



## MANLY WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Training Band Parents,

This year, Band Camp is being held at the Sydney Academy of Sport and Recreation at Narrabeen from Monday 24 May to Tuesday 25 May inclusive. Training Band will attend on **DAY 2 ONLY**. This special workshop day is designed to extend the work being done in band lessons and it is considered important for all band members to attend.

The cost of the Training Band camp is **\$145**. This cost was added to your Semester 1 account and is payable in advance of attending camp. The fee includes:

- four hours of professional music tuition (a mix of full band rehearsals and sectional tutorials)
- bus transport to and from camp
- morning tea and lunch (any students with special diets will be seen by the Academy catering staff upon arrival)
- Sports Academy activities – a well-earned reward before returning to Manly West.

Students will be involved in outdoor activities such as rock climbing, flying fox and archery in the afternoon. They will be led by the trained staff of the Sydney Sports Academy. These staff members and the Manly West staff accompanying the students to camp all have CPR and emergency care training.

Parent volunteers will also be required.

**Next steps. Please complete and tick off the following before TUESDAY 27 APRIL 2021**

- ☐ **Online medical and consent form** required by the NSW Government's Office of Sport and Recreation.

<https://oos.ungerboeck.com/prod/emc00/register.aspx?eid=bkoySIF3RjVzaVMrMmRvWnpncipyUT090>

- ☐ **Permission note** - attached
- ☐ **Parent help request** via the Sign Up Link which will be sent separately
- ☐ **Arrival/Departure Information:** for your reference
- ☐ **Packing Note:** please keep this to refer to for packing on the day and for purchases required in advance

### **Arrival**

Students are to meet outside the Hall at **7.45am outside the Hall on TUESDAY 25 May** for the bus to Narrabeen (**7.30am for children with medications or special dietary needs – there will be a table to go to at the hall**). Dress in warm, comfortable casual clothing and enclosed shoes suitable for outdoor activities.

**Please contact (Amanda Bergelin, School Liaison on. 0412 994 862 or Nicole Macnicol on 0400 401 650 if your child is unwell on the morning of camp as the school office is not attended until 8.30am.**

### **Return**

Buses for Training Band are expected to return to the school on **Tuesday 25 May May by 5.00pm**. Students are to be collected from Griffith Street. Please do not park in the Griffith Street bus zone, as this is where the buses will be parking.

### **Parent Help**

Each year our Band Camp relies on the generous commitment of parents for their help in transporting instruments, organising music rooms and assisting with the sporting activities offered by the Academy.

Your time is GREATLY appreciated. All parents who are assisting with activities will need to have a Working with Children Check that has been sighted by the school office. This means taking your WWC letter into the office with your license or passport. Please check with the office if you are unsure if your WWC is current.

**PACKING LIST: (LABEL EVERYTHING PLEASE!! AND ATTACH THE RIBBONS SUPPLIED TO MUSIC CASE, MUSIC STAND AND DAY PACK)**

- ☐ Instrument and accessories – make sure to include at least 2 spare reeds as well as anything else you may normally need.
- ☐ Music folder, two grey lead pencils, sharpener and rubber in music/library bag
- ☐ Music stand (available from Mall Music or online). Practice putting up and down at home – ALL students should have their own music stand for practice at home.
- ☐ Daypack with:
  - ☐ A drink bottle
  - ☐ A nut-free snack for the morning. We have an early start and morning tea is not until 11.30am. Lunch will be provided.
  - ☐ Hat and sunscreen
  - ☐ Warm top for outdoor activities (worn or packed)
  - ☐ Rain jacket
  - ☐ Lip balm
- ☐ **Medication, if required, must be labelled with your child's name and given to the teacher prior to the bus journey. Please supply a bum-bag or similar for asthma and/or anaphylaxis medications, together with a copy of current action plans.**

What not to bring:

- X Money
- X Valuables such as mobile phones, electronic games and ipods

Looking forward to a fantastic and fun Band Camp!

Penny Coucill  
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and the Band Committee  
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Julie Organ  
Principal