

# **Dural Public School Swimming Carnival**

## **Epping Aquatic Centre, Epping, Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022**

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Once again, our annual school swimming carnival will be an opt-in event for students in years 2-6 due to Covid-Smart Guidelines.

This carnival is the first step in the NSWPSA Representative Pathway and as such is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW Health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures. There is a risk that your child may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating at this event. Your child must not attend if displaying any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.

Please only send your child if they are a serious swimmer and can swim 50m unassisted.

Current Covid-Smart Guidelines state:

- Spectators, including parents and carers, are not permitted at the venue.
- Students must travel to and from the venue wearing a surgical mask as well as when entering and exiting the pool complex.
- Students must travel to and from the venue under the care of Dural Public School teachers and will not be permitted to travel from the venue with parents/carers.

The school has exclusive use of the facilities at Epping Aquatic Centre.

Students who do not attend the swimming carnival will complete regular school activities within their cohort group at school.

**Date:** Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

**Location:** Epping Aquatic Centre, Epping.

**Bus:** Departs school at 9am and returns by 3pm

**Cost:** \$25

All teachers in attendance have Emergency Care and C.P.R. Training.



**As the excursion involves water activities, the school requires that parents/caregivers complete a water competency assessment. Weak or poor swimmers will be required to wear a coloured wrist band signifying their level of water competency.**

Please ensure your child is protected with sunscreen and has a hat and towel. Students are asked to wear sports uniform on the day with costumes underneath. In a separate bag they should bring their under garments to change into for the trip back to school.

**Cost, including transport by seat belted bus is \$25**

**Online payment through <https://dural-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/> is the preferred payment method.**

**For organisational purposes, permission, swimming competency and payment must be received at the office by 3:20pm Thursday 17th February. Opting in after this date will not be accepted.**

All events will be timed finals.

Mr Justin Field  
Sports Coordinator

Ms Milly Stone  
Principal

# Dural Public School Swimming Carnival Permission Note

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ to opt-in for the Dural Public School Swimming Carnival at Epping Aquatic Centre, Epping, on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022. I understand travel is by bus leaving school at 9am and returning by 3pm. I understand under the current Department of Education Covid-Smart Guidelines stating that my child must travel via bus wearing a surgical mask to and from the venue, and that there are no spectators, parents and/or carers allowed.

**I acknowledge that this event/activity is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW Health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures. I acknowledge and accept that there is a risk that my child may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating at this event. I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.**

I have paid \$25 online and my receipt number is \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Caregiver)

**Please indicate in the table below you child's swimming ability**

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|------------------------|--|
| <b>Strong Swimmer</b>  |  |
| <b>Average Swimmer</b> |  |
| <b>Weak Swimmer</b>    |  |

**PLEASE NOTE IF NO SWIMMING COMPETENCY IS GIVEN YOUR CHILD WILL BE CLASSIFIED AS A WEAK SWIMMER AND PLACED AT THE OUTER LANES FOR THEIR SAFETY.**

Only 2 swimmers per event are able to be selected to represent Dural at the Zone Swimming Carnival. First place is always selected but second place is only selected if they meet the qualifying standard stipulated by the Zone Swimming Carnival Conveners for that event.

## Swimming Carnival Events:

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|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| ➤ Junior     | 4 x 50m Medley   | Timed Final |
| ➤ Senior     | 4 x 50m Medley   | Timed Final |
| ➤ 8 yrs      | 50m Freestyle    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 9 yrs      | 50m Freestyle    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 10 yrs     | 50m Freestyle    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 11 yrs     | 50m Freestyle    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 12 yrs     | 50m Freestyle    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 8/9/10 yrs | 50m Breaststroke | Timed Final |
| ➤ 11 yrs     | 50m Breaststroke | Timed Final |
| ➤ 12/13 yrs  | 50m Breaststroke | Timed Final |
| ➤ 8/9/10 yrs | 50m Backstroke   | Timed Final |
| ➤ 11 yrs     | 50m Backstroke   | Timed Final |
| ➤ 12/13 yrs  | 50m Backstroke   | Timed Final |
| ➤ 8/9/10 yrs | 50m Butterfly    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 11 yrs     | 50m Butterfly    | Timed Final |
| ➤ 12/13 yrs  | 50m Butterfly    | Timed Final |
| ➤ Open       | 100m Freestyle   | Timed Final |

