

## Kelburn Normal School Camp Erua Lodge 2017 Overview

Location: Erua Road East State Highway 4 National Park Village Ruapehu

Day of week/date	Action /purpose	Times	Activities
Mon 27 Feb	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Travel to camp (79 kids and 7 adults on bus and 3-4 cars with 3-4 teachers or parents)</li> <li>2. Forest walk, marae visit</li> <li>3. Settle in at camp</li> <li>4. Evening activities</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Roll call 7.10</li> <li>2. Depart at 7.30</li> </ol> <p>Three stops: the first stop at Levin playground, second stop a marae visit (TBC), third for 2 hours at Ohakune to do Mangawhero walk..</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Bus to Erua Lodge arrive approx 3.00pm</li> <li>4. Dinner at 5.30pm</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walk Mangawhero track at Ohakune (90 mins) noting forest ecology</li> <li>• Health and Safety talk then Dormitory groups settle in</li> </ul>
Tues 28 Feb	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bus to Whakapapa visitors centre</li> <li>2. Tramp Whakapapaiti track (small group to do Silica falls track instead)</li> <li>3. Finish at centre and view displays and films</li> <li>4. Bus back</li> <li>5. Evening activities.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Leave 9.00</li> <li>2. Walk 4-5 hours or 2 hour walk 9.30-2.30</li> <li>3. View 2 movies 3.00pm-ish at DOC centre</li> <li>4. Bus leaves 3.45 pm</li> <li>5. Dinner at 5.30pm</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bus journey 26 kms</li> <li>• Hike the Whakapapaiti track and the slower walkers doing the Silica Rapids track</li> <li>• Time at the DOC Whakapapa visitors centre (film/chat), learning about the history of the national park, cultural significance of the park, volcanism in the area.</li> </ul>
Wed 1 Mar	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 9.00 bus to Horopito Motors. 40 competent bikers to do Old Coach Road, balance of children to do art activity at Horopito Motors..</li> <li>2. 12.00 Horopito Motors group to bus back to Ohakune , meet cyclists for lunch.</li> <li>3. 1.00 OCR cyclists bus back to Horopito Motors to do art activity. 40 Children to ride out to Rangataua (flat course). 10 non-cyclists to do walk in Ohakune area.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bus leaves 9.00</li> <li>2. OCR- 3 hours 9.30-12.30</li> <li>3. Lunch in Ohakune at 12.30</li> <li>5. Leave for activities at 12.00</li> <li>6. Activities start at 12.30 pm</li> <li>7. Pick up at Horopito Motors at 3, Rangataua group leaves Ohakune at 3.30 pm</li> <li>8. Dinner at 5.30pm</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OCR bike ride for confident riders in morning</li> <li>• Rangataua bike ride for less confident riders in afternoon.</li> <li>• Art activity at Horopito Motors</li> </ul>

	4. Evening activities.		
Thur 2 Mar	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Bus to Te Porere Redoubt</li> <li>2. Lunch</li> <li>3. Bus to hydro canals Lake Rotoaira</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Leave 9.30</li> <li>2. Leave 12.00</li> <li>3. Leave 3.30 back to Erua</li> <li>4. Dinner at 6.00pm followed by an evening of fun</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Discuss New Zealand Wars, landscape and conflict.</li> <li>● Mapping activity, producing a plan of the redoubt.</li> <li>● View modern land use</li> </ul>
Fri 3 Mar	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Morning at camp</li> <li>2. Bus to Whanganui</li> <li>3. Bus to Wellington</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Clean up and games</li> <li>2. Bus to Whanganui, leaves 10.00 arrives 12.00</li> <li>3. Leave Whanganui 1.20pm</li> <li>4. Arrive Wellington at 4.00pm</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Clean up and wind up</li> <li>● Last few games etc</li> <li>● Visit Whanganui Regional Museum</li> </ul>

**Note: Events might take place on different days on account of weather. Times are approximate.**