

## **KOONUNG SWIMMING CARNIVAL INFORMATION**

When: Thursday 22nd Feb 2024

Where: Boroondara Sports Complex

General Information:

•Students can compete in 5 individual events and 1 Relay ONLY. Novelty events are unlimited. Age group is determined by the age the student will be on the last day of the year

e.g. born in 2011 – 13 year born in 2009 – 15 year born in 2007 – 17 year

born in 2010 – 14 year born in 2008 – 16 year

born in 2006 or earlier - 18-20 year

•Any students who place first or second in their event will go through to Division competition on Friday 8th March.

 There are 2 types of MAIN POOL EVENTS – Competition & Participation Competition = you want to compete to go through to the next stage. You must choose Female or Male race Participation= you just want to have fun. You will compete against anyone from your age group

Events on the day include:

50 m Freestyle 50m Backstroke 50m Breaststroke 50m Butterfly Diving 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay (4 Competitors)

## Signing up to Events: House Meetings

House meetings will be conducted this week in Senior Years and Middle Years groups, run by your Year 12 House Leaders. Please see Compass for the meeting time and location information.

•Senior House Meeting (Year 10, 11 and 12 students): Wednesday 7th February

•Middle House Meeting (Year 7, 8 and 9 students): Thursday 8th February

### What to bring:

- •Bathers (swimming appropriate)
- •Towel

House Coloured Clothing or Full PE uniform Sunscreen + Hat (these are a MUST)

•Drink bottle & recess/lunch food

•NO LAPTOPS, PHONES OR SPORT EQUIPMENT can be brought into the venue. Put your phones in your lockers before you jump on the buses, and all sporting equipment

(e.g. basketballs for the court hire) will be supplied by the school.



#### **Clothing:**

#### •The theme of this year is BLAST FROM THE PAST

Students can dress up in this theme & enter the Best Dressed Competition (prize = canteen voucher) OR they can wear house colours instead – points earnt for wearing house colours. NO Lifeguard costumes!

•If they choose not to do this; they must wear Koonung Sport Uniform. It is not a free dress day.

#### Getting to and from:

•Students can go straight to the venue OR come to school and catch the school provided bus to the venue

•If going straight to the centre, they need to arrive by 9.15am

•If coming to school to take the bus they need to arrive at school normal time 8.40am

•Students are dismissed from the venue at the end of the day– buses will be available if they want to come back to school.

•If they need to leave early for any reason (eg. medical appointment) they need inform sub-school the day before the event (email, phone call) OR the parent needs to come into the event and sign them out.

#### At the Venue

•On arrival at the swimming carnival students need to get their name marked off (look for the year level signs to find the teacher who will be taking your roll

•Students are to sit on the grassed area in their House when they arrive at the venue (look for house flags)

•Events will commence at 10am

- •There are canteen facilities with hot food available
- •There will be 2 running event sheets; one for the MAIN EVENTS and one for NOVELTY EVENTS
- •Novelty events on the day may include:

Water Volleyball competition Staff Vs Students Race Water Polo competition Basketball Lapathon Relay 'Big Splash' Competition 'Classic Catches' Competition

#### **Participation:**

This is a COMPULSORY school event. All students need to attend.

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Students will not be permitted to attend interschool sports, Ski Tour or Central Tour if they do not attend all school events (Swimming, Athletics, Cross Country)

The Compass Event has all the details, which should appear by the end of this week. If they have any questions about the event, sign-ups or anything Sport related that they cannot find on the event email or visit Miss Murray.

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