

Dear Parents and Caregivers

2022 SWIMMING CARNIVAL – Years Four, Five and Six

The St Peter's Swimming Carnival will be held at Bayswater Waves on **Tuesday, 5 April**, and will be conducted following the CEWA Covid Safety Plan and Western Australian Government Guidelines. The advice provided by CEWA is as follows:

- For Swimming Trials and Carnivals, you can proceed as usual in an outdoor pool, based on it being a 'special infrequent event'.

Our Swimming Carnival is being held outdoors. Students are transported by families. We will minimise the mixing of cohorts as much as possible, and parents will be designated an area away from the students within the outdoor setting.

Venue: Bayswater Waves Aquatic Centre
cnr Broun Ave and Priestley St, Embleton

Date: **Tuesday, 5 April 2022**

Time: 8:30am – 2.30pm

DROP-OFF

Students can be dropped off between **8:15am to 8:30am** at the front entrance of Bayswater Waves. St Peter's staff will be supervising the area and walking the students to the stands where they will be seated in their cohorts and supervised by their teachers.

PICK-UP

The Carnival will be completed at approximately 2.30pm. If we complete the day earlier than expected, a text will be sent out to the community. Students will be walked to the front entrance of Bayswater Waves in their cohorts and supervised until they are picked up. There will be a Kiss and Ride arrangement to assist with traffic flow.

Supervision of students in Pre Primary to Year Three will be provided at school as parents manage pick-up at the pool and school.

COVID GUIDELINES

- Students will sit in their year groups and race in their year groups.
- Each year group will socially distant from one another.
- Students will need to wear their masks unless they are swimming in a race. The masks can be removed intermittently to consume food and drink.

GUIDELINES FOR SPECTATORS

- Bayswater Waves has placed **restrictions on the number of spectators**. Only parents and guardians will be permitted, not extended family.
- Please follow the 1.5m 2m squared rule when spectating.
- Parents are NOT allowed to enter the "Student Area" at any point during the Carnival.

- The school is using an electronic timing system to time the races. We will not enter into discussions with any parent regarding timing or judging.
- Please use the **toilets near the 25m indoor pool**. (The outdoor toilets will be used by the students.)

We thank you in advance for remaining in your designated area as we have everyone's safety as our priority.

UNIFORM

- Students are to be dressed in their faction sports uniform with their bathers underneath.
- Students are to wear swimming caps in their faction colour (available for purchase at Uniform Concepts Superstore).
- Students are permitted to wear their thongs on the day.
- Students must wear a t-shirt/swimming shirt when not swimming.
- Students must wear sunscreen.
- Students must wear the school hat.
- Students may wear a rashie for sun protection. Students will be seated in the shade while they are waiting for their event (where possible).

FOOD

- **All food and drink** (recess, lunch, healthy snacks, water) must be sent with your child. **NO SHOP FACILITIES are available for your child.**
- Students cannot eat lunch with their parents.
- Please ensure your child only drinks water and eats healthy food at the Carnival.
- As requested by Bayswater Waves, streamers are **NOT ALLOWED**.

CARNIVAL PROGRAM

The Carnival Program will be uploaded to the school website on Friday, 1 April. Each student has been placed in a race, based on his/her Swimming Trial results.

ORDER OF EVENTS

Please be aware these times are a guide only.

8.45am	Introduction
9am	Year Six Races
10:30am	Year Six Champion Presentation
10.35am	Year Five Races
12:00 noon	Year Five Champion Presentation
12:05pm	Lunch Break (20 minutes)
12.25pm	Year Four Races
2pm	Year Four Champion Presentation and House Shield Presentation

Race order for each year group

50m Freestyle
50m Butterfly
25m Freestyle
20m Front kick with board
50m Breaststroke
25m Breaststroke
20m Breaststroke kick with board
50m Backstroke
25m Backstroke
20m Backstroke kick with board
100m Freestyle

Champion Points

Individual Events 50m and 100m events only score points.

First Fastest Time 10 points **Second Fastest Time** 8 points **Third Fastest Time** 6 points
Fourth Fastest Time 4 points

These points are based on the 4 fastest times (not race place) in the whole event. The race divisions are for faction points.

House Points

Award for all events.

First Place 10 points **Second Place** 8 points **Third Place** 6 points **Fourth Place** 4 points

Mrs Hutcheson is the Chief Judge at the Swimming Carnival and will not enter into discussion regarding results.

We are looking forward to each student participating and representing his/her faction to the best of his/her ability during this sporting event on the St Peter's calendar, where our values of Respect, Trust, Unity and Excellence thrive.

Kind regards

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1 April 2022