



July 2025

Dear Pathfinders and Parents,

The NSW Pathfinder Camporee, “Fearless in Faith”, is coming up soon (October 7-12)! The Camporee will be held at the Cataract Activity Centre, a stunning outdoor venue surrounded by bushland in Appin. This well-equipped site offers a fantastic natural setting for adventure, worship, and connection with God. With a range of exciting activities available, including a waterslide, obstacle courses, and water-based challenges, there will be no shortage of adventure!

New features this Camporee include unique pins to trade with other clubs, as well as a Camporee picture book that will be available to order. Two of our Junior Counsellors have designed the Castle Hill club pin, which will be revealed when we arrive at the Camporee. Each Pathfinder will be given a number of pins – one to keep and the rest to trade (trading only, no selling).

Camporee is a catered camp, with each club arranging their own catering. Several awesome Castle Hill church members will be attending as cooks, providing healthy and tasty meals.

What to bring

Further details will be provided closer to the time, but the below will give you a guide:

- Sleeping bag/mat/pillow (staying in tents, or for Seniors, under the tarp)
- Clothes, including old runners for wet/muddy activities
- Bowl/plate/cutlery for meals
- Full dress Pathfinder uniform
- Money – small amount of cash to buy items at the Market Day

Transport - We will be transporting all the children via cars. Your child will be allocated a car to travel in. We will group friends together as much as possible.

Cost

- Conference registration - \$215 per person
- Club charges (catering, trading pins and transport) - \$150 per Pathfinder

Camp Forms – Please go to our website and complete the registration for camp. Note that the process is a little different than usual, as the Conference registration has to be done as well as the club registration.

RSVP: Please pay your camp fees and complete your forms no later than **5pm Sunday, 17th August, 2025**.

If your child is not attending, please advise Vanessa by email at chpathfindersecretary@gmail.com.

Further information about departure and arrival times, food contributions, uniform etc will be provided closer to the time. As always, if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Rachel, Stephen, or Vanessa.

Kind regards,

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