Dear Parents/Guardians,

Our annual school swimming carnival will be held on Tuesday, February 9, at the Bathurst Aquatic Centre. Children will depart from school by organised bus at 9:30am with first events scheduled to commence at 10:00am. Children will return to school by 3:00pm.

All children in Years 3 – 6 are able to participate in the carnival. Children in year 2 who turn 8 sometime this year are also invited to participate.

Please note that only children who will be swimming in 50 metre events will participate in this carnival.

Therefore students will have two choices;
1. Attend the carnival to swim in 50 metre events
2. Attend normal school, where adequate staff will be used to provide worthwhile activities for the day.

Please discourage your child from seeing this as a ‘day off’.

The cost for students attending will be $6.50 which includes student admission ($4.50) and bus fare ($2). This money should be returned to school along with the permission note by Friday of this week to allow me to make appropriate staff arrangements. If you intend to use a season ticket you will still need to pay $2 for bus. Please note that these charges have been substantially decreased this year due to a pricing restructure from the Aquatic Centre, of which we are most appreciative.

Children should come prepared with suitable protection from the sun and all food and refreshments for the day (the pool canteen will not be available for student purchases and we would appreciate if parents did not purchase goods for their children). Spectators are encouraged to bring their own seating and to use the top tier of the spectator area. Spectator entry fees will be $2 upon arrival.

I will also need parent assistance for timekeepers on the day so if you can assist please let me know.

I look forward to an enjoyable and exciting day.

Ross James
Sports Coordinator
29.1.16

Eglinton P.S. Swimming Carnival Permission Note

I give permission for my child __________________________ from class __________ to participate in the Eglinton school swimming carnival to be held on Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at the Bathurst Aquatic Centre. I understand that travel is by organised bus and have enclosed $6.50 to cover admission prices and bus travel.

Signed __________________________ or

My child __________________________ from class __________ will not be attending the Eglinton School swimming carnival and will attend school as normal.

Signed __________________________

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Event Nominations

To align our school organisation to District, Regional and State PSSA procedures, our swimming carnival is organised using the ‘Meet Manager’ program. This program requires students to nominate for events prior to the carnival. Once this information is entered into the program all heat lists are generated. Therefore it is essential that if your child intends to swim at our carnival they must return their event nominations to school no later than Wednesday, February 3 along with the permission note. This will allow for our carnival to organised, sufficient transport to the pool to be booked and adequate staff to be at school to cater for the students not attending the carnival.

Your assistance in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

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Event Nominations

Student __________________ Class _______ Date of Birth ____________

Please place a tick beside the events you intend to enter.

50 metre Freestyle

100 metre Freestyle

50 metre Breaststroke

50 metre Backstroke

50 metre Butterfly

Age Medley (4 X 50 m)  

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