

APPLICATION FORM



This form must be returned to:

ROTARY CLUB		
NAME OF RYPEN CONTACT AT ROTARY CLUB		
CONTACT PHONE NO		MOBILE NO
EMAIL		

The Rotary Club sponsoring you is responsible for forwarding this form to the RYPEN Co-ordinating team.

Congratulations!

You have been given this form because someone in your life (home, school, or community) believes that the RYPEN 2018 Experience is for you. There are 3 parts to this form:

- Section 1** is to be completed by you (the applicant).
- Section 2** is to be completed by your parent/guardian.
- Section 3** has the camp address and your packing list – Please keep this section.

You need to return the form to *whoever gave it to you* by **no later than August 30, 2018**. When you participate in RYPEN, you are being sponsored by the Rotary Club so there is no cost to you.

This space is for you to attach a passport photo of yourself to the application form.

SECTION 1

LAST NAME		
GIVEN NAME(S)		
PREFERRED NAME		GENDER
DATE OF BIRTH		MOBILE NUMBER
HOME ADDRESS		
	Postcode	
EMAIL ADDRESS		
SCHOOL YOU ATTEND		
NAME OF YOUR YEAR LEVEL CO-ORDINATOR		
DIETARY PREFERENCES		
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS YOU PLAY		
SPORTS YOU PLAY		

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The following is for you to read and sign:

The RYPEN 2018 Experience will be:

Friday September 14 to Sunday September 16, 2018.

RYPEN Experience Code of Conduct:

- We respect each other and demonstrate respect by supporting each person to make choices as to how they contribute. This includes ensuring only one person speaks at a time so that everyone, including presenters and guests, feels heard and respected.
- We attend and participate in every meal and session – we respect that there may be exceptions to this which are handled by the Camp Leader.
- We remain on the campsite from the time we are dropped off to the time we are picked up. We also respect that the campsite may have rules in which certain areas of the site are off-limits without a camp team member present.
- We respect those with whom we share this experience and digital devices, such as mobile phones and tablets, are not used during the sessions or meals and are not excessively used at other times.
- We understand that the RYPEN 2018 Experience is a program for selected participants and leaders only and is not open to visitors (such as family and friends).
- We agree that tobacco products, alcohol and illicit drugs are not permitted.

I,, have read and understand the code of conduct and agree to participate and follow the code of conduct.

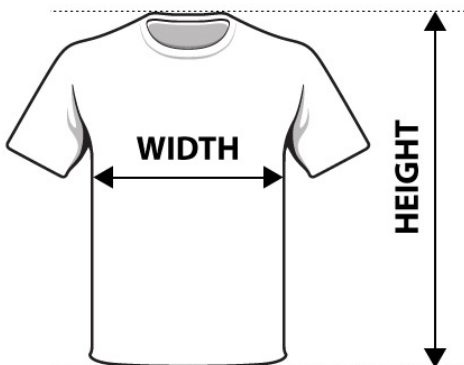
..... _ / _ / 2018
(Please sign and date)

What size T-shirt fits you? Please circle the size that you need

We have a RYPEN Experience t-shirt – and we endeavour to get the right size for you. Please circle the size you want.

Size	Small	Medium	Large	XL	XXL
Chest (cm)	47	51	55	59	63
Height (cm)	71	75	77	80	83

Here is how to get the right T-Shirt size:



To check your t-shirt size – get your favourite t-shirt, lay it flat on a table and measure across the front of the shirt from under one sleeve to under the other sleeve, that is the width. All measurements are in centimetres.

Please note: if your application form is returned AFTER August 30, we cannot guarantee the shirt size that you nominate; you won't miss out, but the fit will be better if your form comes back on time.

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SECTION 2

To be completed by your parent or guardian

As a parent or guardian, you also need to complete and sign the Health Form.

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

1. I give consent formy son/daughter/ward to participate in the RYPEN 2018 Experience which will be held **from 4:00 p.m. Friday September 14, 2018 to 3:30 p.m. Sunday September 16, 2018.**

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Name RELATIONSHIP

..... __ / __ / 2018
(Signature and date)

2. I give consent that my son/daughter/ward may be included in the photographic records of the RYPEN 2018 Experience and Reunion

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Name RELATIONSHIP

..... __ / __ / 2018
(Signature and date)

3. Transport for my son/daughter/ward to and from the RYPEN 2018 Experience has been organised as follows

NAME		
RELATIONSHIP		
HOME ADDRESS		
	Postcode	
HOME PHONE NO		MOBILE NO

4. In the event of an emergency during the RYPEN Experience the best contact details are:

NAME		
RELATIONSHIP		
HOME ADDRESS		
	Postcode	
HOME PHONE NO		MOBILE NO

Photographic records are used to promote the RYPEN Experience within Rotary clubs, and secondary colleges in the eastern and southern suburbs of Melbourne.

Photographic records are not used for any commercial purpose. Photographic records include still photos and video footage.

HEALTH FORM

LAST NAME			
GIVEN NAME(S)			
PREFERRED NAME		GENDER	
DATE OF BIRTH		AGE	
HOME ADDRESS			
		Postcode	
HOME PHONE NUMBER		MOBILE NUMBER	
PRIVATE HEALTH INSURER:		AMBULANCE MEMBER? <input type="checkbox"/> Y/ <input type="checkbox"/> N	
MEMBERSHIP NO:		HEALTHCARE CARD NO: _____	
		MEDICARE NO: _____	
		EXPIRY DATE: _____	
ANALGESICS: In the event your child requires the administration of analgesic do you consent to them being given the recommended dosage of Paracetamol or Ibuprofen?		<input type="checkbox"/> Y/ <input type="checkbox"/> N	
		SIGNATURE REQUIRED	
AUTHORISATION: I authorise the adult in charge of the RYPEN 2018 Experience in circumstances where it is not possible, or it is impracticable to contact me, to seek for my child such surgical, medical or dental treatment as a qualified Surgeon, Medical or Dental Practitioner may consider to be necessary (including the transfusion of blood) and I hereby consent to such treatment.		SIGNATURE REQUIRED	
		NAME _____ DATE _____	
Does the participant have any symptoms associated with:	Y	N	If yes, please describe:
Asthma			
Diabetes			
Epilepsy			
Dizzy spells or blackouts			
Migraine headaches			
Food allergies/intolerances			
Insect bite allergies			
Hay fever			
Contact allergies			
Drug allergies			
Any other ailment or disability?			
Will the participant have any medication with them at RYPEN? i.e. injection/tablet/capsule such as penicillin, Insulin, EpiPen or any other medication?			If yes, please detail name of drug, dosage, reason for taking the medication and whether you will administer for yourself.
Is Tetanus immunisation current?			Date of last booster (year is adequate):

All medication should be clearly labelled with the participant's name and contact phone number and be reported to the first aider in charge of the activity.

RYPEN Information

SECTION 3

REFERENCE INFORMATION

WHAT IS RYPEN?

RYPEN is a 2.5 day seminar operating at OASIS Youth Camp in Mt Evelyn from **Friday, 4:00 p.m. September 14, 2018** to **Sunday, 3:30 p.m. September 16, 2018**.

All participants are sponsored by a local Rotary club to attend the seminar. Sponsorship includes all meals, activities, and accommodation (segregated and dormitory style).

RYPEN stands for the **R**otary **Y**outh **P**rogram of **EN**richment. RYPEN is a residential experience. You will be involved in a variety of sessions, workshops and activities. Each of these provides an opportunity for you to develop and challenge yourself, build friendships with other like-minded peers, as well as learn and build your skills in areas such as:

- leadership;
- working in a team;
- communication;
- personal motivation and self-awareness;
- life skills;
- community issues and contributing to the community; and
- healthy relationships.

RYPEN also provides an opportunity for you to:

- increase confidence;
- increase self-esteem and self-awareness;
- consider the impact of life choices;
- build trust;
- explore values;
- explore ways to deal with stress;
- challenge your fears;
- reflect on how you can make a difference to your school and our community; and
- HAVE FUN!

Throughout the seminar, participants work together in small groups with youth leaders from the previous year's RYPEN Experience (2017).

Each group has a dedicated adult mentor.

Information your parents will need:

<p>The Seminar is held at:</p> <p>Oasis Youth Camp, 66-72 Monbulk Road, Mt Evelyn; On-site telephone number: 03 9736 2898.</p> <p>Melway reference 120 D3</p>	<p>Rotary contact for operation of RYPEN 2018 - a program offered by Rotary District 9810 Inc.</p> <p>Camp Leader: Diane Fisher Member of the Rotary Club of Templestowe 0417 508 414</p>
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Who are the Adults involved in this program?

RYPEN is a program provided by Rotary International. The RYPEN 2018 Experience will be led by Diane Fisher, a member of the Rotary Club of Templestowe, and Sean Darbyshire, a member of the Rotary Club of Mount Waverley. Diane and Sean are supported by volunteers who have chosen the RYPEN 2018 Experience as the program where they give back to their community.

Camp Packing List

When you pack for the camp you will need...

- Pillow
- Sleeping bag, or sheets & doona – (there is no linen or blankets on the bunks)
- Warm pyjamas/clothes to sleep in.
- Nights in Mt Evelyn can get quite cold, rooms are heated.**
- Clothing suitable for September weather conditions: jeans, t-shirts, jumper, windcheater(s), warm socks – extra layers for the cool mornings and evenings. Weather permitting, we do outdoor activities, so a spare pair of jeans is a good idea.
- Warm hat, scarf and gloves – unless it rains we have a camp fire one night.
- Torch
- Your own towel, face washer
- Soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner
- Personal water bottle is a great idea
- Raincoat – there is about 100 metres (which is not covered) between the accommodation block and the main activity hall and the gymnasium
- Footwear for both indoor and outdoor activities.
- Saturday night** we have a dinner and dance party.
The evening is a celebration of the RYPEN 2018 Experience – What IS important is to have fun with the theme.
The theme this year is to wear **something beginning with 'R'**. Use your imagination – you should not need to buy anything to participate in this part of the camp. Having fun is what it is all about.

You may also bring...

- If you play a portable musical instrument, please bring it with you (if you feel comfortable).
- Any medication or preventative medication you need to have with you, please ensure it is clearly labelled with your name and dosage rates.

Please note that Rotary District 9810 Incorporated and the Oasis Camp will not be responsible for any loss or damage to any valuables including electronic devices such as, but not limited to mobile phones, iPods, iPads, or cameras.

In the interest of minimising the risk of lost property, it is recommended you do not bring these items to the Camp.

Is this program linked to any organisation?

Yes. RYPEN is a program provided by Rotary International, and this RYPEN Experience is provided by the team from the region known as Rotary District 9810. Details of the region and the operation of the RYPEN program can be found at (<http://operations.9810rotary.org.au/youth-service/rypen/>)

My question isn't answered here?

Please call either:

Diane Fisher – 0417 508 414 or (03) 9878 6092 or you can chat on email: dfisher9@bigpond.net.au

OR

Sean Darbyshire – 0429 169 917 or you can chat on email sean.darbyshire@defence.gov.au