



## Adventure School

### Tōtara Camp 2024

7 December 2023

Dear Parents and Caregivers

The following notice is our second advisory about camp next year. It gives you an update on how we are going with grant applications. It also directs you to a couple of Google Forms. One asks for current medical and other information about your child. The other is an expression of interest for parent helpers at camp. I will be collating both over the holidays, so appreciate these being filled out before the 31st of December. I will correspond directly with all applicants for the role of parent helpers before the 31st of January next year.

#### **Grants**

The good news is that we have managed to secure some funding from The Grassroots Trust. Not quite the \$10,000 we asked for, but the \$2,000 we got will be gratefully received. Our Office Max Grant was unsuccessful. We still have an application in with the Winton and Margaret Bear Charitable Trust and we will be applying to the Trust House early next year.

#### **Student Information**

This form collects current medical and personal information about your child. Please click on the following link - [Student Information](#) - to access the form. Try to get it back to me by the end of this month as I will be collating it over the holidays. If you would prefer a paper copy to fill out, then email me at [mhughes@adventure.school.nz](mailto:mhughes@adventure.school.nz) and I will send one home with your child.

#### **Expression of interest for parent helpers.**

This form is an expression of interest for those adults wishing to come on camp as parent helpers. Please click on the following link - [Parent Helpers](#) - and fill it out, if you would like to be considered.

I am holding off sending out the authority notice that gives us permission to take your child to camp as this will be a paper copy and is too easily lost or left in the bottom of bags, at this time of the year. You will get this along with other updates when your child returns to school in Term One of next year.

Thanks and regards,

Mark Hughes  
**Totara Syndicate**