

School Picnic 2019

Wednesday 20th February – Waikanae Pool

Kia ora Whānau!

Our School Picnic is once again upon us as we are returning to Waikanae Pool.

Postgate School will contribute to the cost of the Picnic, meaning the cost for 2019 Picnic is only \$5.

The picnic is weather dependent and there is no postponement date.

Buses will leave the school after 9.30am and leave Waikanae Pool at approximately 2 pm, returning back to school. While in the pool, children will be carefully supervised by pool staff and Postgate staff. There will also be sports activities available.

Children will need to bring:

- **A cut lunch**
- **Drink (no fizzy drinks please)**
- **Togs**
- **Towel**
- **Sun protection (Shirt, hat and sunblock)**

Children are not permitted to make purchases from the shop so no money is taken on the trip. There is a free sausage sizzle (one sausage and bread) and lolly scramble on the day. As an added bonus, children get to wear mufti clothing.

Clothing which is not genuine swimwear is not allowed in the pools. This includes shorts and tee shirts. Children may wear rash vests.

As swimming is involved in this trip, we require additional adults to accompany each class. If you are able to assist, please let us know. We have ordered extra buses for our parent helpers.

We need parents to help us at Waikanae Pools. Without parental support, the School Picnic will not be able to take place due to a legal requirement of Adult to Pupil supervision around water. **WE NEED YOU!** You can join us on the bus or travel by car.

We look forward to another wonderful family day out.

Kind regards,

Postgate Staff

Please return to school by Friday 15th February. Please complete a separate sheet for each child. As this is a full school event, there will be no staff left at school to supervise children who have not returned their permission slip. Please contact Adam Campbell if your child is not going on this outing.

I give permission for my child to go on the school picnic yes no

I give permission for my child to swim in the pool under supervision yes no

I am able to assist on the trip yes no Phone number

Child's Name _____ Class Teacher _____

Parent _____ \$5 enclosed Yes/No