

2024 SPORT CLIMBING

Sport Climbing at Baradene offers the opportunity for students to learn the skills of top rope, bouldering, and speed climbing. Weekly training at Extreme Edge will develop the athletes' skills, safely. Group coaching will be provided at these trainings. Students are encouraged to compete across the disciplines in the Auckland College Climbing Series if they are at the required level.

The Sport Climbing season will extend across one term for the below year levels only, with a capacity of 40 students per term. This is due to our aim to provide more one-on-one coaching for our climbers, and a more concise programme that targets those who are interested in developing their climbing skills and becoming competitive in the sport.

Please note that for Term 1 we can only accept the first 40 registrations.

ELIGIBILITY: **Term 1:** Years 9 – 13
 Term 4: Year 8

LESSONS: **Term 1:** *Years 9-13 - Top Rope, Bouldering, Speed.*
 Extreme Edge – Panmure
 Wednesdays 3.30pm – 5.00pm: 14th February – 10th April, 9 weeks.

Term 4: *Year 8 - Top Rope, Bouldering. Registrations will be taken in Term 3.*
 Extreme Edge – Panmure
 Wednesdays 3.30pm – 5.00pm: 23rd October – 4th December, 6 weeks.
 No Training Week 5 – 13th November (Year 8 Camp)

COST: Approx, \$240.00 (Term 1), \$160.00 (Term 4)
 Fees are required to be paid prior to the first session each term.
 All climbers under 15 years old will require a parent or caregiver to assist with belaying for a minimum of 2 sessions.

COMPETITIONS:

ACC Series	Round 1 – Sunday 7 th April, Extreme Edge (Top Rope) Round 2 – Sunday 19 th May, Northern Rocks (Boulder) Round 3 – Sunday 23 rd June, Vertical Adventures (Top Rope) Round 4 – Sunday 11 th August, Boulder Co (Boulder)
AIMS Games	Y7 and Y8 only, if selected (8 th – 13 th September)
NZSS	TBC (Late August / Early September)

Competition fees will be charged separately.

TRANSPORT:

A bus will take the girls to Extreme Edge for training. Parents/caregivers are required to organise return transport for their daughters.

UNIFORM:

Training/Competitions - Baradene PE top & black leggings or shorts.

GEAR:

Top Rope and Speed – harnesses (provided), climbing shoes can be hired (but sports shoes are ok to use), and chalk (provided where necessary).

Bouldering – climbing shoes can be hired (but sports shoes are ok to use) and chalk (provided where necessary).

Please note:

Withdrawing from a team once named is not acceptable at Baradene. If this occurs your daughter will not be permitted to represent Baradene in any other code for the season, so please ensure all commitments are considered prior to committing to teams.

Please ensure your daughter's online registration is completed by **Thursday 1st February 2024**.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



 Danielle Reynolds
Sports Manager



Sandy Pasley
Principal