



31 January 2018

Year 2 Carnivals

Dear Parents and Carers,

At Greenwich Public School we have three sports carnivals annually. They are:

Swimming Carnival
Cross Country Carnival
Athletics Carnival

These carnivals aim to encourage physical fitness, team spirit and sporting skill.

When students are in Year 2 they join with Years 3-6 in the School Cross Country Carnival and all of K-6 in the School Athletics Carnival. Participation in these events is highly encouraged.

For Year 2 students, the Swimming Carnival is an enrichment or extension opportunity for talented swimmers. Students must be turning 8 years old this year or have already turned 8 years. They must be able to swim 50 metres without assistance from the ropes, wall or floor. Students must also be able to swim these 50 metre races **competitively**. Usually, students who attend this carnival in Year 2 are attending swimming clubs and training and competing in club carnivals. Year 2 will not be allowed to participate in the 25m non-competitive race.

Students who do not attend the carnival will have regular lessons at school.

Once the students are in Year 3, all are welcome to participate in the races whether they are a talented swimmer or not.

If you would like your child to attend the swimming carnival please complete the form below and return to the office by **Monday 5 February**.

Details:

Venue: Lane Cove Aquatic and Leisure Centre
Date: Wednesday 28 February from approximately 9:45am to 2.30pm
Cost: Approximately \$16 which includes bus travel, pool and equipment hire, teacher release

A permission note and program will be sent home if you wish your child to attend.

Amelia Rutherford
Coordinator

Vicki McKenzie
Principal

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Year 2 Swimming Carnival – return to the office

I would like my child _____ of class _____ to attend the School Swimming Carnival on Wednesday 28 February. I understand that this activity is an enrichment opportunity for talented Year 2 swimmers.

Signed: _____
Parent/Carer

Date: _____