

6th March 2017

**Gold Panning at Wakamarina Valley**

To support this term’s topic focus on explorers Room 5 and 6 have a trip to Wakamarina Valley planned for Tuesday 21st March. We will be accompanied by Jon Orchard and will be looking at evidence from the gold rush, as well as panning for gold ourselves!

We will need some parent help in order for us to be able to go, so if you could accompany us it would be greatly appreciated. We will leave school at 9am and should be back at school by approximately 2.30pm. We would love you to come with us.

Children should wear P.E. uniform and sneakers. They will need their school jersey and a jacket in case the weather is cold. They will also require a large lunch and water bottle, as well as togs and a towel if you give them permission to swim in the river.

If you have a pan we could use for the gold panning please would you kindly lend it to us for the day?

Please indicate on the permission form below whether or not you are able to assist. There is a Transport form and Volunteer Assistant Agreement for those parents who can help by driving or assisting on the day. Thank you so much for your continued support. If you have questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Many thanks,

Carol Wilson and Shaun Freeman

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Wakamarina Visit

□ I give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to go on this trip.

□ I give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to swim if they wish and I have completed the aquatic activity consent form.

□ I am available for parent help and I have completed the Transport Volunteer form and the Volunteer Assistant Agreement.

Parent name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and contact number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please return form by Monday 13th March.

Important Points:

* Room 5 and 6 visit to Wakamarina 21/3/17
* Parent assistance required please.
* Aquatic consent form to be completed.

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