



GRADE 5/6 - WILSON'S PROMONTORY CAMP 2017
Monday 13th - Friday 17th February 2017

Our school camps policy encourages us to have a tour one year followed by an environmental camp the next. Next year is Wilson's Prom., camping at Tidal River.

Getaway, a recognised bus tour company, who we have dealt with for many years, will transport, accommodate and feed us. Our activities are organised by the teachers. Four staff members will accompany the children.

Friendships are strengthened, teachers learn more about their students, and students learn about their teachers and themselves.

We depart from Wandin Yallock early on Monday, travel via the South Gippsland Highway to Meniyan and then on down to Tidal River. The rest of the first day is taken up with setting up camp and getting to know our immediate environment.

The 2nd, 3rd and 4th days have planned group activities. These may include short hikes, sightseeing, nature trails, education centre visits, fishing, sketching, beach sculpture and paddling. Once again the students will participate in group surfing lessons led by a professional company. Students will also help with meals and cleaning up. It is always a fantastic experience for all who attend.

On Friday we all pack up our gear and tents and travel back to school, usually arriving late afternoon. It is great socially, and the children learn many things.

The cost for the camp will be approximately \$450.00 and will be confirmed when we have the final numbers of children attending. The cost will vary if fewer students attend.

A deposit of \$100 will be required to secure your place before Wednesday November 16th and the balance will need to be paid by Monday 19th December 2016.

If you have any questions or concerns about the camp or cost, please feel free to come and talk to the grade 5/6 teachers or principal.

Please complete the form below and return to school by Wednesday 16th November 2016.

Jo McCracken
 Camp Co-ordinator

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- My child will definitely be attending the Wilson's Prom. Camp.
- My child will not be attending the Wilson's Prom. Camp.
- I enclose a deposit of \$100.00 and will pay the balance by Monday 19th December 2016.

Name of Child: _____ Grade: _____

Signed: _____ (Parent/Guardian)