15th February 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians

As you will have noticed on our school calendar, we are once again running a camp for all Year 9 students this year. The camp will take place at Far South Wilderness Lodge at Esperance. Accommodation will be a combination of cabins and tents and food will be catered for by the staff at the Lodge. The facility will give us the opportunity to participate in a range of outdoor activities in the wonderful Tasmanian bush, such as surfing, kayaking, raft building, orienteering, and bike riding. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in various educational, creative and reflective activities. With the camp’s proximity to Hastings Caves, a tour of the caves will be included while on camp.

The camp will be held over two nights and three days. Students will be required at the College at 8.30 am on Wednesday 16th March. As the whole year cannot all be accommodated in cabins at the same time, this will require a split into two groups. Group A will camp on the night of the 16th March, whilst Group B will stay in cabins. The groups will then swap over for the night of the 17th March. All students will arrive back at the College by approximately 3.10 pm on the 18th March.

The cost of the camp will be $120 per student and an account will be sent to you from the Student Services Office closer to the date. Camp is always a fun and memorable experience for students. The teachers in the Year 9 team are certainly looking forward to sharing this rewarding time with your daughters.

Your daughter will receive a clothing and equipment list, and a camp activity outline closer to the date. If, however, you do have any queries, please feel free to contact me at the College by phone or email at ggoldsworthy@smc.tas.edu.au

Please take a few moments to complete the permission slip below and the medical form attached, and return to your daughter’s Home Room Teacher by Friday 26th February 2016.

Yours faithfully

Miss Gillian Goldsworthy
Year 9 Coordinator

PERMISSION TO ATTEND YEAR 9 CAMP
To be returned to the Year 9 Home Room Teachers by Friday 26th February 2016

I give my daughter _____________________________________ (full name please) permission to attend the Year 9 camp and agree to the cost of $120.

Signed Parent/Guardian ____________________________ Date __________________