

Swimming Program 2018



Dear Parents and/or Guardians,

The students from Year 5 will be participating in swimming lessons at the Splash Aqua Park and Leisure Centre at **60 Central Park Avenue, Craigieburn** (9356 6800) between 9.00am – 11.45am, on Tuesday 13th February, Wednesday 14th February and Thursday 15th February and between 9.00am – 1.30pm on Friday 16th February.

Students will travel to and from the venue by organised bus (Sunbury Coaches).
The cost of this subsidised program is **\$12**.

Students will need to remember the following items for ALL days of the program:

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Uniform / Dry Clothes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Swimwear / Accessories (goggles, ear plugs etc.)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Towel	

To ensure students quickly move from the bus into the pools, students may wear their swim wear to school in the morning, under their clothes. Please ensure that students bring underwear to wear after the lesson.

The Swimming Lessons are designed to emphasize a wide range of aquatic skills including water safety, survival techniques and basic skill development. The range of aquatic skills taught, in addition to general movement and stroke development, includes safe water entries and exits, body orientation in water, underwater skills, rescue techniques (where age appropriate), survival and stroke development.

Swimmers with an advance technique are not guaranteed against the dangers of open water; always remember skills developed in a pool situation will be totally different when swimming in different water courses. Often it means they take more risks such as swimming at a surf beach.

Therefore even if your child participates at squad levels, it is equally important that they are reminded about the dangers in open waters and their survival skills updated to match their swimming prowess.

We look forward to the students becoming “waterproofed” through the program.

Permission slips & payment must be handed to your classroom teacher by Thursday 8th February, 2018.

Shannon Carroll
Physical Education Teacher

PERMISSION FORM FOR - Swimming Program 2018

I give my child _____ permission to participate in the Swimming Program, which will be held at Splash Aqua Park, Craigieburn on Tuesday 13th February, Wednesday 14th February, Thursday 15th February and Friday 16th February 2018. I understand my child will travel to the venue by bus. I authorise the teacher in charge, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to my child receiving such medical and / or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary and I will be responsible for any costs arising from such treatments.

Please note any medical conditions of which we should be aware:

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ **STUDENT'S CLASS:** _____

SIGNED: _____ **EMERGENCY CONTACT NO** _____
Parent / Guardian

Cash Excursion Prepayment QKR

The due date for this permission slip, ability form and payment is Thursday 8th February, 2018
