



# KIRRAWEE PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## KIRRAWEE PUBLIC SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2018

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

Kirrawee Public School will be holding their **Annual Swimming Carnival** on **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2018** at **Sutherland Leisure Centre**. Students **aged 8 – 13 years** are invited to attend. Please note that **all events** at the carnival **will be formal heats**. **All decisions will be made by the swimming committee.**

Listed below are the details for the carnival;

**DATE:** Tuesday February 6<sup>th</sup> 2018.

**VENUE:** Sutherland Leisure Centre.

**TRAVEL:** Travel will be by **bus**. Students are required to be at school at **8:45am sharp** on the day. **The bus will be departing at 9:00am sharp**. We are anticipating a 3:00pm arrival back at school after the conclusion of the carnival. **Please note that all students must travel by bus to the carnival**. Parents wishing to attend the carnival can meet us at the pool. (Adult spectator pool entry is \$2.00)

**COST:** Pool entry and bus fare have been/or will be covered as part of the **learning pack payment for 2018**. **For any families that have not paid for the learning pack, the cost will be \$12.00.**

**DRESS/BRING:** Students are asked to wear their **swimming costume** underneath their house colours. They will need to wear their **school hat** and apply/ bring **sunscreen** (not fluorescent) for adequate coverage during the day. They will also need a **towel, warm jacket** and **change of underwear**. Students will also require 1 or 2 water bottles and their recess and lunch if they are not purchasing from the pool canteen.

**HOUSE COLOURS:** Are determined by your child's surname;

Bradman **A-D** (*yellow*)

Clark **E-K** (*red*)

Fraser **L-R** (*blue*)

Goolagong **S-Z** (*green*)

**PLEASE DO NOT BRING:** Watches, radios, MP3 players and any other valuables to the pool.

The **pool supervisors will not allow entry** to any child with **fluorescent sunscreen or crepe paper**.

Parents are welcome to attend. If parents wish to sit with their child/children would you please do this in the house area allocated by the school. (Adult spectator pool entry is \$2.00)

Parents are reminded that due to DoE Child Protection Policies any **photography or video footage must be of their child only**. Parents are also reminded to take care to stay out of restricted areas around the pool so that the Marshalls and Time Keepers are not distracted.

**Year 2 children who turn 8 in 2018** are invited to attend, only if they **can swim 50m confidently** and are willing to enter a race.

The Carnival format will remain the same as last year **for heats**. There will be **no finals (times will decide places)**.

**All staff decisions regarding placements are final.**

Once again a reminder that there will be **no 'unstructured swim' activities** and **no one will dive at the shallow end of the pool** at the Carnival due to DoE regulations.

Kind regards,

Mrs Melissa Oostdam  
Assistant Principal

Mr Patrick Morgan  
Sport Organiser

Mr Jack McFadden  
Sport Organiser

----- Please return money and permission note by **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2018**. -----

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the KPS Annual Swimming Carnival at Sutherland Leisure Centre. I understand that pool entry and bus fare have been covered as part of my learning pack payment, or, I have enclosed \$12.00 for playment. My child has the following medical needs \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the swimming ability of your child. Please note that your response will be used to assign the appropriate wrist band on the day.

**My child can swim beyond 50m unassisted (blue wristband)**       **My child cannot swim 50m (yellow wristband)**

**I do not want my child to participate in any water activities (no wristband).**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**I HAVE MADE AN ONLINE PAYMENT. WESTPAC RECEIPT NO. IS .....**



**DATE .... /.../.... Amount: .....**

**NB: Internet payments need to be received before 6pm at least 24 hours prior to the closing date of excursions. To make this payment, go to the school website below and click on 'Make a Payment'**

<http://www.kirrawee-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/>

Student's Name

Roll Class

***CASH/CHEQUES payable to: KIRRAWEE PUBLIC SCHOOL***

**VISA CARD / MASTERCARD payments can be made at the office or via telephone**

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

As with most carnivals we appreciate some extra helpers in order to assist with the smooth running of the events. If you are able to assist and can volunteer some time on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February could you please fill out the slip below and return it to your child's teacher or Mr McFadden.

Warm regards,

Mr Jack McFadden

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I am available to volunteer some time to help with Kirrawee PS Swimming Carnival on Thursday 2nd February.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_