Dear Parents and Carers,

This year’s Swimming Carnival is fast approaching. Kinder and Year 1 will be attending the Swimming Carnival at the Queanbeyan Pool (Crawford St, Queanbeyan) and participating in Novelty Events in the small pool.

**Date:** Tuesday 7th March 2017  
**Time:** 9:30 am – 12:30 pm (Approximately)  
**Transport:** Bus

Children are to arrive at school at the normal time. The buses will leave at 9:30am. 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

Although the children can come in their house colours, they will be seated together as a class group rather than in their houses.

Children **MUST** be sun-smart throughout the morning and remember to bring:

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

The children will also need to bring their fruit break and morning tea with them.

In order to make this event a safe, happy and successful experience for the children in Kinder and Year One, the teachers will require a number of parent helpers. This assistance will mean being in the water in the junior pool with the children, supervising swimmers and maintaining a safe ratio. Therefore, if other children will be accompanying you on the day, you will not be able to be a parent helper. If you are able to assist on the day, please complete the attached form and return to school by Monday 20th February.

Many Thanks

Kinder and Year One Teachers
SWIMMING CARNIVAL
TUESDAY 7th MARCH 2017

PERMISSION NOTE

I give my permission for ____________________________ in class__________________ to attend the school swimming carnival on Tuesday 7th March 2017, travelling by bus. I understand that they will be participating in Novelty events in the small pool.

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:________________________

PARENT HELPER FORM

I am able to assist with the Kinder / Year 1 2017 Swimming Carnival:

The teachers will need a hand to get the children to and from the pool and assistance in getting the children organised when back at school.

Volunteer's Name (please print)__________________________________________

WWVP Card Number____________________________________________________

Childs Name: ___________________  Class____________________

Phone Number(s) ______________________________________________________

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.