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SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

This year's Swimming Carnival is fast approaching. **Years 2 – 6** will be attending the Swimming Carnival at the Queanbeyan Pool (Crawford St, Queanbeyan).

Date: Tuesday 7th March 2017
Time: 9:15 am – 2:30pm.
Transport: Bus

We are asking you to nominate your child in suitable events for this carnival. Please note the following details:

- **Parents**, not children, are to nominate events.
- Return the Carnival Permission form attached.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DAY

Children are to arrive at school, before 9.00am. The buses start leaving at 9:05am

Children may wear their house colours with their swimmers underneath. (Sports uniform is not required). Below is a list of houses and the colours they represent.

Red	~	Morrison
Blue	~	Polding
Green	~	McCormack
Gold	~	Cunningham

The children may make posters and bring mascots to the carnival to support their team however, no crepe paper, streamers, face paint or hair dye is allowed.

The children must be sun-smart throughout the day and remember to bring:

- **a wide brim hat or school hat**
- **sunscreen**
- **water bottle**
- **a towel**

Children will need to bring their lunch. A canteen does operate at the pool and the children will be able to purchase snacks throughout the day. Please ensure only a small amount of money is taken to the pool.

There are over 400 students involved and community support for this day is vital. If you are able to help, please fill in the attached form. All permission notes need to be returned by Friday 17th Feb.

Thank you,

Michelle Marshall & Debbie Cossettini



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PERMISSION & ENTRY DETAILS

Child's Name (Please print): _____ Birth Date: ____ / ____ / ____ Age this Year ____

Events to be entered ~ PLEASE TICK

25m Swimming Encouragement Races				
Novelty Events Shallow Pool		25m Freestyle		25m Kickboard
		25m Backstroke		

50 m Races ~ PSSA Qualifying Events			
Proficient (able) Swimmer Races			
Please tick which events you would like to enter			
50 m Freestyle		50 m Butterfly	
50 m Backstroke		200 m Individual Medley	
50 m Breaststroke			

I give my permission for _____ in class _____ to attend the school swimming carnival travelling by bus on **Tuesday 7th March 2017**.

CONSENT TO MEDICAL ATTENTION: *In the case of an emergency, I authorise the teacher in charge, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to arrange for my child to receive such medical attention as may be deemed necessary. I also undertake to pay costs which may be incurred for medical attention, ambulance transport and medication while the child is on the excursion.*

Signed: _____

Date: _____



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PARENT HELPERS FORM

I am able to assist with the 2017 Swimming Carnival:

Volunteer's Name (please print) _____

WWVP Card Number _____

Eldest Childs Name: _____ Class _____

Phone Number(s) _____

- ❖ I can help on the day with Carnival races.
- ❖ I can help on the day with Novelty events.
- ❖ I can help on the day to cook lunch for Teachers and Volunteers.
- ❖ I can provide a plate of morning tea for volunteers on the day.

Please return to your child's teacher by Friday 17th February.

NB* It is a requirement that all volunteers have a current WWVP card. All volunteers must have their WWVP cards on them at the Swimming Carnival and provide the number in the space provided above.