



# KENT ROAD PUBLIC SCHOOL

5<sup>th</sup> May 2021

## Year 4 Overnight Camp: Milson Island 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> July

Dear Parents,

The Year 4 Camp to *Milson Island Sport and Recreation Centre* will be a two-night overnight excursion for all students between Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July and Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July. This three-day excursion will be an exciting experience for Kent Road students to engage in group challenges and activities which promote relationship building, resilience and fun physical activity.

*Milson Island Sport and Recreation Centre* is located approximately 60 minutes north of Sydney on the Hawkesbury River. Students will be required to be at school on Wednesday morning at 8.00am where they will travel by bus to the Kangaroo Point Ferry terminal. We will then board a short ferry to the Milson Island terminal.

At the recreation centre, students will experience a wide range of outdoor activities, such as orienteering, team building activities, low ropes course, giant swing and archery. Everyone will be encouraged to take part in the activities, but will never be forced to participate.

The camp site is a well-equipped facility designed for school overnight excursions. The accommodation is in separate boys' and girls' dormitories with internal bathroom facilities. Students will be supervised at all times by the Year 4 class teachers and all activities are run by qualified instructors. All meals will be provided by the facility with dietary needs being catered for.

The cost of the excursion including all activities, transport, accommodation and meals is **\$305 per child. We ask that you include a \$105 deposit** with the enclosed permission note. Any payments previously made for the Year 4 camp will be transferred to the Milson Island invoice for Term 3. Please also **return the attached permission note** to your child's teacher.

Payment can be made by:

- cash, cheque and credit card at the office or
- online at <https://kentroad-p.schools.nsw.gov.au> using the relevant payment code.
  - o **YR4DEP** (for the \$105 deposit) or
  - o **YR4BAL** (for the \$200 balance) or
  - o **YR4FULL** (for the \$305 Full payment)

Further information regarding requests for medical/dietary information and suggested packing lists will be provided in the coming weeks.

Should you have any questions or concerns please speak to Miss Brasier or your child's class teacher.

Kind regards,

Miss Brasier, Miss Choi, Miss Houze, Mr McGhee, Miss Toohey Armstrong and Miss Pittorino



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## YEAR 4 OVERNIGHT EXCURSION PERMISSION NOTE 2021

### SECTION A

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the overnight excursion on **14<sup>th</sup> July – 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2021**.

I understand that students will travel by bus from Kent Road Public School at **8:30am** on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 and return to Kent Road Public School at **approximately 3:00pm** on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2021.

☐ Enclosed is the \$105 deposit (cash/cheque/credit card).

**Or**

☐ Enclosed is the \$305 payment (cash/cheque/credit card)

**Or**

☐ I have made an online payment.  
Online Order Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete section B on the back of this page**



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**SECTION B** – please tick and sign to acknowledge the following:

☐ I understand that my son/daughter will stay overnight at the Milson Island Sport and Recreation Centre in Brooklyn, NSW 2083 and will travel via bus and ferry to and from the island.

☐ I understand that my child will receive medical treatment in the case of an emergency.

## IMPORTANT NOTE:

When a medical practitioner has prescribed medication (including emergency medication) that will need to be administered during the excursion, parents are responsible for:

- Bringing this need to the attention of the school
- Ensuring that the information is updated if it changes
- Supplying the medication and any 'consumables' necessary for its administration in a timely way. The medication should be well within its expiry date.
- Collaborating with the school in working out arrangements for the supply and administration of the prescribed medication for the duration of the excursion. For some excursions the school will ask you to supply the medication in a different way to what has been already been agreed to by school. You may be asked to supply an additional adrenaline autoinjector (i.e. EpiPen® /Anapen®) for example.

☐ I understand that my child may take part in the water activities (including canoeing) and that a personal flotation device will be worn at all times during this activity. This activity will take place in Milson's Passage on the Hawkesbury River which surrounds Milson Island.

In relation to the proposed water or swimming activities, I advise that my child is a:  
(please tick one)

☐ strong swimmer      ☐ average swimmer      ☐ poor swimmer      ☐ non-swimmer

**Please circle:**

I **give** / **do not give** permission for my child to participate in water activities.

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian