



## *Celebrating 150 years*

### SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2021

The school will conduct its Annual Swimming Carnival on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2021 at the Lithgow Swimming Pool, commencing at approximately 9.30am. If the weather is inclement the carnival will then be held on the next available date. In the case of wet weather an announcement will be placed on the radio 2LT as soon as possible.

The children will need \$4.50 (the correct change would be appreciated and quicker for entry) to enter the swimming pool OR they can use their Season Ticket.

I wish to bring your attention to the following matters relating to the carnival.

1. Children come to school at the usual time.
2. If your child is to be collected by another adult on your behalf at the end of the carnival, a written permission note must be supplied. All children not returning to school must be signed out with the supervising teacher before leaving the pool area.
3. Children should come suitably equipped for all weather. Sensible protective clothing i.e. **hats and sunblock** must be worn. With the implementation of our SunSmart Policy introduced in 1998 **ALL CHILDREN MUST WEAR A BROAD BRIMMED HAT. Children are advised to bring sunscreen and bottles of water.**
4. Children are to wear their Sports Uniform (please label ALL clothes, towels and equipment).
5. **There will be NO unstructured (free) swimming.**
6. All children will return to school under supervision and will be dismissed from the school.
7. CHILDREN ATTENDING THIS CARNIVAL MUST BE ABLE TO SWIM 50 METRES AND COMPETE IN AT LEAST ONE EVENT.
8. Please circle the events on the attached form that you would like your child to compete in. NOTE: Your child will compete in the age event that they turn THIS year.
9. Our carnival will be running under COVID public health orders.

Miss Wilson would be pleased to hear from any parent (ensuring you have your WWCC) to assist with the conducting of the Carnival. If you can assist please contact them through the Primary Office.

The DET has introduced requirements in regards to parental permission for children to participate in school swimming activities. Please complete all sections as an incomplete form means children will not be allowed to attend the carnival. If this note is not returned prior to carnival, your child will be unable to attend and will remain at school.

Would you please complete the permission note and return it to the school by Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. This permission will also apply for the alternate date if required.

Jess Wilson  
Swimming Co-ordinator

Mark Snow  
Principal



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## **COOERWULL PUBLIC SCHOOL PERMISSION NOTE**

### **STRUCTURED AQUATIC ACTIVITIES (Swimming Carnival) – ADVICE**

The excursion will involve structured aquatic activities: scheduled swimming races.  
These activities will take place at: Lithgow Aquatic Centre.

### **STRUCTURED AQUATIC ACTIVITIES – RESPONSE**

**NAME:** ..... **CLASS:** .....

#### **SECTION A: THIS SECTION NEEDS TO BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED FOR ALL STUDENTS.**

In relation to the proposed structured aquatic activities (please circle response):

My child is **permitted** to go in the water (please complete Sections B, C & D)

.....  
Signed parent/caregiver

#### **SECTION B:**

My child is permitted to go in the water and is (please circle response):

**A non swimmer:** My child is unable to swim (cannot enter the water).

**A weak swimmer:** My child is comfortable and confident in shallow water but cannot swim very well.

**An average swimmer:** My child is a reasonable swimmer but is not very strong or confident in deep water.

**A strong swimmer:** My child is a strong swimmer and is very confident in deep water.

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Signed parent/caregiver

#### **SECTION C:**

My child can swim 50 metres unaided (please circle one of the responses below). If they are unable to swim 50 metres unaided, they will **not** be permitted to enter the water. **They will not be attending the carnival.**

YES                      NO

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Signed parent/caregiver

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## SECTION D:

I hereby give permission for my child.....to walk, (which has been approved by the Principal) to Lithgow Aquatic Centre on Thursday 11th February (2021), or on alternate date Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February(2020) if the weather is inclement, to participate in the School Swimming Carnival. To the best of my knowledge my child has no Medical/Physical Disability or Injury which put him/her at risk in participation of the sport.

Signed:..... Date:..... Contact Number.....

## COOERWULL PUBLIC SCHOOL EVENT NOMINATION FORM

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

Please Circle the age that your child will be turning this year and the events your child will be competing in.

8years      9years      10years      11years      12/13years

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Juniors

BOYS

GIRLS

100 metres Freestyle  
50 metres Freestyle  
50 metres Breaststroke  
50 metres Backstroke  
50 metres Butterfly  
4 x 50m Medley