

packing list

- Bible & pen
- Sleeping bag & fitted sheet to cover the mattress
- Pillow & pyjamas
- 4 days worth of clothes (please refer to guidelines below)
- One pair of old clothes
- Swimming shorts & shirt (please refer to guidelines below)
- A beach towel, bath towel & toiletries
- Something nice to wear for the evening services
- One warm jacket (for cool evenings) & raincoat
- Sneakers & 2nd pair of shoes (a 3rd pair if accident prone)
- Hat, suncream (& insect repellent)
- Torch (check the batteries)
- Hat & drink bottle (these are *important* items not suggested items)
- Old shoes or water shoes
(**not** thongs) to swim & canoe in the river. No shoe, no swim
- No electronic devices, games, music players etc etc
Absolutely NO mobile phones during camp.
Parents, you should contact me during camp in an emergency on my number below

clothing guidelines

In line with our goal of pleasing Christ, separating from worldly fashions & loving one another by not causing someone to stumble, we ask: that **boys** refrain from tight fitting clothing, short shorts & tank tops. We also ask: that **girls** not wear pants or shorts, low necklines, or tight garments and that skirts are below the knee when seated. During swimming & canoeing **all** campers should wear a t-shirt or swim shirt & long boardshorts.

As God's people, we want to be distinctly holy.
Thank you for helping us to maintain the higher ground!

Please don't bring your wardrobe there is limited space within the cabins for everyone's bags!!



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directions

Please see our website for specific directions.
 Travelling south out of Sydney take the Picton/Wilton exit off the Hume approx. 20 minutes south of Campbelltown.

Additional brochures, for both teenCAMP and Junior Camp, as well as registration forms can be accessed from the church website below.



The field is the world - Matthew 13:38



whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is the enemy of God - James 4:4

teenCAMP 2023

Camp Facilities

This new site has the boys & girls cabins located in different areas of the campsite with specific bathroom facilities adjacent. Each cabin is able to sleep up to 10 people.

There is a large oval, a huge roofed play area and a hall for the preaching and any indoor challenges. The site is on the escarpment above the Nepean River and it's a pleasant walk down through the bush to swim or canoe in the river.



We are thrilled to have Neil Smith as our camp speaker. As an evangelist Neil travels to many churches in Australia and around the world seeking to equip God's people to be what they should be. As a father of 5 he also knows where the pressures are coming from in a teenagers life.

teenCAMP is for anyone who is in High School in 2022. Since we couldn't hold camp the past two years, if room permits we would welcome those who were unable to attend their final teenCAMP.

The parents of those entering Year 7 may choose whether their child attends Junior Camp or teenCAMP.

However, since we've not had camp for two years, we would recommend year 7 students attend Junior Camp one more time, as there are many years of camp ahead.

January 10-13

Camp runs from 11am Tuesday and finishes at 11:30am Friday with a sausage sizzle for campers & their family.

camp theme

In Matthew 13 Christ was teaching the multitudes in parables. Then, having sent the people away, His disciples asked Him concerning the meaning of one of the parables about a harvest. In verse 38 He reveals:

The field is the world

As Christians we are encouraged to see those around us in this world as a field that is in need of harvesting, however the lure of our fleshly desire is to look at the world like a big eyed kid in a lolly shop. The preaching and teaching during teenCAMP 2023 will be focused on the world in order to reach

them for Christ and yet guarding our hearts that we might not become worldly and fall away.



camp fees

Earlybird registrations with payment due by December 1

First child \$240
Subsequent siblings \$230 (in either camp)

All other registrations due by January 2 (at the latest)

Fee per camper \$250
No further discounts apply after December 1.

The camp fee covers *all* meals & activities:

- ❖ preaching & teaching from God's Word;
- ❖ great food, and all you can eat of it;
- ❖ canoeing & swimming in the river (so bring the shoes!);
- ❖ the Big Ball Battle, plus new games & activities;
- ❖ archery, plus some new challenges this site holds.

to register

There are two ways to register for teenCAMP:

Manually

Get a registration form from your church or print it from our website and post it with a cheque made out to:

Metropolitan Baptist Church, 223 Burns Bay Rd, Lane Cove West 2066

Electronically

Go online and download the registration form from:
www.metropolitanbaptist.net.au/teenCAMP

Go to your bank and transfer the camp fee to our account:
BSB: 062 161 ACC: 0090 0543

Please use your surname and the word CAMP in the description. Then email the registration form, remembering to include on it the transfer description you used when transferring, so we can locate your payment. Email form to:
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