



WELLINGTON BAHÁ'Í SUMMER SCHOOL 2026
3 – 6 JANUARY
INFORMATION BROCHURE

We warmly invite you, your family and your friends, to an invigorating and uplifting experience. The programme will be filled with stimulating and fun sessions for all the family to enjoy - whether you want to recharge your battery, learn something new or share your talents with others - there is a space and pace for everyone. Our Summer School is at the beautiful Silverstream Retreat.



PLEASE REGISTER BY 14 DECEMBER 2025

A registration form will need to be completed for each individual, including for each child. Please note that anyone under the age of 18 years will need to attend with an adult who is accompanying them and responsible for their supervision, well-being and safety.

VENUE: Silverstream Retreat, 3 Reynolds Bach Drive, Lower Hutt.

Website: silverstreamretreat.co.nz

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE: Arrival from 2PM Saturday 3 January 2026 - Departure Tuesday 6 January 2026 by 10am.

Registration on Saturday will be in the Rimu Lounge

ACCOMMODATION: Accommodation on-site is in dorms. There is no camping on-site.

- Dorm sizes vary from 2 to 6 beds per room.
- Each bed has a comfortable mattress, pillow and pillow slip.
- Bedding can be hired at a small extra cost or brought with you.
- The cost is \$40 per bed per night.
- There is no charge for children age 0-4 yrs. Parents can bring portable cots.
- Effort will be made to satisfy your choice. Priority will be given to early registrations and those with special needs.

Motel and Studio Units

- The Retreat has a small number of motel and studio units.
- These units need to be booked and paid for directly through Silverstream Retreat.
- Indicate that you are making your own arrangements in Question 8 of the registration form.

REGISTRATION COSTS

Accommodation in dorm room:

- 1 night = \$40pp, 2 nights = \$80pp, 3 nights = \$120pp (to be paid by 14 December)

Registration with accommodation and meals:

A=Adult (15yrs+), JY=Junior Youth (11-14yrs), C=Child (5-10yrs)

- 3 nights' accommodation and all meals A \$225, JY \$204, C \$183
- 2 nights' accommodation and 2 x breakfast lunch and dinner A \$150, JY \$136, C \$122
- 1 night accommodation and 1 x breakfast lunch and dinner A \$75 JY \$68, C \$61

Payment for accommodation:

Full payment for accommodation is required by 14 December 2025 to secure accommodation in dorms. *(This is part payment of your total registration cost - the balance of Summer School fee can be included in this payment **or** paid for later.)*

Payment for accommodation is refundable before 14 December, not after.

Day registration: (Does **not** include breakfast)

A=Adult (15yrs+), JY=Junior Youth (11-14yrs), C=Child (5-10yrs)

- Saturday: From 2pm (includes dinner) A \$25, JY \$20, C \$15
- Sunday: (includes lunch) A \$25, JY \$20, C \$15 OR Sunday: (includes lunch and dinner) A \$35, JY \$28, C \$21
- Monday: (includes lunch) A \$25, JY \$20, C \$15 OR Monday: (includes lunch and dinner) A \$35, JY \$28, C \$21
- Day Registrations NO meals included A \$20, JY \$15, C \$10

*Day registrations: **Please register by 14 December 2025.** Early payments for day registrations by Saturday 20 December are appreciated.*

The registration fees reflect the expected cost of Summer School. If the fees are a concern, please contact the Summer School organisers (wellingtonsummerschool2026@gmail.com) to discuss options.

PAYMENT CAN BE MADE ONLINE TO:

Spiritual Assembly of the Baha'is of Wellington City 03 0525 0192957 03

Include your **family name** as written in your registration form and "SSchool" in the reference field.

Early online payment is recommended and is the preferred option.

Eftpos facility will be available at the Summer School registration desk for payments on the day. Saturday registration will be in the Rimu Lounge.

If you can't pay by online banking please contact wellingtonsummerschool2026@gmail.com.



Courtyard Garden

The Pillars adjoins a private courtyard with guest seating, rustic open fireplace and surrounding native garden. This space can be used as an outdoor ceremony space for small weddings or as an extension to The Pillars





See site map below.

REGISTRATION LINK:

<https://forms.office.com/r/d2kUbTwkLQ>



Silverstream
Retreat

Site Map

