

# Camps 2023



## Year 7 Camp

### Toolangi adventure Camp

Year 7 camp has been a highlight of the school year for a number of years. As well as being a break from the school routine, the camp provides a vehicle for students to learn in ways not provided in the classroom setting.

Year 7 Camp is hosted by Toolangi is an adventure camp located in the Yarra Valley on 12 acres of natural bushland adjoining the Toolangi State Forest.

This camp runs for three days and two nights.

Throughout the camp students participate in range of exciting and adventure activities designed to build create problem solving, resilience, self-dependence and team building. Activities include kayaking, adventure tunneling, bush trek, high ropes course, flying fox, orienteering challenges and more. All adventure activities are led by qualified staff and accompanied by one of our teachers from BHS.

The cost of the camp includes all meals, accommodation and transport. Students just need to bring their lunch for the first day en-route to camp as well as the items in the kit list provided.

## Year 8 Camp

### Lake Dewar Camp

Our Year 8 Camp is hosted by Lake Dewar Lodge an adventure camp run by YMCA Camps and is located near Werribee Gorge.

The camp runs for three days and two nights. Throughout the camp students participate in range of exciting and adventure activities designed to build create problem solving, resilience, self-dependence and team building.

Activities include kayaking, adventure tunneling, Gorrong Rocks gorge trek, stand-up paddle boarding, flying fox, orienteering challenges and more.

All adventure activities are led by qualified staff and accompanied by one of our teachers from BHS.

The cost of the camp includes all meals, accommodation and transport. Students just need to bring their lunch for the first day en-route to camp as well as the items in the kit list provided.

This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to make further connections outside of the classroom with peers and teachers, in addition to building their personal resilience through a range of team-building activities.

## Year 9 Duke Of Edinburgh Camp

### Wilson's Promontory Camp or Mitchell River

In order to complete the requirements for the 'Adventurous Journey' section of the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award, your child has the opportunity to attend a hiking based program through the Wilsons Promontory National Park or Mitchell River.

This camp is only available to those students who are enrolled in the Year 9 Duke of Edinburgh elective and are actively completing the award.

Students will participate in a range of outdoor living and hiking activities throughout the camp which is run by highly trained staff from Halls Outdoor Education, assisted by three Blackburn High School teachers.

