



## Boys Summer Adventure Camp

January 15<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> 2022

Hi Parents and Campers,

Thank you for enrolling at "Camp Wedgetail" - our Boys Summer Adventure Camp.

We are REALLY excited about Camp Wedgetail 2022! Our Leadership Team can't wait to share the AMAZING program with you and all your friends.

Below is further information for Parents and Campers, prior to completing and returning the Registration and Indemnity Forms as well as Payment.

Camp Wedgetail is an INCREDIBLE experience - we can't wait for you to join the Camp Wedgetail Family and enjoy the BEST Summer Camp on offer!

**Andrew Gruntovs**  
Camp Director

## Enrolment Information

Following is important information for Parents and Campers to make an informed decision, to confirm who suited to the extraordinary 9 days of Camp Wedgetail the lay ahead in January 2021.

### Camper Expectations:

#### **HAVE FUN!**

TRY ALL activities

Treat everyone with respect

Complete assigned Duties and keep Cabins Clean and Tidy

Be responsible for all your personal belongings

Bring a Friend and Make New ones

Assist other Campers and Leaders whenever possible

Comply with ALL Rules for Fun, Safety & Community Living

***Above All - HAVE FUN!!! That's the MOST IMPORTANT thing!***

### Some of the Activities:

Night & Day Wide Games, Raft Building, Laser Tag, Night in a Soux Indian Tent, Survival Games, Challenge Games, Mountain Biking, Billy Carts, Off Road GO Kart, 4WDiving, Treehouse, Water Skiing, Sailing, Fishing, Canoeing & Kayaking, Jet Skiing, Giant Waterslide, Water Games, Sleeping Under the Stars, Overnight Camping in State Forests, Lake Activities, Abseiling & Rock Climbing, Night Hikes, Camp Fire, Hikes, Ski Tubing, Slack Lining, Paintball, Prussicking, Knee Boarding, Oval Games, Trampoline, Orienteering, Lake Inflatables, Mini Tramp, Giant Inflatable Water Trampoline, **FREE TIME** - PLUS Much, Much More!

***WOW! What a Line Up!***

**PLEASE NOTE** - Camp Wedgetail is a Boys ADVENTURE Camp and is VERY, VERY Active! ALL Campers participate in many and varied ADVENTURE activities, that relies on everyone's 100% involvement. There are a lot of PHYSICAL aspects of Camp - Running, Climbing, Jumping, Swimming, Diving, Making, Doing, Discovering, Laughing and Enjoying AMAZING activities.

### Lake Activities:

Please note - as the camp is adjacent to a small lake, there will be a lot of Water Based Activities, as well as the opportunity to swim in the lake during Free Time. Our Lake is fresh water. Parents must indicate whether they are happy for their son to be involved in Water Activities and or swim in the lake - and if so, your Son must be able to confidently swim, unaided 25 metres.

### Meals at Camp:

Our expert Caterers provide an AMAZING Menu. We do our absolute BEST to accommodate ALL Campers with Meals that suit everyone. We also accommodate Campers with **Medical** Dietary Requirements. Camp Wedgetail is a NUT FREE Environment. No one EVER goes Hungry!

A Doctors Certificate **must** be provided to Confirm and Explain Medical Dietary Requirements.

If Dietary Requirements are for Religious or Personal needs - those foods are to be supplied by the Parents, with instructions.

### Campers Cabins:

Usually accommodate between 4 - 8 Campers. We endeavour to make sure all Campers are with their friends and other Campers with similar personalities, interests and of similar ages. Please let us know on the Registration Form , who you wish to accommodate with.

### Travel to and from Camp:

All Campers meet in Ballarat and travel to and from Camp Wedgetail via the Camp Bus.

#### *Meeting Place:*

Ballarat Railway Station, Lydiard St N, Ballarat Vic  
Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2022. 12.00pm. Bus Area  
Bus to Camp - Departing at 12.30pm

*Pick Up Place:* Ballarat Railway Station, Lydiard St N, Ballarat Vic  
Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2022. 1.00pm. Bus Area  
Bus from Camp - Arriving at 12.50pm

What to bring:

*Adventure Gear:*

Wetsuit  
Head Torch  
Dark Coloured Clothing - for Night Games  
**EXTRA Shoes that you don't mind getting Wet or Dirty**  
**EXTRA Set of Old Clothes that you don't mind getting Wet or dirty**

1 Inflatable SINGLE Air Bed  
Small Tarp - (Minimum 3m x 3m)  
**NO POCKET KNIVES**

*Personal Gear:*

Clothing  
Toiletries  
Sleeping Bag, Pillow, Single Fitted Sheet  
Camp Chair  
Torch with NEW Batteries  
Spare Shoes  
Medications  
Spending money if you wish - vending machine at Camp

**PLEASE put NAME TAGS on all belongings.**  
**This saves a LOT of time sorting Lost Property**

Electronic Equipment:

Campers are **NOT** permitted to bring Mobile Phones, Laptops, i-Pads or any other devices, to Camp. The Camp Director and all the Leaders have Mobile Phones and are contactable 24/7. Parents are welcome to make contact at any time & Campers are always welcome to contact Parents using Camp Wedgetail's mobile phone, if necessary, for **EMERGENCY** purposes only. It is **EXTREMELY** important that Camp Wedgetails mobile phone is left available for Emergencies at all times - day and night.

Emergencies:

In the case of any Medical or other Emergency that directly involves your Son, or the Camp as a whole, our first priority is always the wellbeing and safety of ALL Campers and Staff. In more serious cases; hospitalization, fire etc., when the Emergency situation has been stabilised, we will contact parents to inform them of the situation.

Medications:

Campers that have daily Medications that will be administered by Camp Wedgetail Staff - must complete the Medications Section of the Indemnity Form and MUST bring those Medications to Camp in a "[Blue Webster-pak 28](#)". (If you are unfamiliar with the Webster-pak, please contact your GP or Pharmacist.) WE WILL ONLY ACCEPT MEDICATIONS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY CAMP WEDGETAIL STAFF, IN THIS MANNER. For Campers that have Self-Administered Medications, please also complete the Medications Section of the Indemnity Form.

**Homesickness:** Campers are involved in MANY, exciting activities, throughout their stay. However, we realise, (especially for younger and first time Campers), that Camp Wedgetail maybe the first time they have been away from home or perhaps the longest period away from home and from family and friends. ALL of our Leaders and older Campers are always available to comfort and support Campers through their experience, if homesickness arises.

**Leaving Camp:** Sadly, if Campers choose to leave Camp for Homesickness or other personal reasons, Parents will be notified and are expected to pick up their son from Camp Wedgetail. We do not allow campers to “Come and Go” from Camp during their stay, as it is extremely important for the continuity of the Camp Program, Cabin Life and Duties, that Campers remain at Camp Wedgetail for the entirety of Camp. Refunds will not be given.

**Behaviour:** Adventure Kids Australia reserves the right to send home a Camper from Camp Wedgetail’s - Boys Summer Adventure Camp, if the Camp Director in consultation with the Leadership Team, deem that a Camper presents behaviour where he has chosen not to obey Camp Rules and Guidelines and or causes harm to himself or others, at the risk of Safety and Comfort to any or all others and or the Program at Camp Wedgetail. If this situation arises, Parents are expected to pick up their son from Camp Wedgetail. Refunds will not be given.

**Cost of Camp:** \$595 (\$66 per day)  
\$535 each, for 2 or more from the same Family  
\$535 each, if you bring a mate or mates

**Enrolling:** To confirm your place at “Camp Wedgetail” - Ages 10 - 15 Years, Boys Summer Adventure Camp 2022 - the following needs to be fulfilled:

Complete and Return the Camper Registration & Indemnity Form by **30<sup>th</sup> Nov** to:

Camp Wedgetail  
Boys Summer Adventure Camp 2022  
P.O. Box 6321  
Highton Vic 3216

*or Scan and Email to:* [email@campwedgetail.com.au](mailto:email@campwedgetail.com.au)

Forward a \$100 Deposit or Total Balance by **30<sup>th</sup> Nov** and Balance of Payment by **23<sup>rd</sup> Dec** to:

Adventure Camps Australia  
Bendigo Bank  
BSB: 633000  
Acct #: 139050843

If you require further information - please feel free to contact me at any time:

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