

Wirraway Homestead

HOT WEATHER POLICY for School Camps

Wirraway always puts the health and safety of its campers first, then, equally important are its staff and their needs. In extreme weather conditions, the wellbeing of all people and animals needs to be considered and Wirraway varies its program accordingly.

When temperatures exceed 36 degrees the program will be adjusted, in consultation with the Teachers, to ensure that campers still get to participate in activities but not get exposed to the high temperatures, this includes some activities running earlier in the morning and utilizing the swimming pool and air conditioned spaces in the afternoon.

Cold water is available at all times through 3 refrigerated drinking fountains located around the camp buildings.

Our bunkhouses are insulated, but do get hot in extreme weather conditions in the daytime. Fortunately it is seldom hot at night at Wirraway, so sleeping is not usually a problem. All bunkhouses have opening windows with fly screens attached for good circulation of the cooler night air.