

28 February 2011

Dear Parents/Caregivers

## **PATHFINDER CAMP – 11-13 March @ Camp Sladdin, Clevedon**

We have finalised our camp plans. This will be our only Pathfinder camp for the year. We will be utilising our Master Guide class to present our special messages and sub-camp worships. Our theme is "CHRISTchurch" and similar to our first meeting we have prepared activities that will encourage participation between our vertical (mixed) and class groups. Our focus is on the Fruits of the Spirit and we aim to draw lessons learned from the "community" spirit that Christchurch people have shown amidst tragedy. Our classes will be completing pursuits and/or honours so please note that this camp is a **COMPULSORY** requirement for **INVESTITURE**.

Please find attached the **CAMP CONSENT AND RISK DISCLOSURE FORM**. Please complete, sign and **return the form along with the \$40 camp fee** to the church office - no later than Sunday, 6 March, 2011. The fee will cover accommodation and food. In order to cut costs, we ask that you drop your child/ren off to camp and pick them up on Sunday. Please let Tessa know if this is going to be a problem.

Please note that Pathfinders are welcome to bring a NON-ADVENTIST pathfinder-aged friend to camp. This friend will join the class that your child attends. Please ensure that your child's friend also completes the form and fee payment is made. We will be camping in tents.

### **THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PAYMENT OF FEES:**

- INTERNET Banking Account No. 12-3028-0537532-000 (Use your child's NAME & PATHFINDER CAMP as the reference)
- CASH payable at the church office
- EFTPOS available at the church office (9 am-4 pm weekdays)

### **PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REGARDING CAMP:**

- MEET at Camp Sladdin, Thorp's Quarry Road, Clevedon at 5 pm on Friday, 11 March. Please ensure that your child/ren has dinner before they arrive as only supper will be served.
- Please arrange to PICK UP your child(ren) at 4 pm on Sunday, 13 March from Camp Sladdin.
- In case of an emergency please contact one of the following: Peter Henwood: 021 164 0567, Tessa Tupai: 021 025 39850 or Gloria Teulilo: 021 02102417253

### **WHAT TO BRING LIST (Please ensure that all clothes and equipment are named):**

- Warm clothes for 3 days
- Bible and Pen
- Torch for evening games
- Toiletries and any specific medicines required/Sunblock/Insect repellent
- Plastic Bag for wet/dirty washing
- Towels x 2
- Togs
- Rain Jacket
- Walking Shoes x 2 / Aqua shoes
- Bedding – Sheet/Pillow/Sleeping Bag/Blanket/Mattress or Sleeping mat
- Cutlery/Crockery/2 tea towels

Please keep this letter in a **SAFE** place!! If you have any questions about camp, please telephone Tessa 278-0405, Peter (09) 2384969 or Gloria 6341322. Alternatively, email Tessa at [tupai1@xtra.co.nz](mailto:tupai1@xtra.co.nz), Peter at [litapeter@paradise.net.nz](mailto:litapeter@paradise.net.nz) or Gloria at [gloria@asdah.school.nz](mailto:gloria@asdah.school.nz).

Kind regards

Gloria, Tessa and Peter  
Pathfinder Leadership Team