



Bacchus Marsh  
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Dear Parents/Guardians,

**SENIOR SCHOOL HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL – MELTON WAVES LEISURE CENTRE**

As part of our House Activities program, the annual Senior School Swimming Carnival will be held on **Wednesday 22 February 2023** between 10am and 2pm at Melton Waves Leisure Centre (outdoor pool), 206 Coburns Road, Melton.

**This carnival is also the selection trials for the Inter-School ICCES swimming competition.**

The House Swimming Carnival is a **compulsory** school event for all students. Students have the ability to compete in either the main swimming events or novelty events. Student participation on the day will assist in valuable House points, as well as individual House Colour points.

Students will attend Tutor Group, where rolls will be marked, as per normal. Students will be transported by bus to the venue. Students will be leaving Melton Waves at approximately 2.00pm and be returning to school on buses no later than 3.00pm. **Please indicate below if your child is returning to school by bus or being collected at the venue after 2:00pm by parent/guardian.**

Students are reminded that attendance is required for the entire day.

If you have given permission for your child to be dismissed from the Melton Waves Leisure Centre pool, parents can sign out students from the venue at 2.00pm.

Students **MUST** see their House Leader with a parent as well as the administration staff member and get their name marked off before they are dismissed from the venue.

All students attending the swimming carnival are required to wear their **full sports uniform** to school and they can then change into their House colours. Students are required to wear appropriate competition swimwear. No board-shorts are to be worn below the knee and no bikinis, competition bathers are preferred. It is also fully recommended that your child be adequately prepared by bringing along a towel, goggles and plenty of drinking water.

**STUDENTS MUST BRING THEIR OWN LUNCH AS THERE ARE NO CANTEEN FACILITIES AVAILABLE ON THE DAY.**

Parents are welcome to attend the swimming carnival.

***\*\*All students attending are required to have their Student ID card for logging on/off the bus\*\****

***\*\*It is recommended that all students 8 years and over wear a fitted face mask whilst travelling on public transport (this includes to and from school, excursions and camps) unless they have a medical exemption\*\****



If you require any further information, please contact Mrs Ogston prior to day of competition.

Please complete the permission form by **15 February 2023**.

*If online permission is not granted by 9.00am on the school day prior to this event, students will remain at school. Phone messages and permission will **not** be granted on the day of the event.*

Yours sincerely,

Kevin Richardson  
**Senior Deputy Principal**

Debra Ogston  
**Deputy Principal**



### SENIOR SCHOOL HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL PERMISSION FORM

I hereby give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ of Tutor Group \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ House to travel and participate in the House Swimming Carnival to be held at Melton Waves Leisure Centre (outdoor pool), 206 Coburns Road, Melton on **Wednesday 22 February 2023**.

After dismissal at 2.00pm from Melton Waves Leisure Centre, my child will be *(please tick)*

- ☐ Returning to Bacchus Marsh Grammar by bus
- ☐ Collected by Parents

*In the event of illness or accident, or where it is impractical to communicate with me, I authorise my child receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary. I accept responsibility for payment of any expenses thus incurred.*

Parent/Guardian Name & Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:     /     /23

Please complete the permission form by **15 February 2023**