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EMC HOLIDAY PROGRAM

WHAT TO BRING – THINGS TO KNOW

The school holiday program has many of the same requirements as a day at school. To that end, make sure you pack the following items to ensure your child has a successful and enjoyable day.

1. **Location.**  Elisabeth Murdoch College. 80 Warrandyte Rd Langwarrin. **(DIRECTIONS FROM CRANBOURNE RD)** If entering Warrandyte Rd via Cranbourne Rd, rive along Warrandyte rd, go thru the roundabout, pass Athol Ct on your left, then enter the gate on your left to Elisabeth Murdoch College, drive along the front of the school to the far end of the car park. We are located, in the basketball stadium on your left. We will have signs out the front to the entry.
2. **Food.** We will have eating breaks in the morning (around 10.30) at lunchtime (12.30 and in the afternoon (about 3pm). Please make sure your kids have enough food to get them through the day. It is a busy day for them with lots of sport, so they will need plenty of energy to get through it all! They eat more during the holiday program than they do at school!
3. **Drink**. Bring a drink bottle. It can be refilled at the centre, and there will be plenty of drink breaks throughout each day.
4. **Comfortable clothing.** Make sure they are wearing runners and sporting attire. It can be cold in winter in the stadium.
5. **Hat.** Weather dependent we will run at least one activity on the oval. So please pack a hat. If the weather is warm, we get the children to put sunscreen on. If anyone is allergic to sunscreen please make a staff member aware on check in.
6. **Medication.** If there is any medication they will need to take during the day, make sure it is packed, and inform one of the staff members on arrival of any instructions they need to understand.
7. **Facebook.** Each day there will be a report of what we did that will be posted on the “Kelly Sports Mornington” Facebook page. This will include some photos of your children. You will need to “like” Kelly Sports Mornington to see this in your newsfeed. Please inform staff if you don’t want photos of your children included on the Facebook page.
8. **Movie.** During our lunch break we watch a G rated movie. This gives the children a chance to relax and re charge while eating lunch. If they don’t want to watch a movie, they can do arts & craft, play board games or have some free time to do some sporting activities of their choice.
9. **Special instructions.** We want to see all of the kids that attend the program have a fun and successful day. If your child needs to be handled differently to others, please let us know. Send an email or bring along written tips on how your child is best handled.
10. **Drop off/pick up times.** The doors open at 7.30am and close at 5.30pm. The actual program of formal activities begins at 9am and finishes at 4pm. You are welcome to drop off/pick up your children any time between 7.30 - 9am in the morning and 4-5.30pm in the afternoon. If you think there is a chance you will be late to pick up your kids, you will need to make an alternative arrangement and inform Ann /Connor of this arrangement via email/text: [mornington@kellysports.com.au](mailto:mornington@kellysports.com.au); 0466 501 822.
11. **Morning activities.**  Monday Madness, Totally Wild Tuesday, Wacky Wednesday, Crazy Thursday, Friday Frenzy running from 9am till 10.30am each day- They are name games, fun games, dodge ball and other activities to assist the children to get to know each other each day.
12. **Between 3 and 3.30pm** we get all the children together and re cap on the day’s activities. Then we hand out a “chupa chup lollipop” to each child. If you don’t want us to give your child a “chupa chup lollipop” or they are allergic to some of the ingredients in these, please let us know and we will come up with an alternative.