Somerville Intermediate
Year 7 Camps 2016
Camp Motutapu

Chris Hall
Associate Principal
Year 7
Camp Motutapu

• 4 day camps departing Tuesday at 9am from Half-Moon Bay.

• Returning Friday 1:20pm to Half Moon Bay.

• Participation request per child: $280-00
Camp Motutapu

- Camp 1 (Term 1 Week 10)
- Tues. 5 April - Fri. 8 April
- Syndicate A and Rooms 12 and 14
- Approximately 173 students
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• Camp 2 (Term 1 Week 11)
• Tues.12 April - Fri.15 April
• Syndicate D and Room 13
• Approximately 147 students
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- Camp 3 (Term 2 Week 1)
- Tues. 3 May - Fri. 6 May
- Syndicate C and Room 11
- Approximately 146 students
Getting there

- Parents transport students to Half-Moon Bay ferry terminal for 8:15am
- Chartered Sealink ferry departs 9am
- Ferry to Yankee Wharf, Rangitoto Island (40 mins)
- Walk to camp - 6.5 km (approx. 2 hours)
- Student’s luggage is transported by truck
- Day pack with morning tea and packed lunch (eat lunch when we get there).
Camp Objectives

Andy Hamilton
Syn A A Lead Teacher
Our reason for going on camp are encompassed in our 5 Key Competencies:

1. Managing Self: Students learn when to lead, when to follow and when and how to be independent. Packing and repacking for camp is for some their biggest challenge.

2. Participating and Contributing: Learn to contribute appropriately as a group or team member and have the confidence to participate within new contexts.

3. Relating to others: Learn to interact effectively with a diverse range of people in a variety of contexts.

4. Thinking: Learn to draw on personal knowledge and intuitions and reflect on our own learning.

5. Using Language, symbols and texts: Learn to interpret and use words, images, and movement in a range of contexts.
 Accommodation 

Four student dormitories which can accommodate 184 students. Two for the boys and two for the girls. Army style barracks with mainly single beds and some bunk beds and sleep approximately 46 in each dorm.
Parents coming on camp

Steph Ready
Syn B Co-Lead Teacher
Parents

• For parents who come on camp there is NO charge.

• The camps are both alcohol and smoke free.

• Camp parents gain a unique insight into their child’s education outside the classroom.
Parents

We are looking for:

- 20 Group parents per camp.
- 11 Activity parents per camp.
- 2 Medics (Medically qualified personnel are ideal) per camp.
- 2 Kitchen helpers per camp.
Parents

- Are at camp to ensure all the students have an unforgettable and safe experience.
Accommodation

The majority of parents sleep in the Lodge; some are rostered into dormitories along with the students. The Lodge sleeps 34 and has a lounge with kitchen facilities.
Parent responsibilities

Dave Beehre
Syn B Co-Lead Teacher
Group parents

• Your major responsibilities:
  • Supervision of a group of approximately 8 students
  • Actively supervise activities and duties
  • Supervise children during free time
  • Supervise their group in the dining room
Activity Parents

- Your major responsibilities will be:
  - Assisting specialist activities
  - Assist in serving meals
  - Supervising children during free time
Vehicles

For each camp we require 2 vehicles (preferably 4WD’s) and one large covered trailer to transport equipment and adult luggage to and from the camp. We will also take one minivan and one trailer. Please note these vehicles and trailers MUST be thoroughly cleaned inside and out to meet bio security scrutiny.
Camp Timetable

Brent Pearson
Syn C Lead Teacher
Overview of the week

Day 1

8:15 am  Parents drop-off students at Half-Moon Bay
         Hand any medication to camp medics
         Camp parents place their luggage by trailers

9:00 am  Depart Half Moon Bay

9:40 am  Arrive Rangitoto and load truck with student bags
         and camp supplies.

10:00 - 12 pm  Walk 6.5km to camp

12:00 - 1:30 pm  Lunch, Orientation and Dorm allocation

2:00 - 3:30 pm  Activity Session 1

4:00 - 5:30 pm  Activity Session 2

5:30 - 6:00 pm  Showers, Change and Dinner prep

6:00 - 7:00 pm  Dinner

7:00 - 7:30 pm  Diary reflections

7:30 - 8:30 pm  Evening Activities

8:30 - 9:00 pm  Milo and supper

9:30 pm  Bed and lights out
Day 2 and 3

6:30 am                Wake up and Breakfast prep
7:00 - 8:30am         Breakfast followed by duties
8:30 am                Meet on deck for activities
9:00 - 10:30am        Activity session
10:30 - 11:00am       Morning Tea
11:00 - 12:30pm       Activity Session
12:30 - 1:30pm        Lunch
1:30 - 3:00pm         Activity Session
3:30 - 5:00pm         Activity Session
5:00 - 6:00pm         Showers, Change and Dinner prep.
6:00 - 7:00pm         Dinner
7:00 - 7:30pm         Diary reflections
7:30 - 8:30pm         Evening activities
8:30 - 9:00 pm        Milo and supper
9:30 pm               Bed & Lights out
Last day of Camp

7:00 am       Wake up and breakfast prep
7:30 am       Breakfast and dishes
8:30 am       Camp Clean up
10:15 am      Morning tea and farewells
10:45 am      Depart camp walk out
12:15 pm      Lunch at Yankee Wharf
12:45 pm      Depart Rangitoto
1:20 pm       Arrive Half-Moon Bay
Camp Activities

5 Instructor Lead
Sailing
Kayaking
High Ropes
Climbing
Archery

5 Adult lead
Raft Building
Orienteering
Gun Walk
Survivor Challenge
Rock Pools
Night Activities

Individual camps select from:

Burma Trail
Spotlight
Camp Concert
Movie Night
‘Sing Star’ karaoke night
‘Mathex’
Expectations and Medication

Sarah Puttick
Syn D Lead Teacher
• Camp forms part of the EOTC Curriculum at Somerville Intermediate School.
• All students are expected to attend.
Meals are prepared by a catering agency that we take to each of our camps, with home baking providing our morning and afternoon tea.
We endeavour to meet all individual dietary requirements.
Medication

Students who require prescribed medication whilst on camp, hand this in to the medics at Half-Moon Bay on day 1, before going onto the ferry.

All medicine must be clearly named with administration details included.

Medics oversee the distribution of medicine whilst on camp.
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Next meeting

Training Evening for parents coming on camp.

Thursday 10 March

7:30pm

School staffroom
Camp Website

www.somervilleintermediate.school.nz

Year-7-Camp--Motutapu-Island.html

Where you will find electronic versions of all camp communication that is issued to your child.
Thank you

Questions please?