

BOOT CAMP
"Hold the line!"

Date of camp: 22nd – 26th April 2013

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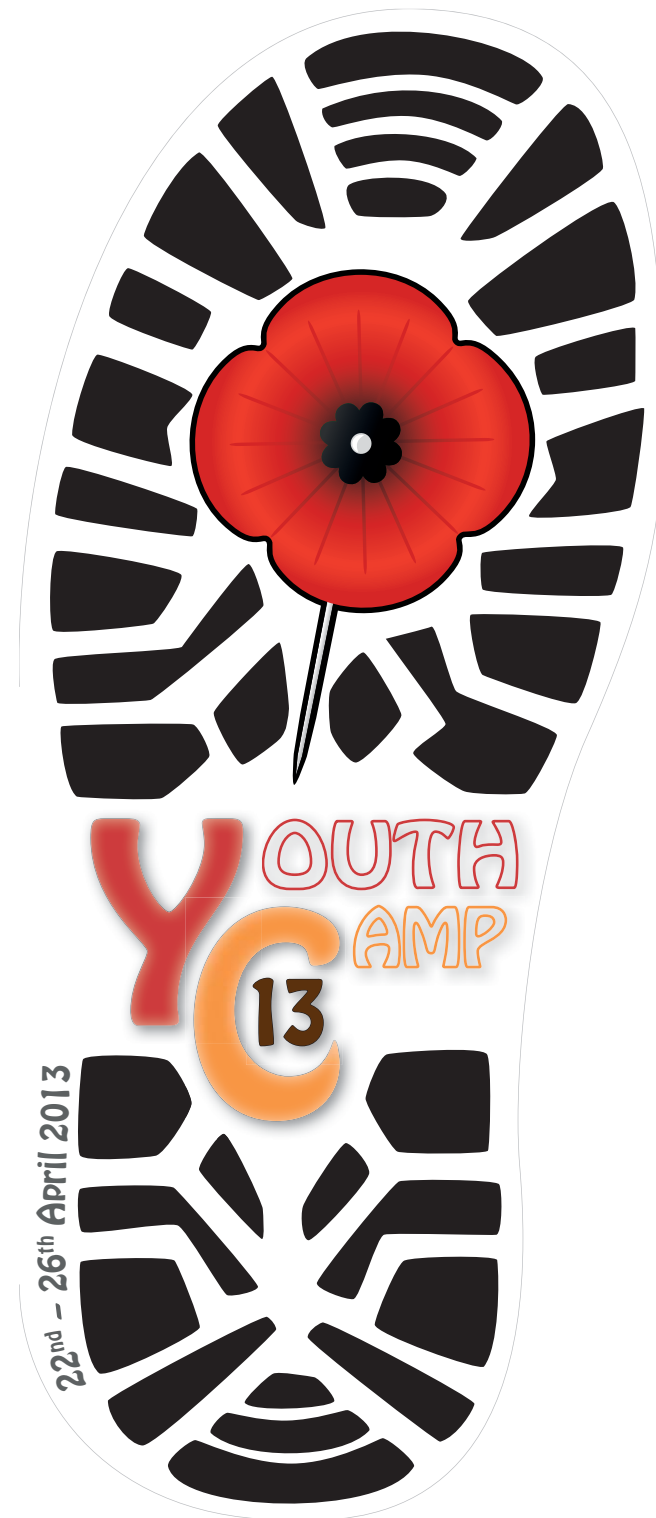
FRBCNZ Youth Camps
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TEACHING

Mike Beck returns as our speaker having given inspirational talks on two previous camps. He will be responsible for the main messages each day as well as discussion groups which are aimed at helping the young people to think seriously about the relevance of Christianity.






Mike and his wife, Candice, emigrated from South Africa to be involved in planting Gracenet Community Church in Wellington. Mike has been the pastor of the church since 2007. He and Candice have two young children and he enjoys surfing and riding his motorbike.



INTRO

These annual Youth Camps, organised by the Fellowship of Reformed Baptist Churches in New Zealand, are for young people aged 13-18, particularly—though not exclusively—from churches that are Baptist and Reformed. The current leadership team is made up of three camp directors: Fred Schaumkel, Aaron Falconer (both of Shore Baptist Church in Auckland) and Dafydd Hughes (Grace Reformed Baptist Church, Palmerston North).

AIMS

-  **FUN:** To provide an enjoyable, interesting and stimulating holiday for young people.
-  **FRIENDSHIP:** To provide an opportunity for good friendships to be formed among youth from like-minded churches.
-  **FOCUS:** To present the Gospel and encourage young Christians in their walk with Jesus.

LOCATION

For YC13 we will return to a unique location: Camp Bentzon on Kawau Island in the Hauraki Gulf. The site has proven very popular in the past and has now become our regular venue.

The grounds consist of an open area bounded by the camp buildings, native bush and North Cove. A dining hall provides space for indoor activities as well as meals, as does the meeting room, while sleeping accommodation is in bunkrooms.

Transport to the Island is by ferry from Sandspit Wharf and a bus will be chartered to take campers from Auckland to the ferry. If you need help getting to Auckland please contact us as there may be others traveling from your area with whom we can put you in touch.

ACTIVITIES

The camps provide a full programme of indoor and outdoor activities together with meetings for Bible teaching and discussion. A number of activities are planned, such as kayaking and sailing, swimming, climbing wall & abseiling, a confidence course and other activities which will include more leisurely indoor and outdoor games. There will also be ample time at camp just to sit around, chat, play board-games and enjoy other informal activities. All activities will be overseen by experienced and/or qualified leaders as appropriate.

We plan to commemorate ANZAC Day by joining the Dawn Service on the island. The Boot Camp theme for this year's camp was inspired by the ANZAC anniversary.

REGISTRATION

The fees shown in the table to the right include return travel by bus and ferry from Auckland to Kawau Island, accommodation, food and all activities. Payment may be made by direct credit, cheque or credit card.

Please register online: www.rbc.org.nz/camps (or contact us if you are unable to register online and we will provide a registration form).

The final closing date for registrations is 7th April (or when full).

Registration Fees

\$195 for 1 Camper
\$190 each for 2 Campers
\$185 each for 3+ Campers

A \$20 early-bird discount applies to every camper registered AND PAID by 18th March 2013.