens will be rostered to various duties. Please make yourself available to attend to them. If you are unable to on that given time or day, you are free to change with another person. There will be a committee member available, to call on for help if you are unsure about your duty of the day. The health and safety of all campers are very important.

CAMP CATERED MEALS - Dinner - Lunch - Breakfast

The camp Kitchen will supply plates, cups and cutlery for meals supplied by the camp kitchen

If you are self catering your own Breakfast and / or Lunch you will need to bring your own plates, cups and cutlery.

CASUAL MEALS

The camp has catered only for those meals, as shown on the registration form. However, through daily absences and late cancellations, lunches and dinners may be available for family or friends who visit for the day. Please ask the hosts, or their nominated person, if someone may stay for a meal.

	Adult 18 plus	Youth 14 to 17 year old	Child 5 to 13 year old	Preschool 0 to 4 year olds
Dinner and Dessert	\$13 00	\$12.00	\$11.00	<i>Free</i>
Lunch	\$11.00	\$10.00	\$9.00	<i>Free</i>
Breakfast	\$5.50	\$5.00	\$4.50	<i>Free</i>

ACCOMMODATION

Caravan and tent sites

There are plenty of sheltered camping areas around the site. 40 sites, 27 of them have access to power.

Campers occupying tents and / or caravans will have the use of Tui Lodge and the Redwood Shelter for breakfast and lunch preparation, if so required.

Campers wishing to bring a dog to camp, will be required to camp in a designated area, and have the dog on a lead at all times.

Family Bedrooms - Stedfast Lodge

There are 12 family bedrooms available, on a first registered first allocated basis.

Training centre

1 room sleeps 4 - 1 double bed - 1 x bunk bed.

1 room sleeps 5 – 1 double bed with single bed above - 1 x bunk bed.

10 rooms each sleeping 4 – 2 x bunk beds.

Shared Bunk Rooms - William Smith Centre (Main Building)

Main Building

9 bunkrooms for those people who just want a bunk and who are prepared to share a room with others.

3 rooms each sleep 6 - 4x bunk beds - 2 high

5 rooms each sleep 4 - 2x bunk beds - 2 high

1 room sleeps 20 - 10 bunk beds - 2 high

Tui cabins - located in Tui area

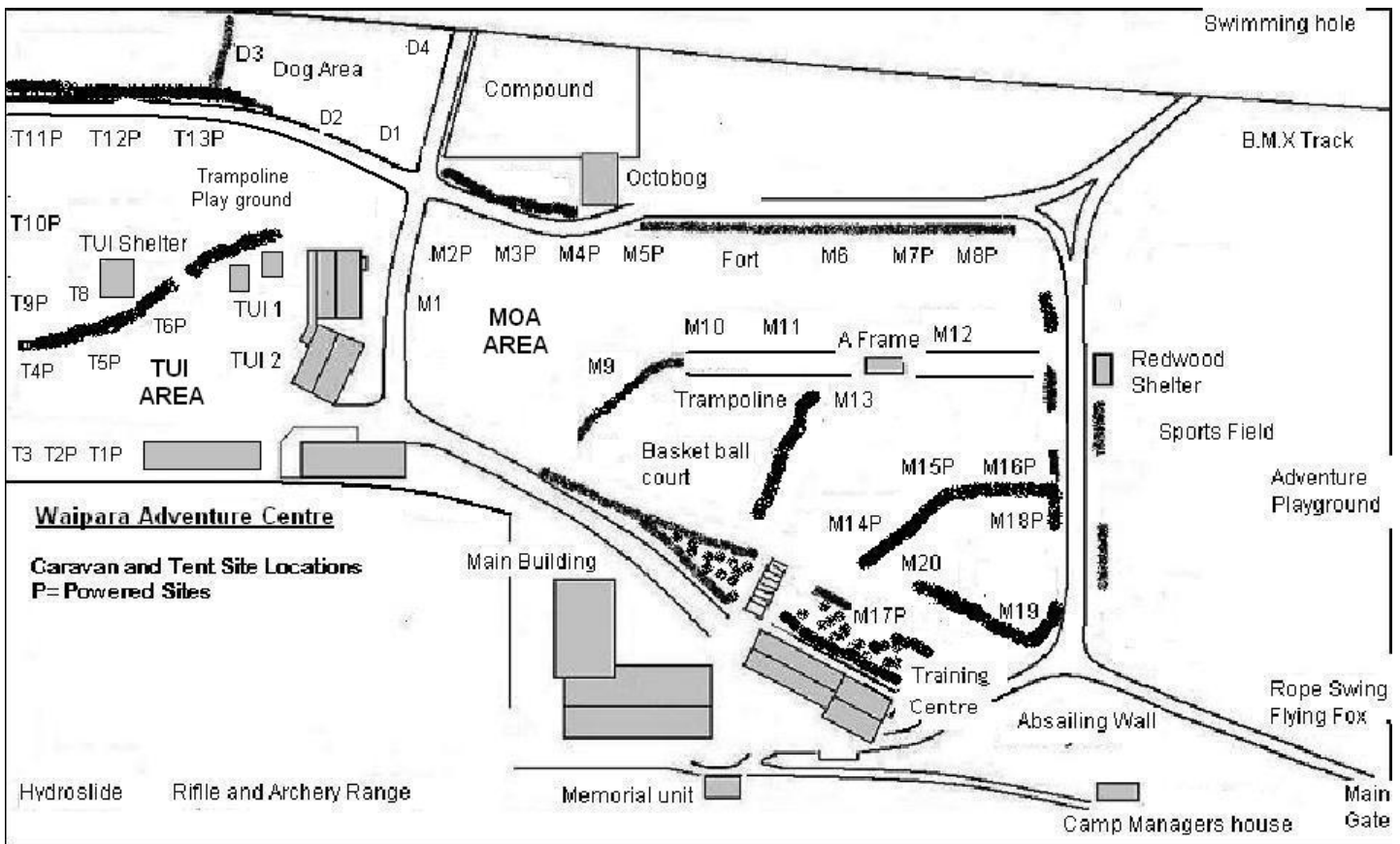
Cabin 1 - Double bed & 1 bunk - sleeps 4

Cabin 2 - double bed with single bunk above - sleeps 3

FACILITIES

- The Main Block ablutions are available to ALL campers.
- The Training Centre ablutions are for the use of those occupying the bedrooms.
- The paraplegic shower and toilet can be found in the Training Centre for those campers that need to use it.
- The MAIN KITCHEN is out of bounds to ALL CAMPERS, not currently on kitchen duties.
- The preparation of all food is NOT allowed in the Training Centre.
- The kitchen at Tui 2, is available for the preparation of food, but must be vacated from 9:00 to 10:30 am, and 3:00 to 5:00pm daily.

CAMP SITE LAYOUT



Main building

Camp Office
Main hall / Dining hall
Camp Kitchen
Bunk rooms
Toilets and showers
(available to all campers)

Training centre

Large Lounge
Small lounge
Family rooms
Paraplegic toilet and shower
(available to all campers)

Memorial unit

Chaplin

Tui Area

Tui 1 and Tui 2
Lounge
Dining room
Kitchen
Toilets and showers
Washing machine and dryer
(available to all campers)

Tui cabins 1 & 2

Tui Shelter

Moa Area

Octobog
Toilets and showers
Washing machine
(available to all campers)
A frame Toilets.
Redwood shelter

CAMP FEES

groups

Age

*Adult 18 years and over
Youth 14 to 17 years old
Children 5 to 13 years old
Pre school 0 to 4 years old - free*

Full camp fee - for the full 7 days of camp.

includes

- Camp fee (27th Dec 2017 to 3rd Jan 2018) Adult \$266.00
- Caravan or Tent site Youth \$245.00
- **Fully catered meals** Child \$175.00

If you require, Family room or a Bunk

Pre school free

Please see accommodation.

Daily camp fee - for less than 7 days

Includes

- Camp fee - (2pm to 2pm) Adult \$38.00 per day
- Caravan or tent site Youth \$35.00 per day
- **Fully catered meals** Child \$25.00 per day

If you require, Family room or a Bunk

Pre school free

Please see accommodation

Daily camp fee - for less than 7 days

Includes

- Camp fee - (2pm to 2pm) Adult \$27.00 per day
- Caravan or Tent site Youth \$25.00 per day
- **Catered dinner only** Child \$17.00 per day

If you require, Family room or a Bunk

Pre school free

Please see accommodation

If you require extra catering, please see below

Accommodation

- Family room \$20.00 per night
- Bunk \$5.00 per night

Catering - Meals booked pre camp

Lunch Adult \$10.00
Youth \$9.00
Child \$8.00

Breakfast Adult \$5.50
Youth \$5.00
Child \$4.50

THE REGISTRATION FORM

Registrations, which close on the 4th December 2017 can be made by completing the camp registration form. Camp fees can be paid in the following ways.

- Camp fee paid in full with registration.
- A deposit with registration form and balance paid by the 15th December.
- A \$50.00 deposit with registration form and balance paid by instalments with last payment by 15th December.

Direct Credit payment facilities are available.

When paying by direct credit please be sure to include your surname and initials so your payment can be correctly identified.

If paying by internet please deposit into or account	Westpac Sure and Stedfast Development Trust 03-0802-0146028-017
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Please send camp registrations to	Brigades Family Holiday Camp 54 Travis Road Burwood Christchurch 8083
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CAMP CONTACTS

Camp Hosts

Frank and Adele Morgan
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The Boys' Brigade

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Registrations

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Camp Programme - Sam Beaumont - ph. (03) 981 3529 or Wendy Anderson - ph. (03) 352 3671

Brigades Family Holiday Camp web site - [www.bbcanterbury.org.nz/family camp](http://www.bbcanterbury.org.nz/family%20camp)

The Boys' Brigades - Waipara Adventure Centre web site - www.bbwrp.co.nz

PLEASE READ THESE RULES PRIOR TO FILLING OUT THE REGISTRATION FORM.

Waipara Riverside Park Rules for all Occupants of the campsite.

1. There is a general prohibition on keeping or using on site: alcoholic beverages, hallucinogenic drugs and firearms. (*The camp management may issue a permit to vary any of these prohibitions subject to strict adherence to some very specific written conditions available on request*)
2. Smoking is not permitted in or around any of the buildings.
3. No open fires are permitted on site. (Only gas or liquid fuelled barbecues may be used.)
4. Campers may not dig tent drains or cut trees or shrubs.
5. Campers and their visitors must understand and comply with their camp organisation's risk management plan.

SPECIFIC FAMILY HOLIDAY CAMP RULES.

1. Parents/caregivers are asked to look after their children's timekeeping, sleeping and washing activities.
2. Our camp risk management plan puts the onus on parents/caregivers to ensure the children and teenagers are supervised by an adult on all activity equipment at all times. This includes activities in the river swimming hole and with vehicles in the riverbed. Activities equipment marked with a red disc (abseiling, etc.) must be supervised by a person currently certified for conducting that activity.
3. Family campers mealtime, attendance, ablutions, health and medical wellbeing will be the responsible of parents/caregivers.
4. Because of the number of young children in camp and the need for them (and adults) to get good sleeps in the cool of the night, campers are requested to be quiet and inactive outdoors between 10pm and 7am.
5. The main camp kitchen is out of bounds to all except staff who are on duty.