

29 January 2020

SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Thursday 6 February 2020

Granville Swimming Centre

Dear Parents,

Melrose Park Public School will hold its annual swimming carnival on **Thursday, 6 February 2020**.

Once again this year our students will travel to **Granville Swimming Centre**, Enid Ave, Granville.

It is a full day event, commencing at 10.00am. This event is for all students in **Years 3 to 6** and for students in Year 2 who are turning 8 in 2020 and are competent **50 metre** swimmers.

Students who are selected for Zone representation will need to meet a time standard for all zone events. These are swum over 50m and 100m.

To ensure our carnival runs smoothly, it will be necessary to request the help of parent volunteers. Parents are encouraged to attend. The cost for spectators is \$3.90 at the pool entrance.

Checklist for swimmers: Swimmers, Sunscreen, Goggles, Water Bottle, Towel, Hat, packed lunch, House coloured T-shirt to be worn with sports shorts and runners.

Buses to Granville will depart school at approximately 9:15am with the carnival to commence promptly at 10.00am. Students will return to school by approximately 3.00pm. The cost of the swimming carnival is \$20.00. This includes bus and pool entry. Students may be signed out by a parent at the conclusion of the carnival if they are not returning by bus to school.

We are looking forward to another successful swimming carnival at Melrose Park PS.

Regards,

Ms Clare Kristensen
Principal

Please return this page to the school by Monday 3 February 2020

**SWIMMING CARNIVAL
THURSDAY, 6 FEBRUARY 2020**

I give permission for my child, _____, of Year _____
to attend the swimming carnival at **Granville Swimming Centre on Thursday, 6 February 2020.**
Transport to and from the carnival will be by charter bus.

The cost of the carnival will be \$20.00 for pool and transport costs.

I have discussed with my child the expectation of good behaviour and good sportsmanship while representing Melrose Park PS.

Special health needs of my child include: N/A _____

An average swimmer is a child who can swim 25 metres confidently.

My child is a (*please circle*)

Strong average poor swimmer. All students will wear a band identifying their ability.

I am able to volunteer and help at the carnival. Jobs include: crowd control, marshal, starter, time keepers x 3, life saver, place giver, scorers.

I will be attending the carnival and intend to take my child home with me at its completion.

Name: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____

Online at www.melrosepk-p.school.nsw.edu.au and select "make a payment".

I will pay on Semester 1 invoice.

\$20.00 enclosed

PARTICIPATION

I would like my child to be entered into the following events.

Child's Name: _____ **House team:** _____

100 m Freestyle (open age)

50 m Age Freestyle (8, 9, 10, 11, 12/13)

50 m Breaststroke Junior (8, 9 10)

50 m Breaststroke Senior (11, 12/13) Breaststroke

50 m Backstroke Junior (8, 9 10)

50 m Backstroke Senior (11, 12/13)

200 m Individual Medley Junior / Senior
(Including Butterfly) (Butterfly is the first leg and will be timed for zone)

25 m Age Freestyle (If your child is not participating in more than one race)

My child is a poor swimmer and will participate in the non-competitive events.

I confirm my child is capable of completing the distance in their selected races.

I understand that my child, regardless of place achieved in race finals, must achieve a qualifying time as set down by the Ryde Zone PSSA, to proceed to the Zone Carnival.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____