



28 February 2023

Northcott Interschool Swimming Carnival Years 3-6

Dear Parent/Carer

The Northcott Interschool Swimming Carnival for primary students is being held on **Wednesday 27 March 2024** at Blacktown Aquatic Centre. The venue is located at 4 Boyd St, Blacktown. The carnival will begin at 9:30am with an anticipated finish time of 2pm.

Parents are encouraged to attend on the day and we would appreciate any assistance in transporting your child directly to the venue. We are able to provide minimal transportation for students on the day. Students that indicate they require transport will be charged **\$10**.

Students not requiring transport will not be charged.

Entry for one carer per student is free. Any additional spectators will also be charged by the venue at \$3.80 upon entry.

All competitors are to be placed by parent/carers into a coloured category based on the level of support they require. **Competitors in orange or yellow categories are required to have hands-on, in-water support by a carer/parent on the day.** Northcott will provide sufficient in-pool supporters in the absence of parent volunteers. Competitors can elect to swim in 15m, 25m or 50m races. If your child requires a flotation aid, please supply it on the day.

All students must wear their **sports uniform**. Students must bring **all food and drink** for recess and lunch as well as **any personal hygiene needs and medications** in a bag. Packing extra towels, swimmers pull ups and swimming pull ups (if required) is important as students will be in and out of the pool, participating in a minimum of three races. Please ensure all items are clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

Photographs and video images are used by Northcott to inform the community about the work they do. By signing the attached Image form, you agree to the use of photograph, film and images of you or your child (aged 18 years or below) taking part in any current and future Northcott activities, initiatives and events. You are under no obligation to sign the form and students without permission will be given a specific wristband to indicate no video or photography is to be taken of them during the event.

Permission and/or payment must be submitted online by **Friday 15 March 2024**.

**PERMISSION AND PAYMENT FOR THIS EVENT CAN ONLY BE MADE
THROUGH THE SCHOOL BYTES ONLINE PARENT PORTAL**

Yours sincerely

Mr Craig Warner
Principal

Mrs Vicki Kehagias
Excursion Co-ordinator

