



Palmerston North Boys' High School

Established 1902

20th September, 2023

Dear Parent/Caregiver

Your son is participating in the **Ohakune Outdoors Year 10 Camp** between **27th November** and **1st December, 2023**.

The cost of the trip is **\$580.00 per Student**. Our preference is for payment to be made by Online Banking using the details below.

Bank Account Name: **Palmerston North Boys' High School**

Bank Name: **WestpacTrust**

Bank Account Number: **03 0726 0476403 00**

Please reference the payment with **Ohakune Outdoors** followed by your son's Full Name.

If this is not possible then payment can be made by Cash/EFTPOS at the PNBHS Finance Office. This amount must be paid by Friday, 27th October, 2023 for your son to participate in this activity. If meeting this deadline may be difficult for you then please contact the finance office on either finance@pnbhs.school.nz or 06-354 5176 x 799.

If for some reason your son is unable to attend the trip, please communicate this to me as soon as possible. **Please note that some components of the activity can only be refunded in exceptional circumstances and that there may be a nonrefundable component associated with the activity costs.**

I wish to remind you and your son that the basic and fundamental school rules apply during the entire trip. Since I require the most up to date medical notes on your son, please can you ensure the Main Office is notified of any changes prior to our departure.

Please return the signed permission slip below by **Friday 13th October, 2023 (Week 1, Term 4)**.

Note that in signing this permission slip, you are acknowledging that your son can participate in the activities outlined in the attached programme.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Catherine Mills
TEACHER IN CHARGE Ohakune Outdoors
millsc@pnbhs.school.nz
Phone: 06 358 6704

PERMISSION SLIP: Ohakune Outdoors Year 10 Camp

I approve of my son (Full name) FORM.....

To attend Ohakune Outdoors Year 10 Camp, 2023.

I understand that:

- My son can participate in the following planned activities:
 - Various hikes around Ohakune, including Old Coach Road
 - Team Building games at Station Lodge
 - Indoor rock climbing in Ohakune
 - White water rafting on the Tongariro River (run by certified river guides, and is suitable for those with minimal swimming experience)
 - Relaxing in the Turtle Pools in Turangi
 - Visiting the local railway museum
- My son should take part in such activities and such necessary camp duties as may be required by Mrs C Mills.
- The team will travel to Ohakune by van driven by teachers attending the camp
- The group will be meeting at PNBHS 9am Monday morning 27th November, 2023 and leaving after checks, etc have taken place and returning the afternoon of Friday, December 1st.
- My son will be staying at Station Lodge, 60 Thames St, Ohakune.
- I am required to pay \$580.00 by Friday, 27th October, 2023 for my son to participate in this activity and that I need to contact the finance office if I am unable to meet this deadline.
- My son will be subject to the Fundamental and Basic school rules during the entire trip.
- I need to notify the Main Office prior to departure of any changes in the medical conditions of my son.
- I authorize the obtaining of medical assistance if, in the opinion of Mrs C Mills, such action is necessary.
- I need to notify Mrs C Mills prior to departure of any specific circumstances that will require her consideration during this activity.
- If my son is required to travel outside the normal travel arrangements that I am responsible for the organisation and associated costs.
- He is not required to travel in school uniform.
- Bringing money is not necessary, unless he wishes to purchase lunch in Taihape on the way up and back (students should not bring cash in excess of \$20).
- **No** cellphones or other electronic devices are to be brought by students. The school office will be updated with any changes to arrival times, etc.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT\CAREGIVER: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE (WORK): _____ PHONE (CELL): _____



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Palmerston North Boys' High School Education Outside the Classroom (EOTC) Swimming Consent Form

Activity: Tongariro River Rafting & Swimming at Turtle Pools, Turangi

I, as Parent/Guardian of _____ (Print name)
understand that swimming makes up part of this Activity programme.

I can confirm the following information:

Swimming ability

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|---|-----|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| • Is your son able to swim 50 metres? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son water confident in a pool? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son confident in deep water? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son able to tread water? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son able to survival float? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son confident in the sea or in open inland water? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Is your son safety conscious in and around water? | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |

I give permission for my son to participate in:

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|--|-----|--------------------------|----|--------------------------|
| • Swimming in Public and Supervised pools | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • Swimming in the sea and/or rivers and/or lakes and under supervision by PNBHS staff. | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Signed: _____ Date: _____